



## Youth Scholarship Program 2022

\$1,000 one-time scholarship

Capital Farm Credit supports rural communities and agriculture with reliable, consistent credit and financial services. Through our youth scholarship program, we invest in the next generation of agriculture and the vibrancy of rural communities throughout Texas. Application submissions are accepted at the nearest Capital Farm Credit office of the applicant. To locate an office, visit [CapitalFarmCredit.com](http://CapitalFarmCredit.com).

Youth scholarships are awarded using the following eligibility requirements:

1. Funds shall be used to attend an accredited vocational or technical school, college or university. Student must maintain full time status.
2. Applicants must be high school seniors, graduating within the current school year.
3. Currently has no less than a “B” grade average
4. Applicant must demonstrate that they have a tentative educational plan and goals, *related to fields in agriculture or natural resources* (may include Ag Communications, Ag Economics/Business, Ag Education, Wildlife or Ranch Management, etc.).
5. Applicants must include the following documents for consideration:
  - a. Completed application
  - b. 2 letters of recommendation
  - c. 100-200-word essay on topic given in application
6. Applications and all supporting documents must be received at a Capital Farm Credit office in corresponding county or location of applicant by April 6, 2022.

***In applying for this scholarship, I verify that all information contained within this application and all supporting documents are true and no attempt to falsify information has been made.***

***In signing this application, I also agree that Capital Farm Credit may use my name and photo in a press release if I am selected as the recipient. I agree to permit review of this application and relevant information by the scholarship committee.***

**Signature of Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Parent/Guardian:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

# Capital Farm Credit Youth Scholarship Application

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

High School/ Year Graduating: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank: \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Names & Occupations: \_\_\_\_\_

What University/Institution do you plan to attend? \_\_\_\_\_

Selected Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Are your parents/grandparents Employees of Capital Farm Credit? Yes or No (Circle one)

If yes name and office location? \_\_\_\_\_

Local Newspaper: \_\_\_\_\_

Academic Honors:

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Extracurricular Clubs and Activities (include any positions held):

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Community Involvement:

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Work Experience:

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**Essay Portion:**

Please attach a 100-200-word essay on one of the following topics:

- a. How has agriculture shaped who you are today?
- b. What do you think is the most significant challenge facing agriculture and rural America?