

UNITED TO GROW FAMILY AGRICULTURE

Dear Scholarship Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in the National Farmers Union scholarships!

Please read the application materials thoroughly. Attached you will find:

Information sheets: Information including eligibility requirements, amount for each scholarship, and a list of required documents to submit for consideration.

Application form: The application form in this document should be typed and hard copies mailed to the address below. Please do not submit this PDF file electronically. If you would prefer to submit your application electronically, use the Google Form application link at nfu.org/scholarships. Clearly mark which scholarship(s) you are applying for.

Letters of recommendation requirements: Only two (2) letters are required, even if you are applying for multiple scholarships. For the Stanley Moore and Seymour scholarships, one of the letters of recommendation should be from a Farmers Union leader. For the MANRRS scholarship, one of the letters should be from a MANRRS leader.

This PDF application should be mailed to: Attn: Lisa Buckner National Farmers Union 20 F St NW #300 Washington, D.C. 20001

If you have questions regarding the enclosed material, please e-mail Lisa Buckner at lbuckner@nfudc.org. We look forward to receiving your application.

Best wishes,

Lisa Buckner Education Coordinator National Farmers Union

Stanley Moore Scholarship

Up to three (3) \$1,500 scholarships will be awarded.

<u>Eligibility</u>

High school seniors, college students, or nontraditional students seeking funding to attend a two or four-year accredited college, university, or technical school for any area of study. Must be a Farmers Union member.

Typed Essay:

How do you plan to advocate for farmers and their communities in your future endeavors?

Application materials needed:

- Completed application form. This fillable PDF application can be printed and mailed, or applicants can apply electronically via the Google Form on nfu.org/scholarships. <u>Please do not submit both an electronic and paper copy.</u>
- A copy of your most recent complete academic school year's transcript. This can be
 included in your application and does not need to be mailed separately by your school,
 unless your school requires such. If you are a college student, you can send an unofficial
 copy of your transcript that includes the current school year in addition to the previous. For
 example, a college freshman would submit a senior year high school transcript and can
 include an unofficial copy of the fall semester transcript as well. A college sophomore
 would only need to send a copy of their freshman year transcript.
- Letters of recommendation from a Farmers Union leader of your choice AND from a teacher or professor.
- Typed essay (topic above) three pages, 12-point Times New Roman font with one-inch margins.

Hubert K. and JoAnn Seymour Scholarship

One \$2,000 scholarship will be awarded.

Eligibility

Open to graduating high school seniors who are continuing their education in either a two or four-year accredited college, university, or technical school for any area of study. Must be a Farmers Union member.

Typed Essay:

How do you plan to advocate for farmers and their communities in your future endeavors?

Application materials needed:

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- A copy of your most recent complete academic school year's transcript. This can be
 included in your application and does not need to be mailed separately by your school,
 unless your school requires such. If you are a college student, you can send an unofficial
 copy of your transcript that includes the current school year in addition to the previous. For
 example, a college freshman would submit a senior year high school transcript and can
 include an unofficial copy of the fall semester transcript as well. A college sophomore
 would only need to send a copy of their freshman year transcript.
- Letters of recommendation from a Farmers Union leader of your choice AND from a teacher or professor.
- Typed essay (topic above) three pages, 12-point Times New Roman font with one-inch margins.

Minorities in Agriculture, Natural Resources, and Related Sciences (MANRRS) Scholarship

Two \$1,500 scholarships will be awarded.

Eligibility

High school seniors, college students, or non-traditional students seeking funding to attend a two or four-year accredited college, university, or technical school for any area of study. Must be a MANRRS member.

Typed Essay:

How do you plan to advocate for farmers and their communities in your future endeavors?

Application materials needed:

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- A copy of your most recent complete academic school year's transcript. This can be
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 copy of your transcript that includes the current school year in addition to the previous. For
 example, a college freshman would submit a senior year high school transcript and can
 include an unofficial copy of the fall semester transcript as well. A college sophomore
 would only need to send a copy of their freshman year transcript.
- Letters of recommendation from a MANRRS leader of your choice AND from a teacher or professor.
- Typed essay (topic above) three pages, 12-point Times New Roman font with one-inch margins.



Please select all that apply and type your application. I am applying for:

- Stanley Moore Scholarship
- Hubert K. and JoAnn Seymour Scholarship
- Minorities in Agriculture, Natural Resources, and Related Sciences (MANRRS) Scholarship

First name	Last Name	
Address		
City	State	Zip
Email address:		
Cell phone	Home phone	
Birth date		
Name that Farmers Union or MANRRS Membership is in (i.e. yours, your parents)		
State of membership		County
Number of years that your family has been involved with Farmers Union or MANRRS		

Please tell us about the Farmers Union or MANRRS activities you participate in:

Please outline your career goals, your planned course of study, and briefly describe why you have chosen this path. Describe any special circumstances.

If you are in high school, please provide the name of your school. Otherwise, please write N/A.

Address of high school you are currently attending. If not in high school, write N/A.

Name of the college, university, or technical/trade school you will attend or are attending

Address of the college, university, or technical/trade school listed above

Phone number of the financial aid department

Please acknowledge that the information within this application:

Signature

Date