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An educational grant of \$2,500 is awarded annually to a female non-traditional student who is interested in resuming her education after leaving school to fulfill either family or work-related responsibilities.

## Funding for the Kentucky Farm Bureau Women's Educational Grant

Monies for this educational grant have been raised through the leadership of the Kentucky Farm Bureau State Women's Advisory Committee. County women's committees throughout Kentucky, with the support of their county boards, help fund this grant by participating in a live auction held triennially at the state Women's Leadership Conference. The Kentucky Farm Bureau Education Foundation will administer the grant. One grant of \$2,500 will be awarded annually to a qualified female recipient.

## Eligibility and Guidelines

- Applicant must be a female non-traditional student who is interested in resuming her education after leaving school (either secondary or post-secondary) to fulfill either family or work-related responsibilities.
- Applicant must be a member of Kentucky Farm Bureau and remain such while the grant is in force. (*Note: Applicant must be a member at least one year prior to applying for the grant.*)
- Applicant must be a resident of Kentucky.
- Applicant must be a high school graduate (GED is acceptable).
- Applicant must submit the completed application, along with a high school and/or college transcript.
- Applicant must write an essay, to be submitted with the application, describing career and educational goals, impact of the grant, community activities and work experience.
- Applicant must provide two names of Farm Bureau members who would be willing to recommend them for this grant.
- The following are not eligible to apply for this grant: Kentucky Farm Bureau agency managers, agents, district and state Farm Bureau employees, members of the Kentucky Farm Bureau Board of Directors, State Young Farmer and Women's Advisory Committees. Immediate family members of these individuals are also not eligible.
- After a recipient accepts the award, dropping out of school, except for serious illness or injury, may cause the recipient to lose the award. The recipient must also maintain at least a "C" average to keep the grant. The Kentucky Farm Bureau Education Foundation must receive bi-annual reports of recipient's current course work, academic standing, progress toward degree or certificate completion, use of grant monies and status.
- The grant will be paid in full Fall Semester of 2026. Grant monies may be applied to registration, tuition, books and fee expenses and will be sent to the recipient's educational institution upon proof of enrollment.

## Application Deadline

**Application must be postmarked by February 28, 2026.** Please review the application carefully to ensure all requested information has been provided. Application may be typed or handwritten and sent to:

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