

Dear Scholarship Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in Rocky Mountain Farmers Union Foundation's Scholarship Program. Our commitment to education and helping our members reach their goals is a long-standing priority for us.

Please read the application materials thoroughly. Attached you will find:

**Information Sheet** – Which contains basic information about the scholarship including eligibility requirements, supporting document list, selection guidelines, scholarship value, and the application deadline.

**Application Form** – Simply open the application, save it to a location where you will be able to access it again, complete the form, save again, and email it to RMFU along with the required supporting documentation. If you save the form you can update it later, so it does not have to be completed from beginning to end at once.

An incomplete form will not be accepted. Resumes do not take the place of a complete application.

**Supporting Document List** – A list of all supporting documents required to complete the scholarship application. All supporting documents must be included with the scholarship application when emailed to RMFU.

If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer Luitjens Bahr at 303-283-3550 or email jennifer.bahr@rmfu.org. We look forward to receiving your application.

Best regards,

Chad Franke President

Click here to access online

Be sure to save you application on your computer so you will have a saved copy.

## **Eligibility Requirements**

- Applicant must be a current Voting, Supporting or Collegiate member of Rocky Mountain Farmers Union.
- Scholarships are available to students who will be attending a 2-or 4-year accredited college or university. All areas of study are accepted, and we urge both traditional and non-traditional students to apply.
- Previous recipients of scholarships under the RMFU Scholarship Program may not apply for additional RMFU scholarships.

## Supporting Document List

- Completed scholarship application.
- Current high school or college transcripts.
- ACT or SAT scores.
- Two letters of recommendation on official letterhead.
- Written essay, 2-3 pages in length, 12-point font, double spaced on:
  - o Knowledge of Farmers Union and its affiliates, financial need for scholarship, and personal leadership abilities, achievements, and career goals.

## **Selection Guidelines**

- Farmers Union and Community Activities, 40%
- Written essay, 30%
- Academic Record, 20%
- Letters of Recommendation, 10%
- Scholarships which you may be eligible for include:
  - o Bill Stevenson Memorial Scholarship of \$1,000.
  - o Katheryn Pappenheim Memorial Scholarship of \$1,000.
  - o Charles Petty Memorial Scholarship of \$1,000.
  - o Farmers Union Service Association Scholarship of \$1,000.
  - o James G. Patton Memorial Scholarship of \$1,000.
  - o Edna Buchanan Memorial Scholarship of \$1,000.
  - o Hazel Hemphill Memorial Scholarship of \$1,000. Morgan County students only.
  - o Maurice Parker Memorial Scholarship of \$1,000. Morgan County students only.

Submit all required documents to Education@rmfu.org. Please note *RMFUF Scholarship Program* in the subject line.

For questions or more information please contact Jennifer Luitjens Bahr at 303-283-3550 or Jennifer.bahr@rmfu.org.

Scholarship application and all supporting documents must be submitted online by April 1, 2024, 11:59PM, to Education@rmfu.org



## Scholarship Program - Application Form

This application is to be used for all scholarships offered by Rocky Mountain Farmers Union. Please answer all questions thoroughly, an incomplete application will not be accepted. Resumes do not take the place of an application.

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Applicant Information	Address	City	St	tate	Zip	County	
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Parent Information	Parent's phone		Parent's email address				
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	Please check areas of involvement and indicate number of years in each area.			
Farmers Union Involvement	Farmers Union youth camps (local, county, state). How many years?			
	Farmers Union youth work completed. How many years?			
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	If you need additional room to write please submit a Word or Google document.			
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i. List other organizations you are a member of and your respective involvement in each.	
7. Describe the course of study you plan to pursue.	
B. Describe your future plans and goals.	

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Signature Date					
Be sur	e to include the following documents for you application can be considered.				
	Current official high school or college transcripts.				
	ACT or SAT score.				
	Two letters of recommendation from Farmers Union leaders, teachers, or employers.				
	Written essay, 2-3 pages using 12-point font, double spaced. Essay should demonstrate knowledge of Farmers Union and its affiliates, financial need, and personal leadership abilities, achievements, and career goals.				