

New Mexico FFA Scholarship Descriptions

➤ College Scholarships

- **Pat Long Memorial Scholarship – *sponsored by Riverstar***

Donor: The Riverstar Farms Citrus Fundraising Company provides this scholarship in the memory of Mr. Pat Long, an agriculture education teacher at Dora and Gadsden High Schools

Amount Sponsored: one \$500 scholarship

Eligibility: New Mexico FFA member

- **Gary Leger Memorial Scholarship – *sponsored by Riverstar***

Donor: The Riverstar Farms Citrus Fundraising Company provides this scholarship in the memory of Mr. Gary Ledger, an agriculture education teacher at Robertson High School in Las Vegas, NM

Amount Sponsored: one \$500 scholarship

Eligibility: New Mexico FFA member

- **Fresh Country Scholarship**

Donor: Fresh Country Fund Raising Corporation is an educational fundraising company specializing in fruit, meat and various dessert products

Amount Sponsored: two \$500.00 scholarships

- **1 Sales Partner School**
- **1 Non-Sales Partner School**

- **Gene Atchley Memorial Scholarship**

Donor: This scholarship was established by the Atchley family as a means of honoring one of New Mexico's legendary agriculturists. Mr. Atchley is a lifelong rancher and owns Double A Feeders, Inc. in Clayton, New Mexico.

Amount Sponsored: one \$500 scholarship

Eligibility: Member must be seeking a career in agriculture

- **Jack Wiley Scholarship**

Donor: This scholarship honors the lifelong commitment of Mr. Jack Wiley to agriculture education and student success, both as a teacher and administrator in the state of New Mexico. His family is proud to sponsor this scholarship for an exceptional FFA member.

Amount Sponsored: one \$1000 scholarship

Eligibility: Member must be seeking a degree in an agriculture related field at NMSU

- **DJ's Fundraising Scholarship**

Donor: DJ's Fundraising is an educational fundraising company specializing in meat and dessert products

Amount Sponsored: two \$750 scholarships

Eligibility: Member must be seeking a degree in an agriculture related field

- **Mathew's Scholarship Fund**

Donor: Daniel Mathews Family – This is a Memorial scholarship honoring Daniel Mathews, a New Mexico Agriculture Education Teacher. This scholarship is to encourage students to pursue a career in Agriculture Mechanics. May be used for a trade school or college.

Amount Sponsored: one \$750 scholarship

Eligibility: New Mexico FFA member, majoring in Agriculture Mechanics/Welding

- **Doris Aldridge Memorial Scholarship**

Donor: This scholarship was established by the Ball family to honor the teaching legacy of Doris Aldridge and encourage young educators. Mrs. Aldridge taught for over 40 years and became a supporter of FFA when her grandchildren joined the organization in Moriarty, NM.

Amount Sponsored: one \$750 scholarship.

Eligibility: Member must be majoring in agriculture education, can be senior or college student

- **Bud & Laurance Daniel Memorial Scholarship**

Donor: This scholarship was established by the Daniel family to honor Bud & Laurence Daniel. This scholarship is designed to assist FFA members seeking to continue their education in an Agricultural major or Trade School. Scholarship would go to a member from Clayton FFA, if there are no eligible members from Clayton, the scholarship would then be offered to members from either Des Moines or Harding County FFA Chapters.

Amount Sponsored: one \$1500 scholarship.

Eligibility: Member must be majoring in agriculture, may be a senior or college student

- **New Mexico FFA Alumni Scholarship**

Donor: The New Mexico FFA Alumni Association takes pride in helping enhance agricultural education and the lives of FFA members

Amount Sponsored: one \$500 scholarship

Eligibility: **New Mexico FFA member**, must have a local alumni affiliate

- **New Mexico FFA Association Scholarship**

Donor: The New Mexico FFA Association was chartered in 1929, and continues to fulfill its mission of preparing today's youth for careers in tomorrow's agriculture industry

Amount Sponsored: one \$500 scholarship

Eligibility: New Mexico FFA member

- **The New Mexico Ag Education Scholarship**

Donor: The New Mexico Agricultural Education Teachers Association (NMAETA) began this scholarship program in 2007 to support New Mexico's aspiring Ag educators

Amount Sponsored: one \$500 scholarship

Eligibility: Member must be majoring in agriculture education, can be a senior or college student

➤ **Additional Scholarships**

- **State Officer Scholarship:**

Program: The State Officer Scholarship is awarded to State FFA Officers that attend NMSU main campus.

Donor: New Mexico State University

Amount Sponsored: \$500 scholarships for their Officer Year

Eligibility: New Mexico State FFA Officer

- **Washington Leadership Conference (WLC) Scholarship – sponsored by Tri-State Electric**

Program: The Washington Leadership Conference is held in our nation's capital, Washington, DC. Members learn to serve their chapters, build their communities, influence the country, and gain the confidence to one day change the world.

Amount Sponsored: two \$500 scholarships for conference expenses

Eligibility: New Mexico FFA member attending WLC

- **National Officer Candidate Scholarship**

Program: Each year the New Mexico FFA Association selects one individual to represent the state as a national officer candidate. Applicants are typically past state officers, and must submit a letter of intent by February 8th to be eligible for candidacy

Donor: The New Mexico FFA Association is proud to assist the candidate's efforts through monetary support

Amount Sponsored: one \$1,500 scholarship for education, training, and travel

Eligibility: must be officially declared New Mexico's candidate