



# Richland County Farm Bureau® Foundation

*"Advocating for Agriculture"*

## 2024 Richland County Farm Bureau Scholarship Application

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ Call or text for interview set up? Call Text

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENTS' NAMES: \_\_\_\_\_

HIGH SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_

COLLEGE YOU PLAN TO ATTEND: \_\_\_\_\_

MAJOR/CAREER GOAL: \_\_\_\_\_

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Scholarships will be awarded to a deserving Richland County senior within the county who is pursuing a college degree at an accredited college, university, community college or trade school in the Fall of 2024.

The following criteria will be addressed for selection: academic performance, activities, and leadership.

Applications must be received or postmarked by **March 8th, 2024**. Interview to follow on March 11-15th, 2024. If this date range will not work for you, please contact Kenzie at the Richland County Farm Bureau office at (618) 393 - 4116, and we will set up a different interview time. Scholarship winners will be contacted directly. Stop by the Richland County Farm Bureau office or call (618) 393-4116 for any questions. Applications can be mailed to or dropped off at 710 N. West Street Olney, IL 62450. If you wish to submit via email, please scan and send to: [richlandcountyfbmanager@gmail.com](mailto:richlandcountyfbmanager@gmail.com) by midnight on March 8th. If you do not receive confirmation from Kenzie that it is received, please call the office.

Please include in the application:

1. This cover sheet, completed.
2. A 150 – 300 word essay on the impact of agriculture in your life, the goals for your future and your career, and how the scholarship will help you achieve those goals.
3. A letter of recommendation from a community leader or employer.
4. A list of your leadership experience, awards, and community involvement.
5. Please include a senior photo or a head-shot with your application. This can be attached to your email submission to Kenzie, or sent via text message to Kenzie at (618) 843-8846. Please include the following text: 2024 Scholarship Application (Your Name)