



# The John H. Butterfield Agriscience and Nutrition Scholarship

**Taylorville Memorial Foundation is pleased to administer the John H. Butterfield Agriscience and Nutrition Scholarship.**

One **\$1,000 scholarship** will be awarded to a deserving student who has graduated from a central Illinois high school, with priority given to a Christian County resident. Applicants must be in or have completed the first year in an agriscience or food nutrition program at a two- or four-year college or university.

Obtain an application by contacting the Taylorville Memorial Foundation at 217-707-5271, [TMHFoundation@mhsil.com](mailto:TMHFoundation@mhsil.com) or online at [memorial.health/tmf](http://memorial.health/tmf).

**Applications will be accepted through March 31.**

## Criteria

- Must be a graduate of a central Illinois high school, priority given to a Christian County resident.
- Must be enrolled in a two- or four-year college and be in or have completed the first year in an agriscience or food nutrition program.

## Material To Be Included In Application Packet

1. Completed and signed application
2. College transcript  
(Does not have to be an official transcript)
3. Two reference letters  
(1 college faculty & 1 employment-related reference)

## Essay

(Maximum 300 words) What has influenced your decision to enter an agriscience or food nutrition-related career? How do you foresee the completion of this program contributing to your career goals?



**Mail application packet to:**  
**Taylorville Memorial Foundation**  
John H. Butterfield Agriscience  
and Nutrition Scholarship  
201 E. Pleasant St.  
Taylorville, IL 62568

**or email to:**  
[TMHFoundation@mhsil.com](mailto:TMHFoundation@mhsil.com)



**For questions contact:**  
Taylorville Memorial Foundation  
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## SCHOLARSHIP HISTORY

A lifetime interest in soil science and plant nutrition led John H. Butterfield around the world to observe and learn about farming practices in other countries. Raised on a Christian County farm, John received a degree from the University of Illinois and worked as an appraiser for the Farm Credit Administration before returning to the family farm in 1940. A strong advocate for soil conservation, John served many years on the Soil Conservation Advisory Board as well as being actively involved with the American Soybean Association, National Corn Growers and Feed Grain Council. The Butterfield family honors their father's lifelong interest in education by awarding this scholarship to a young person preparing for a degree in nutrition or agriculture-related sciences.

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## Memorial Health Colleagues

PLEASE INDICATE IF YOU ARE  A CURRENT MEMORIAL HEALTH COLLEAGUE  A CHILD OF A CURRENT MEMORIAL HEALTH COLLEAGUE  
MEMORIAL HEALTH COLLEAGUES CURRENTLY RECEIVING TUITION ASSISTANCE ARE **NOT ELIGIBLE TO APPLY.**

### General Information

LAST FIRST MI

PARENTS/GUARDIAN

DATE OF BIRTH

SIBLINGS (NAME AND AGE)

ADDRESS

SPOUSE

CITY STATE ZIP

CHILDREN (AGE)

PHONE

HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDED

EMAIL ADDRESS

H.S. CLASS RANK

### College Information

PROGRAM NAME

SCHOOL/LOCATION

### Financial Information

PLEASE BREAK DOWN THE COST OF YOUR SCHOOLING FOR THE NEXT SCHOOL YEAR:

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
TUITION & FEES	BOOKS
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
ROOM & BOARD	<b>TOTAL COST</b>

HOW WILL YOU FINANCE THIS PROGRAM?

STUDENT*	<input type="text"/>	%	OR	<input type="text"/>
FAMILY	<input type="text"/>	%		<input type="text"/>
SCHOLARSHIPS/ GRANTS	<input type="text"/>	%		<input type="text"/>
LOANS	<input type="text"/>	%		<input type="text"/>
				<input type="text"/>

Describe any personal or family circumstances you would like the scholarship committee to know in considering your application.

\*EXPLAIN (Example: work, savings, etc.)