

**DETAILS OF THE LANCASTER COUNTY FARM AND HOME FOUNDATION  
SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS – 2025**

A. Lancaster County Farm & Home Foundation Scholarships will support Lancaster County students pursuing post-secondary agriculture and family consumer science education to prepare students for successful careers and a lifetime of informed choices in the global agriculture, food, fiber, natural and renewable resources systems. As defined by The National FFA Organization, “Agricultural education is a systematic program of instruction available to students desiring to learn about the science, business, and technology of plant and animal production and/or about the environmental and natural resources systems.” Participation in the FFA Organization is not a requirement to be eligible for the scholarship.

B. Amount and Details of Each Scholarship Award:

1. Each scholarship award will be in the amount of \$1,500.00 per year renewable for up to four years. The scholarship will be payable jointly through the university, college or other accredited institute of higher learning, in equal installments at the beginning of each semester. In order to be renewed, the recipients must continue to major in an agriculture related field as referenced in Section A and maintain a grade point average of 3.0 or better. A student who maintains eligibility, but completes a degree in less than 8 semesters is not guaranteed the maximum \$6,000.00.
2. This scholarship award may be used to help defray tuition, fees, or room and board expenses at any accredited institute of higher learning which offers courses of study in agriculture-related education as referenced in Section A.

C. Applicant Eligibility Requirements:

1. Senior students in public, non-public, homeschool, and cyber high schools in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, who are also residents of Lancaster County or Lancaster County residents who have completed high school training and beginning their post-secondary education by December 1<sup>st</sup> of the application year are eligible.
2. Applicants must meet scholastic and other entrance requirements for an accredited program in either Agriculture or Family and Consumer Science at an accredited college, university, or other accredited institutes of higher education.
3. Family members of Scholarship Committee members on the Farm and Home Foundation’s Board of Directors are not eligible.

D. Basis of Selection:

1. Applicants must complete and submit the attached application form, along with a transcript of their high school scholastic records on or before 5:00 p.m. on **Wednesday, April 9, 2025** to:

Farm and Home Foundation  
1383 Arcadia Road  
Lancaster, PA 17601-3149

2. Applicants must obtain a statement from their Guidance Counselor or their High School Principal, regarding their leadership ability, and character and have it **mailed or emailed under separate cover** to the Farm and Home Foundation, by the same deadline as listed above.
3. Selection of winners will be based upon scholastic achievement, and leadership ability and agriculture-related activities, and financial need. Selections to be made by the Board of Directors of the Lancaster County Farm and Home Foundation, based upon the screening, evaluation, and recommendations of the Scholarship Committee.
4. Finalists will be invited for an interview before the Foundation Scholarship Committee and Board of Directors on **Tuesday, May 6, 2025**.
5. Winners will be notified and a public announcement made by **Wednesday, May 7, 2025**.

If you have any questions, please contact Deanna at 717-392-4911 or [farmandhomecenter@gmail.com](mailto:farmandhomecenter@gmail.com).

## Application for 2025

### LANCASTER COUNTY FARM AND HOME FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

(This application must be completed and forwarded to Farm and Home Foundation Scholarship Committee, 1383 Arcadia Road, Lancaster, PA 17601-3149 by **no later than 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 9, 2025**). Under separate cover, a statement on leadership and character to be forwarded by Guidance Counselor or High School Principal to the Farm and Home Foundation. Attach to application, the applicant's high school transcript, including test results, class standing, etc.

**(It is the applicant's responsibility to submit a complete application by the deadline)  
(Incomplete applications will not be considered)**

#### PERSONAL DATA:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent(s)/Guardian(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

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Number of siblings \_\_\_\_\_ Ages \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate related area of interest: Agriculture \_\_\_\_\_ Family/Consumer Science \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn of the FH Scholarship? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you related to past FH Scholarship recipients? \_\_\_\_\_ Who/Award Year? \_\_\_\_\_

#### SCHOLASTIC RECORD:

High School attended \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Number in class \_\_\_\_\_ Present rank in class \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_

Total SAT Score: \_\_\_\_\_ Verbal: \_\_\_\_\_ Math: \_\_\_\_\_ Writing: \_\_\_\_\_ G.P.A. \_\_\_\_\_

Name of educational institution you plan to attend \_\_\_\_\_

Planned major \_\_\_\_\_ Planned start date of postsecondary education? \_\_\_\_\_



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**REMARKS:**

A statement of approximately 50 words outlining why you have selected this subject as your major field of study.

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**What led you to choose this educational institution:**

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Additional information which will help in evaluating your application:

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Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's/Guardian's Signature \_\_\_\_\_