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**2011 NEW YORK FARM BUREAU**  
**AGRICULTURAL YOUTH SCHOLARSHIPS**  
**\$1,500 + \$1,200 + \$1,000**

[www.nyfb.org](http://www.nyfb.org) and scroll down for "Farm Essentials"\* 1-800-342-4143

● **Criteria**

1. 2011 graduating High School Seniors who will continue their education to prepare for a career in some way connected to the diverse agricultural industry.
2. Live or work on a farm or be involved with agriculture via any avenue.
3. Family Farm Bureau membership or Student Farm Bureau membership is required.

● **Process and Procedure**

1. Applications available on-line at [www.nyfb.org](http://www.nyfb.org) and scroll down to "Farm Essentials" to locate the Scholarship Application and information, or requested by calling 1-800-342-4143.
2. Completed application packets will be returned to New York Farm Bureau (NYFB) in Albany.  
**Deadline of November 19, 2010 postmark.**
3. A District level competition will be held. Scoring will determine the County winners as well as the District winner. The judging event may necessitate a personal interview and essay presentation or may be based solely upon the application and attachments. The judging will take place prior to January 20, 2011.
4. The County winner (to receive their county's usual award) will be the individual with the highest scoring from each particular group of county applicants. The overall highest score of all the candidates will be the District winner.
5. \*\*The District winners will be judged based upon the application and attachments. After selection as a District Winner, the student will have two weeks in which to update any part of the application submitted. The final application **MUST BE** postmarked by two weeks from date of selection or the student will not be eligible. Each District Winner will receive \$100 plus a memento of their selection.
6. The application may be reproduced. No hand written applications will be accepted.
7. **\*\*State winner selection will be made based solely on the submitted application, no personal interviews will be held.**
8. **\*\*The three Scholarship Winners will be our guests at a Farm Bureau event.**