THE DAVID SKINNER / GEORGIA DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

APPLICATION MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN THE FIRST MONDAY IN MAY EACH YEAR
Mail to : GEORGIA DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, 1890 HWY 138, MONROE, GA 30655

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PURPOSE: To recognize and assist deserving and outstanding young people who are pursuing a college degree in agriculture or a related field.

To promote leadership development within the agricultural sector.

To encourage students to appreciate the values and opportunities of rural life.

AWARD: Scholarships in the amount of $1,500.00 will be awarded annually to students enrolled in the study of Agriculture or an Agriculture related field.

ELIGIBILITY: The applicant must be a high school senior or not beyond the freshman year in college.

The applicant must have successfully passed their high school academic requirements and have college entrance exam scores qualifying their admission to an accredited Georgia college.

Applicant must be a Georgia resident and live in a rural county.

Applicant must be pursuing a degree directly related to agriculture.

REQUIREMENTS: All portions of the application must be filled out completely, clearly and honestly. All requested items must accompany the application. Any omission or misrepresentation will result in disqualification.

Each application must be accompanied by *three* letters of recommendation: 1) County Extension agent or Vocational Teacher 2)High School or College Teacher 3) Community Leader (other than a family member).

Also Provide: Official form showing College Entrance Exam scores.
High school transcript.
Copy of SAR OR copy of parents tax return (current year).
Formal high school photo.

Applicant's Name_____

Applicant's Email_____SSN_____

Mailing Address _____

(City)_____(Zip)_____

Applicant's High School_____

College Applicant Plans to Attend _____

Anticipated Agricultural Related Major _____

PARENT'S INFO:
Father's Name: _____Mother's Name_____

Father's Occupation_____Mother's Occupation_____

Work Phone_____Work Phone_____

Number of Children in home: _____ Ages: _____

A. SCORES AND STANDINGS

Indicate your scholastic standing among your classmates during the past three years

( ) Upper Third ( ) Middle Third ( ) Lower Third

Indicate average grades for the past three years:

10th_____ 11th _____ 12th _____

SAT scores: READING_____ WRITING_____MATH_____

ACT Composite Score: _____

B. MEMBERSHIP AND INVOLVEMENT

YEAR/S	SCHOOL ORGANIZATION/CLUB	POSITION (if applicable)

C. What honors or special awards did you receive in the activities or organizations listed in Section B?

D. Describe your church and/or community activities, including areas of leadership participation and your responsibilities.

E. How would being awarded this scholarship contribute to the completion of your college education?

F. Briefly describe your agricultural background.

G. Please address the points of eligibility (page 1) and explain why you are qualified to apply for this scholarship.

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H. Compose an essay outlining your *future plans as they relate to agriculture* and how you think you can *impact the future of the agricultural industry.* The essay should be at least one page, but no more than two pages, double spaced, Times New Roman or Arial font, and 11 point font size.

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SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT