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## Five Maryland Farm Bureau Scholarships Available

**DAVIDSONVILLE, MD (December 18, 2020)** – Maryland Farm Bureau (MDFB) is offering five \$2,000 scholarships for the 2020-2021 academic year. Applicants must be high school seniors starting college in the fall of 2021 or full-time college students at any accredited community college or four-year institution. Applicants, or their parents/guardians, must be members of Maryland Farm Bureau. Three of the scholarships will be awarded to students pursuing academic disciplines in food, agriculture, and/or natural resources. The remaining two scholarships are open to students in any academic discipline.

Scholarship recipients will be selected by a designated committee of the Maryland Farm Bureau. To apply, students must apply online via the official application website. The application includes the following essay question to be answered by each applicant:

The increasing frequency and intensity of natural disasters creates additional risk for farmers and ranchers. What tools and production practices can be engaged to reduce climate and weather risks?

Applications must be received by March 15, 2021 at 5:00 PM. For more information or to apply, visit <a href="https://www.mdfarmbureau.com/scholarships/">https://www.mdfarmbureau.com/scholarships/</a>

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Maryland Farm Bureau is a grassroots organization that serves as the united voice of Maryland farm families. Maryland Farm Bureau's organizational strength comes from the active participation of over 12,000 individual and family members who belong to the state's 23 county Farm Bureaus. Since 1915, Maryland Farm Bureau has been committed to promoting and protecting Maryland agriculture and rural life. Maryland Farm Bureau is a proud member of the American Farm Bureau Federation.