

Marathon County Farm Bureau Scholarship
Application deadline: March 1, 2021
\$500 scholarship

Scholarship requirements

Applicant must be:

- A student enrolled in a 4 year university or 2 year technical school program with a freshman, sophomore, or junior standing or a high school senior accepted to 4 or 2 year program
- One scholarship open to both graduating seniors and current postsecondary enrollees
- Marathon County resident
- Additional consideration given to Marathon County Farm Bureau Members
- Preference will be given to student pursuing an agriculture degree
- 2 letters of recommendation must accompany scholarship

Please submit completed application to:

Marathon County Farm Bureau
P.O. Box 5550
Madison, WI 53705

Applications must be completed by: March 1, 2021

Notification of scholarship recipient Before May 1, 2021

Payment of scholarship will be sent to student, after next semester grades are submitted to Marathon County Farm Bureau Board of Directors.

Name:

Address:

County you reside in:

Township/city/village you reside in:

High School currently attending:

University will be attending:

GPA:

Course of study:

Date of graduation:

To verify applicants Farm Bureau status, please indicate the name of the individual holding current farm bureau membership:

Member name _____ Membership no. _____

Applicant relationship to member (son/daughter/self/employer/friend/other): _____

Agricultural courses taken:

List your post-graduation intentions as well as what educational standing you have already achieved

List some of the current and previous experiences you have had with Farm Bureau

What organizations have you participated in (i.e. 4-H, FFA, Scouts, etc.)

In 5 years how do you see yourself contributing to the agriculture community you live in?

If you were to be awarded our scholarship would you be willing to volunteer at own of our county events/fundraisers?

I certify that the information given on this application is true, correct, and complete.

Signature_____ Date_____

MARATHON COUNTY FARM BUREAU
LETTER OF REFERENCE
FOR:

PLEASE COMPLETE YOUR REFERENCE LETTER AND RETURN TO THE
APPLICANT IN A TIMELY MANNER SO HE OR SHE CAN RETURN A
COMPLETED APPLICATION TO OUR OFFICE NO LATER THAN March 1,
2021.

1. SCHOLARSHIP – ABILITY OF APPLICANT:

2. PERSONALITY AND CHARACTER OF APPLICANT:

3. ASSOCIATION WITH APPLICANT:

4. HOW LONG HAVE YOU KNOWN APPLICANT.:

SIGNATURE: _____

TITLE OR POSITION: _____

Marathon County Farm Bureau Scholarship Rubric

Criteria	Excellent 10-8	Above Average 7-4	Average 3-1	Weight Total	TOTAL
Activities outside of school	Involved in 10+ activities outside of school	Involved in 5-10 activities	Involved in 0-5 community activities	____ x 1	
School activities	Involved in 10+ activities in school	Involved in 5-10 activities	Involved in 0-5 school activities	____ x 1	
Agriculture related events participation	Involved in 10+ agricultural activities	Involved 5-10 agricultural activities	Involved in 0-5 agricultural activities	____ x 2	
Answer to summary question	Candidate provided a powerful, meaningful statement on their education goals and career plans	Candidate gave examples of what they have done what their plans are for further education	Candidate only briefly talked about education plans	____ x 2	
Are they pursuing an Agriculture Degree?	YES_____	NO_____		15 pts	
Have they participated in any Farm Bureau activities?	YES_____	NO_____		15 pts	
Is the references attached?	YES_____	NO_____		15 pts	
			Maximum Possible 105 points	total	___/105