

UGA Agricultural Education Scholarship Fillable PDF Instructions

We have created a combined scholarship application for both the Cobb and Cheek Agricultural Education Scholarships. While the form is the same, the deadlines are separate. If you apply to both scholarships, you must submit this form once for each scholarship. Follow these directions to apply for each.

- 1) Download this form and save on your computer.
- 2) After saving, type your information into the fillable PDF and save.
- 3) Email to Dr. Barry Croom at dbcroom@uga.edu once you have completed your scholarship application and obtained the additional documents.

Deadlines:

- Jim Frank Cobb Scholarship: March 1
- Lt. Col. Earl Cheek Scholarship: December 1

Submit questions to:

Dr. Barry Croom

Academic Program Coordinator

dbcroom@uga.edu

Jim Frank Cobb Agricultural Education Scholarship

Scholarship Objective

To provide a scholarship that can assist students pursuing a degree in agricultural education.

Amount of the Award

The maximum award provided for one academic year will be \$500.00, provided in a single payment during the spring semester.

Application Instructions

Each applicant is responsible for all of the following materials being received by Dr. Barry Croom via email at dbcroom@uga.edu on or before the deadline of **March 1 each year**.

- Completed Application
- Letter of recommendation from a faculty member in the College/University.
- Unofficial transcript(s) of courses and grades covering all courses up to the time of applying for this scholarship.

This scholarship is a one-time, non-renewable grant. Any tax obligation arising from the award is the responsibility of the recipient. Applicants must be full-time sophomores, juniors or seniors enrolled in college. No application will be considered until all materials have been received by the Scholarship Selection Committee. No application materials post-marked after the deadline will be considered. This scholarship is awarded for the purpose of attending a specific institution to study agricultural education. This scholarship is awarded without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex or people with limited ability. All applicants must major in agricultural education. Any change in major status will result in the recipient returning these scholarship funds.

Lt. Col. Earl Cheek Agricultural Education Scholarship

Scholarship Objective

Lt. Col. Earl Cheek taught Agricultural Education in Georgia for 37 years. In 1998 he funded an endowment to the Georgia FFA Alumni Association to provide scholarships for students during apprentice teaching. Agricultural Education majors who plan to teach Agricultural Education in Georgia are eligible to apply.

Amount of the Award

Determined annually by the Scholarship Committee

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Scholarship winners are announced at the Agricultural Education Hall of Fame Ceremony in January at the State FFA-FCCLA Center at Covington.

To meet the deadline, students are responsible for the following form and additional materials being received by Dr. Barry Croom via email at dbcroom@uga.edu on or before the deadline of **December 1 each year**.

Applicants should compile the following information in a single email:

- Completed Application
- Unofficial transcript(s) of courses and grades covering all courses up to the time of applying for this scholarship.

Cobb and Cheek Scholarship Application

APPLICANT TO COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING: (Please type or print clearly and attach additional pages or information if needed.)

Personal Information:

Name: _____
(Last) (First) (MI)

School address: _____
(Name of School)

(Street/PO Box) (City)

(State) (Zip Code) (School Phone #)

Home address: _____
(Street/PO Box) (City)

(State) (Zip Code) (Home Phone#)

Educational Information:

Year in school: __ Sophomore __ Junior __ Senior
Current grade point average:
Type of degree to be received:
Major field to receive degree in:
What scholastic honors have you received?

What extra curricular and or/community activities are you involved in?

Employment Information:

List places employed, time worked, job duties, etc.

Places of employment continued (if necessary).

What are your career goals? Include a resume of your future plans, why you have chosen agricultural education as your profession.

Include other pertinent information to aid the Selection Committee in evaluating you as a scholarship candidate.

Briefly explain how this scholarship will assist you with your college career and/or with your professional career.

Agricultural Education Background and Intention:

Please tell us about your agricultural education background. Include your 4-H or FFA involvement throughout Middle School and High School.

List any membership and activities in Collegiate FFA and FFA Alumni.

Include your statement of intent to teach Agricultural Education in Georgia.

State your Philosophy of Agricultural Education.

Financial Need:

List any scholarships, grants, or other monetary awards that have been granted to you for the upcoming school year.

Describe your financial need.

Applicant: I, the undersigned, have read the information concerning this scholarship and I understand the application instructions and governing rules. I agree to allow, upon selection, my name and general descriptions from the scholarship application to be used for promoting this scholarship program.

(Signature)

(Date)

Please email your completed application along with supplemental materials listed above to:

Dr. Barry Croom

Academic Program Coordinator

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