

FARMERS' ELECTRIC EDUCATION FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP FUND

(Returning College or Non Traditional Student Application)

One-year scholarships, in an amount to be determined on an annual basis by the Fund Trustees, will be awarded under the following guidelines:

ELIGIBILITY

1. Available to active members receiving service from Farmers' Electric Cooperative, Inc., of New Mexico and their dependants.
2. Scholarships to be granted to attend an accredited vocational school, technical school, college, or university, hereafter referred to as the "institution."
3. Applicant must maintain at least a 2.5 grade point average on a 4.0 point scale and be considered by the registrar to be a full-time student in good standing, (minimum of 12 credit hours).
4. Applicant must be of good character as evidenced by a minimum of two (2) letters of recommendation of which at least one (1) must be from a teacher, principal, counselor, etc., from the institution they are currently attending.
5. Applicant must demonstrate a coherent degree plan and willingness to pursue a course of higher learning.
6. Economic need of the applicant will be given secondary consideration.
7. It is intended these scholarships not be awarded to students ranked number one in their graduating class, but extenuating circumstances may be grounds for consideration.
8. Applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m., February 1, 2018. Awards will be announced within (60) days of this date.

Scholarships will be paid in-full upon Farmers' Electric receiving written proof of registration from the institution that the recipient will be attending.

These are one-year scholarships. ***Persons who wish to receive a future scholarship must re-apply each year.*** Scholarships will be awarded on the criteria set forth above.

Send applications to:

Farmers' Electric Education Foundation
PO Box 550
Clovis NM 88102-0550

Scholarship Applicant:

The attached form applies to graduating high school seniors or returning college or non-traditional student applicants. Please follow these instructions to ensure that your application is complete and eligible for consideration.

1. Answer **all** questions and provide **all** information requested on this form. (ACT and school ranking apply to high school applicants only.)
2. Sign and date your application.
3. Have a parent or guardian sign the application (if applicable).
4. Take your completed and signed application form to your school's (high school only) administrative office so that the information from your school records can be included on page 2 of the application form.
5. A copy of your "**official**" transcripts must be attached or forwarded to Farmers' Electric. (College students send transcripts of the courses taken at college).
6. Have two letters of reference attached or forwarded to Farmers' Electric. One must be from a teacher, counselor or principal.
7. **All information related to your application must be received by Farmers' Electric no later than February 1, 2018. No applications received after that date will be considered for a scholarship. Any application that is incomplete will not be considered for a scholarship.**

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Name: _____ Social Security Number: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____
(street / box) (city, state / zip)

If a dependant:

Father's Name: _____ Occupation: _____

Mother's Name: _____ Occupation: _____

Father's Employer: _____ Mother's Employer: _____

Number of dependent children (including applicant) in family: _____

Number of immediate family (including applicant) attending college: _____

If a non-dependant:

Spouse's Name: _____ Occupation: _____

Spouse's Employer: _____

Number of children living at home: _____

Number of immediate family (including applicant) attending college: _____

All:

What institution do you plan on attending? _____

In what field is your major? _____ minor? _____

Estimated college expenses for a year: _____

Give the account number and location where you or your parents are currently receiving electric service from Farmers' Electric Cooperative:

Academic Honors: _____

Social Clubs and Activities: _____

Community Clubs, etc.: _____

Work Experience: (List type, length of time, and employer): _____

In the space below, (*in your own handwriting*), tell us a little about your future plans and how this scholarship might aid you.

In applying for this scholarship, I am aware that I must maintain above average grades (at least a 2.5 on a 4.0 scale).

I agree to permit the review of this application and my school records by anyone representing the scholarship donors.

IMPORTANT. . . . THIS APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN FEBRUARY 1 in order for you to be considered for a scholarship.

_____ Date _____
Signature of Applicant

Signature of Parent or Guardian (If applicable)

TRANSCRIPT(S) ATTACHED _____ YES _____ NO