

AgFed Credit Union Foundation Scholarship

To provide an opportunity for AgFed members to win one of three (3) \$1,000 AgFed Foundation Scholarships. In order to win a scholarship, a person must submit an essay and receive one of the three highest scores.

Please complete the application and include:

- Your essay on the following topic:
- "Among other things, the COVID-19 pandemic highlighted the importance of being prepared for anything and having emergency savings. With that in mind, how will you prepare for a future financial crisis?"
- Essay should not be more than 500 words.
- Send your application and essay to director@agfedcufoundation.org by March 31, 2021. Subject line: Scholarship 2021. Submissions made outside this time period will not be accepted. Submissions cannot be accepted at AgFed branches at any time.

Rules and Eligibility Requirements

• Applicant must be an AgFed member. If they are not currently a member, they must open a membership before application (not a joint member).

AND

- Applicant must currently be enrolled part-time or full-time in an accredited college, university or trade school within the U.S. High school seniors, transfer students, and current undergraduate and graduate students are eligible if they are attending an accredited college or university for the 2021 fall semester.
- All scholarship materials must be received by March 31, 2021.
- Do not include any identifying information in your essay, such as your name or school.
- Winners agree to have their photo taken upon acceptance of the award.
- Applicant agrees that by entering into the AgFed Credit Union Foundation scholarship contest, his or her photograph, name and award amount may be published in future print or electronic material.
- Applicant will provide true and correct information, or risk disqualification.
- AgFed and Foundation employees, Directors, Committe Members, Volunteers and their immediate families are not eligible for this scholarship.

Additional Information

- The funds will be sent directly to college or university in which student is enrolled, on their behalf.
- AgFed Foundation will award scholarships based on essay content, grammar/spelling, creativity, originality and writing.
- Essays will be judged by a pre-selected committee, comprised of several rounds of review to determine scholarship recipients.
- Each scholarship winner will be notified of their award by email no later than May 31, 2021.
- All tax responsibilities belong to the scholarship recipient, not AgFed Credit Union Foundation.
- Failure to follow scholarship rules will result in disqualification.



- The list of award winners will be published on our website (www.agfedcufoundation.org).
- By submitting this application for the AgFed Credit Union Foundation Scholarship, I certify that all information is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. Any misrepresentation of information on this application or plagiarism will automatically disqualify my application.

For additional information, questions, comments, or concerns, please email director@agfedcufoundation.org.

Application Personal Information First Name Last Name AgFed Member Number Phone Number **Email** Street Address City State Zip School Information Name of College of University at which you are accepted or enrolled School Address City Zip State



Essay

Among other things, the COVID-19 pandemic highlighted the importance of being prepared for anything and having emergency savings. With that in mind, how will you prepare for a future financial crisis?