2025-2026 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

FLORIDA STRAWBERRY RESEARCH & EDUCATION FOUNDATION

The application cycle is open for the 2025-2026 FSREF Scholarship Application! Scan the QR code or click the button below to submit your application.

Apply today!

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS

- ☑ High School Seniors
- ☑ Undergraduate Level
- ☑ Technical School
- ☑ Graduate Level

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📌 **Before you apply for the FSREF Scholarship, please review the following:**

1. **Eligibility:**
   You must be a **high school senior**, **technical school student**, or **college student** during the **2025–2026 school year.**
   - If you are graduating high school in Spring 2026, you must indicate **your intent to apply to or attend a college or technical school in the application.**

2. **Application Deadlines:**
   - **Online applications** must be submitted by **September 12, 2025.**
   - *Paper applications* (if using the downloadable version) must be postmarked by ***September 5, 2025*.**

3. **Before You Submit:**
   - Please read the **entire application carefully** to make sure all required items are included.
   - Applications that are **incomplete** or **submitted after the deadline** will not be considered.

⚠️ **Important:**
Applicants are eligible to receive a **maximum of two FSREF scholarships**, including any combination of a **scholarship award** and/or **ambassador nomination**, during their time of eligibility.

Student's Name:	Birth Date (MM/DD/YYYY):
Parent or Guardian Name(s):	
Mailing Address:	
Phone Number:	Email Address:

(Application continued on the next page.)

Currently Enrolled in:	☐ High School	☐ College	☐ Technical School

Name of School: _____ Expected Graduation Date: _____

Unweighted GPA: _____ Weighted GPA: _____

For High School Seniors Only – College or Technical School of Intent *(*For currently <u>enrolled college or technical school students</u>, please write N/A for this question.)*:

For College & Technical School Students Only – High School Attended and Graduation Date using MM/YYYY format *(*For currently enrolled <u>high school seniors</u>, please write N/A)*:

Current Major or Trade Certification *(*For currently enrolled <u>high school seniors</u>, please write N/A)*:

☑ **FSGA Scholarship Application – Required Attachments Checklist**

Please make sure you have the following **four items ready to upload** before submitting your application:

☐ **Resume** – Maximum of **2 pages**
☐ **Three (3) letters of recommendation** – From previous employers, teachers, or mentors
☐ **Current transcript** – High school or college, depending on your status
☐ **Recent photo of yourself**

⚠ **Important:** All four items **must be submitted together** with your application. Applications missing **any** of these — including fewer than three recommendation letters — will be considered **incomplete** and **will not be considered for the scholarship**.

I have personally prepared this application and certify it to be correct.

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Applicant Signature   **Date**