



Application for Scholarship

Deadline for submission: **April 1, 2026**

Typed or written accepted

Personal Information

First Name

Middle Initial

Last Name

Male ☐ Female ☐

Address

City

State

Zip Code

Date of Birth

Phone

Email

Please attach a digital copy of your school or senior portrait.

If you are a recipient, this photo will be used for publicity purposes.

Name of High School:

Father's/Guardian's Name

Mother's/Guardian's Name

Father's/Guardian's Occupation

Mother's/Guardian's Occupation

Do you have siblings in college? Yes ☐ No ☐

Education & Activities

Briefly summarize your school, church, and community activities. List organizations of which you are a member and offices you have held:

List any honors or awards you have received:

Education & Activities

List both **paid** and **volunteer** work experience and job duties you have performed:

Paid

Volunteer

Briefly describe your involvement in agriculture, or your plan to be involved in agriculture:

(Please leave blank if neither apply)

Briefly explain why you should be considered for the PCA Scholarship:

College you plan to attend: _____

Intended major and/or career goal: _____

Estimated expenses for the school year:

(What your first year of college will cost without aid or scholarships)

Estimated resources for the school year:

(What you plan to be able to pay)

Do you anticipate receiving any scholarships, awards, or financial aid? Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, specify: _____

Indicate what you have done in planning ahead to meet your anticipated college expenses:

The Applicant herewith consents that the Scholarship Selection Committee be fully informed as to the Applicant's scholastic standing, character, and other factors having a bearing on this application.

Signature of Applicant: _____

(Please use an e-signature or physically sign)

Please present this section to your counselor for certification and submission

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INFORMATION TO BE SUPPLIED BY COUNSELOR:

This is to certify that the above Applicant is ranked _____ in a class of _____ seniors.

The Applicant's ACT score (if available): _____

The scholarship Selection Committee would appreciate a brief statement concerning your evaluation of this applicant's citizenship and worthiness for scholarship consideration.

Date & time of awards ceremony:

Location of awards ceremony:

Counselor's Name:

Counselor's Signature

Please ensure this application is returned to your school counselor to be submitted by the deadline. **Applications submitted after April 1, 2026 will not be considered.**



Producers Cooperative Association Scholarship Information

Ten Producers Cooperative Association scholarships are offered to high school seniors from the communities within the PCA trade territory.

The amount of the scholarship is \$500 per year. The scholarship is renewable for 3 additional years upon annual proof of enrollment and maintaining a 3.0 grade point average. The total value of this scholarship is \$2,000.00

High school seniors can apply for the scholarship by obtaining an application from their high school counselor and complete by the deadline. **The completed application must be returned to the counselor's office by April 1, 2026.**

The scholarship winner is selected by a local committee. In making its selection, the committee considers:

- The applicant's interest in furthering his/her education by engaging in studies relating to agriculture or fields that benefit rural life.
- The applicant's participation and leadership in school, church and community activities
- The applicant's reputation for good citizenship and good moral character
- The applicant's financial need, sources of income and willingness to work
- The applicant's satisfactory academic progress

The winner is announced at either the awards assembly or graduation ceremony, and the winner receives a certificate that acknowledges their accomplishments. The scholarship may be used at any accredited college or university to pursue an agriculture related course of study.

The scholarship amount will be paid directly to the student, at the start of each year. The scholarship may be used for the payment of tuition, fees, books, supplies, and equipment required for their educational courses. Recipients must be enrolled in school as a full-time student and present verification to Producers Cooperative Association to receive payment each year.