# MTSU School of Agribusiness and Agriscience Scholarships for Sophomores, Juniors & Seniors

Applications for scholarships are due by March 1 each year, evaluated by a group of faculty, and recipients are announced at the Agricultural Awards Banquet, normally held in April. Monetary awards are available during registration of the following fall semester, and the amount of the award is dependent upon funds available from endowment. Half of the award amount will be applied to the fall tuition, and the other half applied to spring tuition. Scholarship applicants should have completed at least one semester of college or university study and plan to continue the following fall semester. Specific scholarships available include the following:

## **Adams Family Foundation Scholarship**

Scholarship award is \$2,000.00 or more, depending on annual MTSU Foundation allocation. Multiple awards may be offered.

#### Requirements:

- 1. Full-time ABAS major.
- 2. Minimum grade point average of 2.8 or above.
- 3. Resident of middle Tennessee, preferably from Rutherford and/or Cannon Counties.
- 4. Consideration will also be given to academic performance, extracurricular activities and economic need.

# **Agriculture Endowment Scholarship**

Amount dependent upon current yearly Foundation allocation.

#### Requirements:

- 1. Full-time ABAS major.
- 2. Minimum grade point average of 2.8 or above.
- 3. Sophomore, junior or senior.
- 4. Consideration will also be given to academic performance, extracurricular activities and economic need.

## Alexander, Robert, Memorial Scholarship

Scholarship award is approximately \$500.00, depending upon yearly Foundation allocation.

#### Requirements:

- 1. Full-time ABAS major.
- 2. Minimum grade point average of 2.8 or above.
- 3. Sophomore, junior or senior.
- 4. Consideration will also be given to academic performance, extracurricular activities and economic need.

# Bigger, Theodore C., Scholarship

Scholarship award is approximately \$800.00, depending upon yearly Foundation allocation. *Requirements:* 

- 1. Full-time ABAS major. Preferably a Plant Science Major.
- 2. Minimum grade point average of 3.0 or above.
- 3. Preferably a sophomore.
- 4. Consideration will also be given to academic performance, extracurricular activities and economic need.

#### **Billie and Burton Towry Endowed Scholarship**

Scholarship award is approximately \$1,000.00, depending upon yearly Foundation allocation. *Requirements:* 

- 1. Have declared or expressed intent to declare a major in Agribusiness / Agriscience
- 2. Minimum grade point average of 2.75.
- 3. Have graduated from Blanche High School or Fayetteville-Lincoln County Central High School in Lincoln County, Tennessee.
- 4. Show demonstrated financial need as determined by the Office of Financial Aid.

# Burrum, Hugh H., Memorial Scholarship

Scholarship award is \$1,000.00, depending upon yearly Foundation allocation.

#### Requirements:

- 5. Full-time ABAS major.
- 6. Minimum grade point average of 2.8 or above.
- 7. Sophomore or Junior as of the next fall semester.
- 8. Consideration will also be given to academic performance, extracurricular activities and economic need.

# Dement, Joe Jack and Jerry, Endowed Scholarship

Scholarship award is approximately \$700, depending upon yearly Foundation allocation.

#### Requirements:

- Preference given to incoming freshman ABAS major with ACT of 22 and High School GPA of 2.8
- 2. OR a full-time ABAS major with minimum GPA of 3.0.
- 3. Consideration will also be given to academic performance, extracurricular activities and economic need.

## Ellington, Catherine, Scholarship

Scholarship award is approximately \$500.00, depending upon yearly Foundation allocation.

#### **Requirements:**

- 1. Full-time ABAS major.
- 2. Minimum grade point average of 2.8 or above.
- 3. Resident of middle Tennessee, preferably from Marshall County or surrounding Rutherford County.
- 4. Consideration will also be given to academic performance, extracurricular activities and economic need.

## Foutch, Dr. Harley W, Endowed Scholarship

Scholarship award is approximately \$1000, depending upon yearly Foundation allocation. *Requirements:* 

- 1. Have declared a major in Plant & Soil Science.
- 2. Be of junior or senior academic status.
- 3. Have an overall minimum GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- 4. Financial need, in the broadest sense, may be considered.

## Garrigus, Dr. Robert R (Bob), Endowed Scholarship

Scholarship award is approximately \$1200.00, depending upon yearly Foundation allocation. *Requirements:* 

- 1. Primary purpose is to provide scholarships for students interested in participating in the livestock judging team.
- 2. Number and amount awarded is to be determined by scholarship committee.
- 3. Each recipient shall be recommended by the coach(es) of the livestock judging team contingent upon review and approval of the student's eligibility by the School of Agribusiness and Agriscience Scholarship Committee.
- 4. Preference in consideration for this scholarship shall go to a student who has achieved sophomore or junior status, has expressed an interest in, and is academically eligible to participate on the MTSU Livestock Judging team.
- 5. Should there be no eligible applicants or unused funds remain, excess funds may be used to support the activities of the MTSU Livestock Judging team, including travel expenses.

