Farm Credit Associations Regions Bank 4-H Scholarship

Farm Credit Associations and Regions Bank have been very supportive of youth and their interest and education in the field of agriculture. Through the Virginia 4-H Foundation, they are happy to provide scholarships for youth to pursue their dreams of higher education.

**Deadline:**
Completed applications will be accepted by mail beginning February 1, 2019 and must be post-marked by March 1, 2019 to be considered.

**Award:**
5 (five) $1000 scholarships will be awarded for 2019.

**Instructions:**
For consideration for the Farm Credit Associations Regions Bank 4-H Scholarship you must:

1) Be a participant of Virginia 4-H.
2) Be pursuing a secondary education at Virginia Tech or another accredited educational institution, enrolled or to be enrolled.
3) Preference given to 4-H members who are also enrolled in FFA and/or have competed in Virginia State Fair competitions.
4) Attach a type written essay up to 500 words: How has your involvement in 4-H contributed to your personal growth and influenced your choice to attend VT/chosen field of study?
5) Include a letter from the 4-H agent or volunteer leader describing member's contribution to the local community and the 4-H program.
6) Complete the scholarship application and required documents then submit by mail to:
   - State 4-H Office
   - Attn: Crystal Graham
   - 104 Hutcheson Hall (MC0402)
   - Blacksburg, VA 24061
7) Scholarship recipients will be notified by April 1, 2019. Funds must be requested within two years of the award date or the award will expire.

For questions, please contact Crystal Graham at csgraham@vt.edu or 540.231.3360.
The Virginia 4-H Foundation
Farm Credit Associations Regions Bank 4-H Scholarship

Full Name _____________________________________________________________
  Last  First  Middle

Address _______________________________________________________________________

Student Home/Cell Phone #_________________________  Student Email __________________________

High School Attending in Senior Year _____________________________________________

Number of Years in 4-H __________  County/City _______________________________

Number of Years in FFA __________  County/City _______________________________

4-H Volunteer Club Leader ___________________________  Volunteer Phone #____________________

FFA Volunteer Leader ___________________________  Volunteer Phone #_____________________

Field in which you plan to major ___________________________

Will you be attending Virginia Tech?  □ yes  □ no

What other schools have you applied or been accepted:

________________________________________________________________________________________

List leadership roles, achievements, awards or special recognition.

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Please list state fair competitions which you have participated including dates:

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I acknowledge that I have reviewed the instructions, met the scholarship criteria, and am willing if requested to share my 4-H story.

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Applicant signature  Date