

Michael R. Mettler Memorial Scholarship

The Kern County Farm Bureau is pleased to sponsor the Michael R. Mettler Memorial Scholarship. This Scholarship will be presented to high school seniors or college freshmen, sophomores or juniors who plan to study or are currently pursuing an agriculture related major.

Students majoring in veterinary studies will only be considered if their concentration is in large animal husbandry.

Enclosed is the 2023-2024 Scholarship Application. Applications are also available on the Kern Agriculture Foundation website under the Scholarships tab.

<https://www.kernagfoundation.com/scholarships.htm>

Scholarship winners will be announced in late April and payments will begin once enrollment is confirmed.

Please refer to the application for other details. Questions should be directed to the Kern County Farm Bureau office at (661) 397-9635.

Deadline for submission is Friday March 31, 2023.

KCFB thanks you for assisting in disseminating this information to those students interested in pursuing an education in agriculture!

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Application for Academic Year 2023-2024

Those eligible to apply must be a graduating senior in high school or a college student with a major field of study in an agriculture related area. Students majoring in veterinary studies will only be considered if their concentration is in large animal husbandry.

High School transcripts to date and college records, if already attending college, must be submitted with this application.

The number of recipients and amounts awarded will be determined by the Kern County Farm Bureau Scholarship Committee based on the quality and quantity of the applicants.

Applications must be postmarked by Friday March 31, 2023.

Applications can also be emailed and must be sent by 5:00 pm on Friday March 31, 2023.

Please mail or e-mail to the address below:

Attn: Scholarship Committee
Kern County Farm Bureau
1800 30th St., Suite 390
Bakersfield, CA 93301
kcfb@kerncfb.com

1) **Full Name:**

First, Middle, Last

2) **Home Address:**

Street or Box/Route

City State Zip

3) **Date of Birth:**

Month/Day/Year

4) **Father's Full Name:**

Mother's Full Name:

5) **Father's Occupation:**

Mother's Occupation:

6) **Name of Guardian:**

(If different from parent)

7) **Please list 3 personal or academic references the scholarship committee can contact if needed.**

Name

Relationship

Phone Number

1)

2)

3)

8) **Are you or your Parents**

Farm Bureau Members? _____

Member number: _____

9) Please list previous and current high schools and colleges you have attended with dates of attendance and graduation dates (past or expected)

10) What academic or citizenship honors have you received? (Attach additional sheet if needed)

11) What school offices have you held?

12) What extracurricular activities have you participated in? (Attach additional sheet if necessary)

13) Have you ever held a job in the agriculture industry? If so, please explain.

14) How did you find out about this scholarship?

15) Which college do you plan to attend or are currently attending?

16) What is your actual or expected start date at the college?

17) What is your expected college major?

18) What occupation do you plan to pursue?

19) Please list any other scholarships that you have benefitted from or will be receiving in the next academic year?

20) Do you plan to work during college?

21) Please write a short biography including details about your financial circumstances, why you chose an agricultural field of study and your future plans. (Attach additional sheets if necessary)