2026 Shelby County Farm Bureau Scholarship

Qualifications:

- Must be a high school senior entering a four-year college or university program, or a technical program for the fall of 2026.
- Parents of the applicant or the applicant must be members of the Shelby County Farm Bureau in good standing at the time of applying.
- All applicants must complete the attached application and one-page essay on the impacts of agriculture in Shelby County and participate in a personal interview.
- THIS APPLICATION MUST BE TYPED and can be submitted electronically to shelby@ofbf.org.

Conditions of Scholarship:

The county will award a $500.00 scholarship made payable to the student after presentation of their first quarter/semester grades is made to the county office. Student must maintain a 2.5 GPA for the quarter/semester.

Selection:

The scholarship is based upon scholastic achievement, extracurricular activities, and a personal interview. All interviews will be held shortly after April 1. Applicants will be notified of the date, time and location of the interviews.

ALL APPLICATIONS NEED TO BE RETURNED TO THE
SHELBY COUNTY FARM BUREAU OFFICE BY MARCH 31, 2026
P.O. BOX 478 ❖ BOTKINS, OHIO 45306

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First Name: _____ MI: _____ Last Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Applicant's Phone: _____ Applicant's Email: _____

High School Attended: _____ Estimated GPA: _____

Parents'/Applicant's Farm Bureau Membership ID Number: _____

Parents' Names: _____ Phone: _____

Parents' Email: _____

What college do you attend or plan to attend? _____

What Academic Major have you chosen? _____

Additional Documentation:

- Please attach a current resume of activities, awards, and honors received. These should not exceed 2 pages.
- Please attach a copy of your high school transcript including all grades.

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Essay:

Please include your view of the following topic in a 500-word essay below:

What is a problem that influences your future in agriculture and how do you plan to contribute to a solution?