# Hayden, Stifanina Tamburo, Memorial Quasi Endowment Scholarship

Scholarship award is approximately \$1000.00, depending upon yearly Foundation allocation. *Requirements:* 

- 1. Full-time ABAS major.
- 2. Minimum grade point average of 2.8 or above.
- 3. Sophomore, junior or senior.
- 4. Consideration will also be given to academic performance, extracurricular activities and economic need.

# **Heritage Farm Scholarship**

Scholarship award is approximately \$750.00, depending upon yearly Foundation allocation. *Requirements:* 

- 1. Full-time ABAS major, with major interest in dairy industry (career in production, processing, or marketing).
- 2. Minimum grade point average of 2.8 or above.
- 3. Preferably a Junior or Senior.
- 4. Consideration will also be given to academic performance, extracurricular activities and economic need.

## Jarrell, Robert Kelly, Memorial Scholarship

Scholarship award is approximately \$500.00, depending upon yearly Foundation allocation.

#### Requirements:

- 1. Full-time ABAS major.
- 2. Minimum grade point average of 2.8 or above.
- 3. Sophomore, junior or senior.
- 4. Preference given to a student with interest/involvement in the beef cattle industry.
- 5. Consideration will also be given to academic performance, extracurricular activities and economic need.

## Moskovitz, Mark Allen, Scholarship

Scholarship award is approximately \$500.00, depending upon yearly Foundation allocation.

#### Requirements:

- 1. Full-time ABAS major.
- 2. Minimum grade point average of 2.8 or above.
- 3. Sophomore, Junior or Senior; preferably in Horse Science program.
- 4. Consideration will also be given to academic performance, extracurricular activities and economic need.

## Nickle, Fowler and Ruth, Scholarship

Scholarship award is approximately \$500.00, depending upon yearly Foundation allocation.

#### Requirements:

- 1. Full-time ABAS major.
- 2. Minimum grade point average of 2.8 or above.
- 3. Sophomore, Junior or Senior.
- 4. Consideration will also be given to academic performance, extracurricular activities and economic need.

#### Rowlett, Thomas Franklin, Memorial Scholarship

Scholarship award is approximately \$400.00, depending upon yearly Foundation allocation.

#### Requirements:

- 1. Full-time ABAS student majoring in Animal Science, Plant and Soil Science or Pre-Vet.
- 2. Minimum grade point average of 2.5 or above.
- 3. Junior or Senior.
- 4. Recipient should be a native of Rutherford County. In the event no native Rutherford County student is qualified/applying, a student from a surrounding county could be eligible.
- 5. Consideration will also be given to academic performance, extracurricular activities and economic need.
- 6. Criteria for award include 1/3 scholarship, 1/3 participation in departmental activities, and 1/3 on interest and involvement in livestock industry.

## **Tennessee Council of Cooperatives Scholarship**

Scholarship award is \$1000.00.

#### **Requirements:**

- 1. Full-time ABAS major.
- 2. Minimum grade point average of 3.0 or above.
- 3. Junior.
- 4. Resident of Tennessee.
- 5. Student or parent must be a member of a cooperative.
- 6. Consideration will also be given to academic performance, extracurricular activities and economic need.

## **Tennessee Farmers Co-op Annual Scholarship**

Scholarship award is \$2,000.00 (5 available).

#### Requirements:

- 1. 80% of recipients shall be a sophomore, junior, or senior.
- 2. Recipient shall be a full-time ABAS major; student will forfeit balance of scholarship if major is changed to non-agriculture subject area.
- 3. Minimum grade point average of 2.5 or above.
- 4. A recipient's family must be a member of a local member cooperative that is part of the Tennessee Farmers Cooperative system.

# Williams, Jerry Endowed Scholarship

Scholarship award will be determined based on annual allocation from the endowment. *Requirements:* 

- To be awarded to a pre-veterinary medical student who has been admitted to an accredited School of Veterinary Medicine and desires to work in an all equine practice or a large animal practice that includes horses upon graduating Veterinary School.
- 2. If no student qualifies in either of these two areas in any given year the scholarship may be awarded to the most promising student currently pursuing a graduate degree in Horse Science at MTSU. This is based on the annual needs agreed upon by faculty.
- 3. The scholarship is not renewable.