

Application for Scholarship Giles County Farm Bureau

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

High School _____ GPA _____

College/University _____ GPA _____

Parent/s or Guardian/s Name _____

Are parents members of Giles Farm Bureau? Yes No

Agricultural Background, Career Goals _____

List Leadership Roles, Volunteer Work, 4-H, FFA, Church, or other Organizational Activities _____

Work Experience _____

Explanation of Financial Need _____

Attachments:

- 1) A copy of your high school OR college/university transcript
- 2) A copy of your acceptance letter from the college or university
- 3) Two reference letters – one from Ag leader, one from person other than relative

The applicant agrees to visit the Giles County Farm Bureau Meeting for interview if requested.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

This scholarship will be awarded on a non-discriminatory basis without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, age, sex, marital status, or disability.

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Giles County Farm Bureau Scholarship

The Giles County Farm Bureau recognizes that to sustain and build a prosperous agricultural community we must encourage individuals that will have an effect on agriculture in the future; therefore, we are offering a \$400 scholarship to a student pursuing a degree in agriculture or natural resources.

Candidates for this scholarship must be a high school senior with the intent to earn a degree or obtain an 18 month certificate in agriculture or natural resources, or a college student that is already pursuing the aforementioned degree or certificate.

The Giles County Farm Bureau Board of Directors created a committee for this scholarship. The scholarship committee requests that the following be received by April 30, 2016:

1. A completed application
2. A copy of your acceptance letter from the college or university
3. A copy of your high school or college/university transcript
4. Two letters of recommendation – one from a current teacher/instructor regarding your interest and involvement with agriculture and one from another person other than a relative

The scholarship committee will make the selection based on the following criteria:

- Experience and career interest in Agriculture or Natural Resources
- Academic achievement
- Extracurricular activities and work experience
- Ag related leadership experience
- Financial need

The scholarship does not have to be offered every year, nor awarded after being offered, if a suitable applicant is not found.

The scholarship will be mailed to the recipient's chosen college or university and applied to tuition, fees, or books/materials.

Please submit applications and requested documents to the Giles County Farm Bureau, or mail to the following address:

Giles County Farm Bureau
Attention: Scholarship Committee
140 Cascade Industrial Park
Pembroke, VA 24136