



Maryland Agricultural Education Foundation, Inc. 2020 Academic Scholarship Application

Scholarship Information:

The Maryland Agricultural Education Foundation, Inc. academic scholarship is **open to rising junior or senior undergraduate or graduate students enrolled in majors leading to careers in agricultural education or Extension education**. Applications will be reviewed by the MAEF secondary education committee. All applicants will be notified of the results by the end of April. Financial scholarship awards will be sent directly to the educational institutions for deposit in student accounts. Scholarships are nonrenewable. Previous recipients may reapply in consecutive years.

The following documents must be **postmarked no later than April 1, 2020**, to be eligible for scholarship consideration:

- 1) Completed scholarship form and resume with required signatures, and 2) college transcript(s).

Mail application documents to: **Maryland Agricultural Education Foundation, Inc.**

ATTN: Scholarship Committee

P.O. Box 536

Havre de Grace, MD 21078

Applicant Information:

First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____

Home Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

County: _____ US Citizen (Y/N): _____ Email Address: _____

Student Certification and Goals:

1. In the fall of 2020, I will be a: _____ Full-time Student _____ Part-time Student

2. I will be a: _____ Junior _____ Senior _____ Graduate student

3. My major is: _____

Academic Information:

Attach most recent official college transcript(s) to application.

College Attended: _____ Year of Graduation: _____ School Phone #: _____

School Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Cumulative weighted GPA: _____ Cumulative unweighted GPA: _____

Financial Consideration:

1. Estimated yearly educational expenses (including housing, tuition, books, etc.): \$_____
2. Check which applies: _____ I am a dependent on my parent/guardian tax return _____ I am independent
3. Number of family members in household including myself: _____
4. Number of family members attending college including myself: _____
5. Please explain reasons for requesting financial support: (100-word count maximum)

Leadership and Community Service:

Include in resume.

Background, Experience, & Career Goals Narrative:

In the space provided, explain why you should receive a scholarship. (300-word count maximum)

Other Information (Optional):

Guardian 1 Name (First and Last): _____

Guardian 2 Name (First and Last): _____

Local Newspaper Name: _____

Newspaper Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Acknowledgement:

1. I hereby certify that the information provided on this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. Additionally, MAEF has my permission to use my name for scholarship award announcements and promotions.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Checklist:

Use the following checklist to ensure that your application is complete and to avoid disqualification:

- _____ Postmarked by _____
- _____ All required signatures are acquired
- _____ Transcript is attached or being forwarded

*Direct questions regarding the scholarship application process to Susanne Zilberfarb at szilberfarb@maefonline.com