



Clover Schools Alumni Association
Connecting Alumni, School, and Community

Agricultural Scholarship
in honor of
Evelyn Gettys Edmunds

Please note: This form is for senior(s) seeking a certification, two-year, or four-year degree upon graduation from Clover High School. Preference will be given to students who have participated in horticulture, animal husbandry, soil and water conservation, agribusiness, forestry and land management and preservation, and other agriculture-related activities—both in and out of school. Examples include involvement in FFA, 4H, agricultural courses, or similar activities. If you have questions about whether you might be eligible for the scholarship, please contact the Alumni Association at 803-810-8083 or at ginger.marr@clover.k12.sc.us. Students applying for this scholarship may also apply for additional alumni scholarships.

The awarded amount will be split between two consecutive academic semesters. Scholarship applications are available to Clover High School seniors demonstrating strengths in the following areas:

1. **Achievement:** GPA (Weighted GPA will be calculated by Clover High School using a 5-point scale.) and letters of recommendation
2. **Service:** Demonstrate involvement in community activities relating to agriculture.
3. **Leadership:** Demonstrate leadership through active membership in school or community organizations. (Preference will be given to those who show leadership in the areas of agriculture and animal husbandry.)

The 2026-27 scholarship amount will be \$1,000.00. Funds are distributed directly to the institution.

Please place the information below along with the completed application in one envelope. ***Please note: Incomplete applications will not be considered.***

1. **Two Recommendation Forms:** One letter of recommendation should be from the community member such as your minister, employer, etc. (not a relative) and one from a school faculty member such as a coach, teacher, principal, etc. Preference will be given to those who provide these recommendations from someone with whom they have worked with in the area of agriculture. These forms should be provided in sealed envelopes (signed across the envelope seal by the individual completing the form). **Please note: Recommendations must be rated on the form provided. Recommendations without the use of this form will not be considered.**
 2. **Transcript:** An official high school transcript in a sealed envelope. Your guidance counselor can provide this information. The transcript should be stamped with the school seal and signed by the principal or his/her designee (signed across the envelope seal by the individual preparing the transcript).
 3. **Post-Secondary Information:** Provide a copy of the acceptance letter from the institution/program you will be attending.
 4. **Short Answer:** Provide answers to the questions on page. Responses should be your original work. AI-generated text will not be considered.
 5. **Disbursement Agreement:** Agreement for Disbursement of Scholarship Funds Form
- Students may obtain a copy of the application from the Clover High School Guidance Department. ***All applications must be submitted to the Clover High School Guidance Office by March 9 to be considered.***

Short Answer

In two or three sentences, please answer the following questions. Responses should be your original work. AI-generated text will not be considered.

1. How has your participation in agriculture training and activities (e.g., FFA, 4-H, animal sciences) had an impact on you?

2. What are your career plans and how will you use this scholarship?

3. Where do you see yourself in five years?

Scholarship Recommendation Form

(Recommendation must be placed in a sealed envelope.)

Envelope must be signed across the seal by the individual completing the form.)

Student Name:

Last First Middle

Please complete the following form for the above-named student and return to the student in a sealed envelope. The envelope must be signed across the seal by the individual completing the form.

Name of person completing the recommendation: _____

How long have you known the student? _____

In what capacity have you known the student? _____

Please circle on in each category:

Quality	High				Low	
Demonstrates leadership ability	5	4	3	2	1	N/A
Shows initiative	5	4	3	2	1	N/A
Motivated	5	4	3	2	1	N/A
Potential for success	5	4	3	2	1	N/A
Respected by faculty/community	5	4	3	2	1	N/A

Please comment on the scholastic ability and accomplishments exhibited by the student. Also discuss major strengths or weaknesses and assess his/her potential to succeed academically.

Signature

Print Name

Title

Date

**Clover Schools Alumni Association
Scholarship Application Disclaimer**

Agreement for Disbursement of Scholarship Funds

I, _____, (Parent/Guardian) acknowledge and understand that the scholarship award, if received, will only be disbursed directly to the college/university identified by the scholarship recipient, _____. (Student's Name). Funds will be divided between two consecutive academic semesters.

The Clover Schools Alumni Association Scholarship funds will be forwarded to the institution upon receipt of the Enrollment Verification Form in one of the following ways:

1. Placed in the student's account with the Financial Aid Office and/or Student Affairs Office.
2. Place in a recognized university/college bookstore account in the student's name.

I understand and accept these conditions for the disbursement of any scholarship award that my son/daughter may receive.

Parent/Guardian (Signature)

Parent/Guardian (Print Name)

Date