



Monterey County Farm Bureau  
&  
Central Coast Young Farmers & Ranchers  
**2017 Agricultural Scholarships Application**



*Check all Scholarships you are applying for (may apply for only one Young Farmers & Ranchers Scholarship):*

- Monterey County Farm Bureau Scholarship
- Central Coast Young Farmers & Ranchers Hartnell College Scholarship
- Central Coast Young Farmers & Ranchers Junior College Scholarship
- Central Coast Young Farmers & Ranchers Four-Year College Scholarships
- American AgCredit Scholarship
- Jaynie K. Little Memorial Scholarship

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
                    Last                      First                      Middle                      Month                      Day                      Year

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**High School Attended**

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates Attended: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cumulative G.P.A.: \_\_\_\_\_ SAT or ACT (circle one): \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**College – Enrolled or Intended to be Enrolled**

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates Attended: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cumulative G.P.A.: \_\_\_\_\_ Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Minor/Concentration: \_\_\_\_\_  
 College Level Fall 2017:    Freshman    Sophomore    Junior    Senior

Expected College Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

If you are currently attending college, please indicate the number of units you will have completed by June 2017:

Quarter System Units: \_\_\_\_\_ Semester System Units: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please send this application with the attached & supporting documents to the address below, postmarked by:  
**April 21, 2017***

**Monterey County Farm Bureau, Att: Scholarship Chairperson, P.O. Box 1449, Salinas, CA 93902-1449**

Please call (831) 751-3100 or email [administration@montereycfb.com](mailto:administration@montereycfb.com) for further information or questions.

**Checklist for Scholarship Applicants**

*Before sending your application to the above address, make sure you have included:*

- Agricultural Scholarship Application
- Statement of Educational Purpose
- Financial Need
- Recommendation Forms (2)
- 500 Word Essay
- School and Community Activities
- Certification of Application
- Official High School or College Transcript (current)



**MONTEREY COUNTY FARM BUREAU & CC YF&R  
AGRICULTURE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

**STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE**

In the space below, or using additional sheets of paper, please provide a few paragraphs describing your goals while attending college as well as your future goals after completing your higher education.

Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_



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**AGRICULTURE ESSAY**

In the space below, or using additional sheets of paper, please type a well-developed, but concise essay. Decisions will be based on content not on personal opinions. The entire statement should consist of no more than 500 words.

**Farmers and ranchers have been challenged to share their stories  
of success in managing their working environments  
with younger generations that have never seen a farm.  
What strategies do you like that best tell the Agricultural perspective  
and the importance of local food production within your generation?**

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_



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**SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

In the space below, or on a separate piece of paper, please list all **school and community activities, honors you have earned, and work experience** in which you have been involved. Please include dates of participation, awards won, and offices held.

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_



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**FINANCIAL NEED**

If applicable, in the space below, please briefly explain your financial need, if any, in the space below

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_



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**CERTIFICATION OF APPLICATION**

I hereby certify that I have completed all of the information on this application, and to the best of my knowledge it is correct and accurate. I acknowledge that all information on this application may be disclosed to third parties for the purpose of scholarship award consideration. If I am selected for a scholarship award, I will notify the Monterey County Farm Bureau and/or Central Coast Young Farmers & Ranchers Scholarship Committees promptly of any change in major, college residence, or enrollment that would affect my eligibility for this award.

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Applicant's Name

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Signature

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Date



# Scholarship Eligibility & Requirements



## Monterey County Farm Bureau Scholarship(s)

Area of Study: Agriculture

Amount of Scholarship: \$1,000/award

### Eligibility:

1. Applicants may be incoming college freshmen, starting or continuing students at a Junior College or four-year University, or transferring to a four-year college or university in the area of Agriculture.
2. Must have attended and graduated from high school within **Monterey County**.
3. Strong consideration is based off the essay question
4. Grade point average, extra-curricular activities, and financial need will be considered.
5. Recipient must show proof of enrollment and maintain 12 units or more each semester/quarter during the 2017-2018 academic year to receive funds. Funds will be distributed upon proof of enrollment during the first semester (or quarter).

## Central Coast Young Farmers & Ranchers Scholarship(s)

Area of Study: Agriculture

Amount of Scholarship: Varies (up to max of \$2,000/award)

### Eligibility:

1. Applicants may be incoming college freshmen, starting or continuing students at a Junior College or four-year University, or transferring to a four-year college or university in the area of Agriculture.
2. Must have graduated from high school in **Monterey or San Benito Counties**.
3. Prior recipients and/or applicants are welcome to submit an application.
4. Grade point average, extra-curricular activities, and financial need will be considered.
5. Recipient must show proof of enrollment and maintain 12 units or more each semester/quarter during the 2017-2018 academic year to receive funds. Funds will be distributed upon proof of enrollment during the first semester (or quarter).

## American Ag Credit Scholarship(s)

Area of Study: Agriculture

Amount of Scholarship: Varies (up to max of \$1,000/award)

### Eligibility:

1. Applicants may be incoming college freshmen, starting or continuing students at a Junior College or four-year University, or transferring to a four-year college or university in the area of Agriculture.
2. Must have graduated from high school in **Monterey or San Benito Counties**.
3. Prior recipients and/or applicants are welcome to submit an application.
4. Grade point average, extra-curricular activities, and financial need will be considered.
5. Recipient must show proof of enrollment and maintain 12 units or more each semester/quarter during the 2017-2018 academic year to receive funds. Funds will be distributed upon proof of enrollment during the first semester (or quarter).

## Jaynie K. Little Memorial Scholarship(s)

Area of Study: Agriculture

Amount of Scholarship: Varies/award

### Eligibility:

1. Applicants may be incoming college freshmen, starting or continuing students at a Junior College or four-year University, or transferring to a four-year college or university in the area of Agriculture.
2. Must have graduated from high school in **Monterey or San Benito Counties**.
3. Prior recipients and/or applicants are welcome to submit an application.
4. Grade point average, emphasis on extra-curricular activities, and financial need will be considered.
5. Recipient must show proof of enrollment and maintain 12 units or more each semester/quarter during the 2017-2018 academic year to receive funds. Funds will be distributed upon proof of enrollment during the first semester (or quarter).

### Requirements Check List:

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|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural Scholarship Application | <input type="checkbox"/> 500 Word Essay                                       |
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