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STUDENTS IN RURAL COMMUNITIES CAN APPLY FOR A \$1,500 AG SCHOLARSHIP TODAY!

Greetings!

Help us spread the word today to promote the future of ag leadership. The America's Farmers Grow Ag Leaders program, sponsored by the Monsanto Fund, is offering students an opportunity to earn a **\$1,500 scholarship** in an ag-related field of study, helping to grow the next generation of ag leaders. Agriculture offers a variety of job opportunities in fields such as science, technology, business, engineering and more. The USDA projects an average of nearly 60,000 annual job openings in ag, and not enough grads to fill them.*

Program Details:

- Go to GrowAgLeaders.com for more information and official rules
- Apply at FFA.org/scholarships – applications accepted from November 15, 2017 – February 1, 2018
- More than \$500,000 in scholarships will be awarded with winners announced in April/May

Encourage your students to take advantage of this amazing opportunity today. Enclosed in this kit are an America's Farmers Grow Ag Leaders poster and flyer to hang in high-traffic areas within your school. Additional materials are available at www.GrowAgLeaders.com. You may also contact me directly if you have questions or need more information. Thank you for helping grow our next generation of ag leaders!

Warm regards,

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*USDA Employment Opportunities Report, 2015
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**WANT A FUTURE IN AN EXCITING FIELD?
WE'RE GIVING AWAY MORE THAN \$500,000 IN SCHOLARSHIPS
TO STUDENTS INTERESTED IN AG CAREERS!**

Apply for a \$1,500 ag scholarship today! America's Farmers Grow Ag Leaders, sponsored by the Monsanto Fund, is offering more than \$500,000 in scholarships to students in rural communities who are looking to continue their education in an ag-related field of study and become the next generation of ag leaders.

Applying is easy.

- 1** Go to GrowAgLeaders.com for more information and official rules
- 2** Apply at FFA.org/scholarships
Applications accepted from November 15, 2017 - February 1, 2018
- 3** Obtain two farmer endorsements of your application by February 8, 2018

With nearly **60,000 job openings annually***, ag offers a variety of career opportunities in a diverse array of fields such as science, technology, business, communication, engineering and more. **Students need not be FFA members to apply.**

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