Minnesota Farm Bureau Foundation
Al Christopherson Scholarship Guidelines

The Minnesota Farm Bureau Foundation Al Christopherson Scholarship is available on www.fbmn.org.

Who is eligible?
- Any person who is a Farm Bureau member or qualifies under their family's membership.
- Who is enrolled in an accredited school and is going into their junior or senior year of college, last year of area vocational technical institute or graduate work.
- Enrolled in agriculture, conservation or forestry.

How much is the award? In celebration of Minnesota Farm Bureau’s Centennial year, four $1,000 scholarships will be awarded in 2019.

How they are awarded:
- Based on scholarship, leadership and agricultural interest
- Creative Essay, limited to no more than 500 words, describing the applicant's interest in agriculture

Contributions: Contributions are tax deductible. A unique way to help finance a college education for a deserving young person and a way of insuring leadership for the future of agriculture.

Applications must be received by September 30. Applications are enclosed.

Mail to: Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation,
Attn: Al Christopherson Scholarship
PO Box 64370
St. Paul, MN 55164

Scholarships will be awarded at the MFBF Annual Meeting in November.
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Name: ________________________________________________________________

School Address: ____________________________ City: ____________ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Address: ____________________________ City: ____________ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: ___________________________________________ Home Phone: _______________________

County you are a Farm Bureau member in: ____________________________________________  (Parents Name)

School you are attending: ____________________________ Major: _______________________

Year in School: ________________________

List campus activities in which you have taken part:

Describe your involvement with 4-H, FFA, FCCLA, community, church or other organizations (please list and describe each below, attach additional sheets if needed):

Have you worked to finance your education? (Please explain below.)

(Over)
Include the following in your scholarship package.
(Application must be received by September 30 at the address listed below.)

1. Creative essay (up to 500 words) describing your interest in an agriculturally related field.

2. Transcript of the applicant’s grades from college or technical college.

3. Wallet size glossy photograph of the applicant.

4. Three (3) letters of reference.
   (A) Personal letter from a Farm Bureau member.
   (B) Scholastic letter.
   (C) Employment or organization letter.

Mail all material prior to **September 30** deadline to:

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Any questions regarding this program should be directed to the MFBF state office at 651-768-2115.
Electronic application available online at [www.fbmn.org](http://www.fbmn.org) under Foundation.