

**GUIDELINES FOR SOUTH FOUNTAIN PIONEERS SCHOLARSHIP**  
**(Young Farmers Organization)**

**ELIGIBILITY**

1. Graduates of Fountain Central High School, Covington High School and Attica High School are eligible (male or female).
2. Applicants must plan on a course of study resulting in a major in Agriculture or Ag related field.
3. Applicants planning a 4-year course of study or other post-secondary education (vocational school) will be considered.

**AWARDS**

1. There will be a monetary amount awarded annually. This amount will be told when award is received.
2. The award may be distributed as follows:
  - A. The full amount may be awarded to one (1) student.
  - B. Or the amount may be divided between two (2) or more deserving students.
3. The final number of recipients and the amounts of awards will be at the discretion of the scholarship committee.

**CRITERIA FOR JUDGING THE APPLICANTS**

1. Scholarship
2. Leadership
3. Character and Responsibility
4. Financial Need

**OTHER GUIDELINES**

1. This scholarship is not limited to graduating high school seniors, but they will always be considered before other applicants.
2. This scholarship is non-renewable unless there are no qualifying applicants in the succeeding year, in which event, a student can apply to have the scholarship renewed.
3. Applications are available at the school Guidance Office.
4. An application deadline (to Guidance Office) is April 1.
5. Awards will be made at the annual Senior Awards Night.
6. Awards will be made directly to the student/institution.
7. The scholarship committee will be composed of members of the South Fountain Pioneers Organization. The scholarship committee will have the final decision on all matters concerning the scholarship program.

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Type or print application.
2. Include the following with your application:
  - Transcript of courses and grades
  - Recommendation from two (2) references listed below (besides family).
  - An explanation (no more than one (1) typewritten page) of why you have chosen to major in agriculture or ag-related field and how you intend to use your education in the future. Explain your financial need and why you feel you would be a good candidate for this scholarship.
3. APPLICATION DEADLINE (To the Guidance Office): APRIL 1

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name (s) \_\_\_\_\_

High School Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Attach a list of major high school accomplishments and activities (examples: clubs, offices held in school, outside of school achievements); list years involved in each activity; list work experiences.

College or other post-secondary school choice: \_\_\_\_\_

Major Area of Study: \_\_\_\_\_ Have you been accepted? \_\_\_\_\_

List two (2) references; one (1) teacher, one (1) other:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent

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Signature of Counselor or School Administrator to verify grades