

**Application for 2019
Grays Harbor/Pacific County Farm Bureau
Instructions and Information**

This year the Grays Harbor/Pacific County Farm Bureau has a budget of \$3,000 to be divided on all scholarships received. These scholarships are awarded to high school seniors entering college/university for the first time as a fulltime student or an enrolled college student. An applicant may apply for no more than two years.

Applicant must be:

1. The son, daughter, grandchildren or legal dependent of a Grays Harbor/Pacific County Farm Bureau member family with a current membership.
2. Be accepted by a recognized accredited college/university.
3. This scholarship is not limited to agriculture courses, but it is preferred.

To apply, submit with attached cover sheet the following:

1. A copy of your high school / college grade transcripts.
2. At least two letters of recommendation (one preferably from an instructor and one from any other person of your choice but not a family member).
3. A 1-2 page essay on your choice of vocation or profession and how that profession could influence agriculture in the future.
4. A resume or summary of your activities and service must be submitted with your application. Include any of the following (FFA, extra curricular activities, student government, etc.); to your community (4-H, service projects, church, etc.); and to your family (how you have helped with your family's farming enterprise or other- family responsibilities) also include any awards which you have received.
5. Submit a brief essay on the importance of Agriculture. Indicate how you envision your involvement in an Agriculture leadership role in the future.
6. Prepare a proposed budget for the coming school year (expenses: tuition, books room and board, etc.) indicating how you plan to pay for your education beyond this scholarship (assets: savings, wages, parental support, other scholarships, etc.).

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Application Cover Sheet
2019**

1. Name: _____

2. Address: _____
Street Address City, State, Zip

3. Phone Number: _____

4. Names of parents or legal guardians:

5. Address of parent or legal guardian:

6. Name of County Farm Bureau where your family is a member:

7. College/university at which applicant is accepted:

8. What is your intended major: _____

Check List (make sure you have included the following items)

- ✓ Transcripts
- ✓ Letters of Recommendation
- ✓ Essay on Choice of Vocation
- ✓ Summary of Service
- ✓ Essay on Farm Bureau and Ag Leadership
- ✓ Budget

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Return to the Grays Harbor/Pacific County Farm Bureau Scholarship representative no later than June 1st, 2019.

Copy as needed.

Other details:

1. Applications are due by June 1st.
2. Applications received after the deadline will not be considered.
3. Applicants will be judged on the county level on the basis of:

Essay on Choice of Vocation or Profession	30
Academics	15
(Classes chosen to prepare for career choice)GPA	5
Activities and Service to Family, Community and School	30
Essay on Importance of Farm Bureau	10
Planning for Future Funding of Education	10
Total	100

4. The county Scholarship Committee will meet after 1st week of June, to make decisions. Winners will be announced by June 8th.

5. The Scholarship Committee will be composed of 2 representatives of the Grays Harbor/Pacific County Farm Bureau.

6. Payment will be made directly to the college/university registrar's office in his/her name, after:

- a. Recipient has successfully completed (GPA 2.5 or better) and is enrolled for the next term.
- b. Recipient must submit a copy of their first term transcripts and a verification of re-enrollment for the next term to the Grays Harbor/Pacific County Farm Bureau Scholarship chair person to collect the scholarship funds.

7. A scholarship shall be used in the two years following its award. In the event the scholarship is not used within the two years, the recipient must present a request for a time extension. Failure to do so will result in forfeiture.

8. For further information, please contact your Grays Harbor/Pacific County Farm Bureau Scholarship chairman:

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