



# Seibel Scholarship Guidelines

## **Purpose**

To assist those students requiring financial support who are pursuing a career in agriculture.

## **Scholarship Award**

- One or more \$1,000 awards annually
- May be awarded more than once to same individual
- Application reviews and awards made by the MAEF Secondary Education Committee

## **Selection Criteria**

### **Residency**

Applicant must be a resident of the State of Maryland

### **Qualifying Institutions**

- Institute of Applied Agriculture (1st Preference)
- University of Maryland (2nd Preference)
- Other, in or out of state, institutions offering an accredited Agriculture program.

### **Award Priority – Eligible Agricultural Paths of Study**

- Two-year certificate program (1st Preference)
- Four-year undergraduate program with interest in teaching
- Graduate Student

<b>Selection Criteria</b>	<b>Points</b>
<b>Documented Financial Need</b>	40
<b>Academic Record</b>	20
<b>Demonstrated Leadership &amp; Community Service</b>	20
<b>Agricultural Interest, Experiences, &amp;Goals</b>	20
<b>Total:</b>	100

Note: General guidelines and selection criteria may be modified by the MAEF Secondary Education Committee as deemed necessary to meet changing education program goals.