



## 2017 America's Farmers Grow Ag Leaders Scholarships

America's Farmers Grow Ag Leaders, sponsored by the Monsanto Fund, is giving students pursuing ag-related degrees the chance to earn a \$1,500 college scholarship. Grow Ag Leaders scholarships are administered by the National FFA Organization as part of the National FFA Scholarship Program.

### STUDENTS:

All students must have an FFA.org account to access the application. Students must also meet general eligibility\* to apply online at [FFA.org/scholarships](http://FFA.org/scholarships). \*General eligibility requirements are located at [FFA.org/scholarships](http://FFA.org/scholarships) – **Frequently Asked Questions**.

- Eligibility for America's Farmers Grow Ag Leaders scholarships:
  - Students must:
    - Be high school seniors or enrolled in college.
    - Plan to pursue a degree or certification in specific areas of agriculture or chemical/electrical/mechanical engineering (a *complete list of majors is available in the [America's Farmers Grow Ag Leaders Program Overview](#) or at [GrowAgLeaders.com](http://GrowAgLeaders.com)*).
    - Live in a specific state/county (a *complete list of majors is available in the [America's Farmers Grow Ag Leaders Program Overview](#) or at [GrowAgLeaders.com](http://GrowAgLeaders.com)*).
    - Have a minimum 2.5 GPA on a 4.0 scale.
    - Obtain two farmer endorsements – visit [GrowAgLeaders.com](http://GrowAgLeaders.com) for the complete requirements.
  - Students do **not** have to be FFA members to apply.
  - Students do not have to live in the same county as the endorsing farmer.

**Students will be given a unique application ID number when starting an application. Provide endorsing farmers with the application ID number and the web address ([FFA.org/scholarships](http://FFA.org/scholarships)) to access the America's Farmers Grow Ag Leaders Endorsement Site.**

Already have an account on FFA.org?  
Sign in to begin the application process.

No account? No problem!  
FFA members – Ask your advisor for your **Invite Code** or **FFA ID**.  
Nonmembers – Create a Community account through FFA.org.

(Employees or family members of employees of Monsanto Company, seed dealers and their affiliates are not eligible. See [GrowAgLeaders.com](http://GrowAgLeaders.com) for additional details.)

### Deadlines:

**Online applications must be submitted prior to 5 p.m. EST on Feb. 1, 2017.**  
**Farmer endorsements must be submitted prior to 5 p.m. EST on Feb. 1, 2017.**  
**Required Signature Page must be mailed postmarked no later than Feb. 8, 2017.**