

# Robert J. Cabral Memorial Agricultural Scholarship

As a continuing memorial to Robert J. Cabral, the Cabral family has established the Robert J. Cabral Memorial Scholarship Fund with the purpose of providing aid to students who wish to pursue careers in the agriculture industry. One \$2,000.00 scholarship will be awarded annually.

Mr. Cabral was instrumental in organizing the SJFB scholarship program. Along with the active guidance and participation of the Cabral Family, the SJFB Foundation for Agricultural Education, a non-profit educational organization, now administers the scholarship.

- ♦ Who is eligible?

Any student entering or attending an accredited four-year college or university and pursuing a career in any agricultural field. *Students entering a junior college are not eligible for this scholarship.*

- ♦ How are recipients selected?

The Robert J. Cabral Memorial Agricultural Scholarship is awarded based on the student's recognized and demonstrated desire to pursue a career in the agriculture industry. Although academic performance will be considered, awards will be given to students based on career goals, their demonstrated leadership abilities, and their commitment to succeed.

- ♦ Distribution of Funds

The recipient must submit official proof of registration showing the student's full-time enrollment before funds will be disbursed. This documentation must be sent directly from the recipient's college to the SJFB Foundation for Agricultural Education office.

A scholarship check will be sent directly to the recipient's college, which may credit the recipient's account for tuition, books, laboratory fees, or other academic costs.

Recipients will be presented a certificate recognizing the award at the SJFB's 109<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting which will be held on a date to be decided. **Attendance of the 109<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting is mandatory in order to be eligible for this scholarship.**

## Application Instructions

- ♦ The legibly typed or printed complete application must be postmarked or delivered by Friday, February 24<sup>th</sup>, 2023 by 4 pm.  
Mail or Deliver to: 3290 N. Ad Art Road, Stockton, CA 95215
- ♦ Three current letters of recommendation must accompany the application.
- ♦ Official high school, junior college, or college transcripts must be included with each application.
- ♦ Where applicable, documentation of SAT and/or ACT scores must be attached.
- ♦ Applications submitted without ALL of the request documentation will not be considered in the selection process
- ♦ *Do not enclose or attach any documents other than the required attachments.*



Will you be living at home or on campus? \_\_\_\_\_

Will you work while attending college? \_\_\_\_\_

For what occupation are you preparing? \_\_\_\_\_

My class in September 2023 will be:       Freshman       Sophomore       Junior       Senior

List all extracurricular activities (school and community) you participated in during the past four years without pay, i.e. Red Cross, church, sports, volunteer work. Attach additional page, if necessary.

Activity	No. Years Participation	Special Honors/Awards
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Please list the amount and names of any grants or scholarships that you have been awarded for the coming year:

Scholarship/Grant Name	Amount
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LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION: Applicant must submit three (3) current letters of recommendation. The persons writing letters of recommendation are:

Name	Occupation
_____	_____
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APPLICANT ESSAY: Attach a one page, single-spaced essay describing the background information that has led you to pursue a career in agriculture, and what characteristics you possess that will help you achieve your goals.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_