Gemperle Family Farms Scholarship Fund





Fund Purpose

The **Gemperle Family Farms Scholarship Fund** was established to help fund higher education for the children and grandchildren of Gemperle Family Farms employees.

Scholarship Award

The amount of this scholarship will range from \$1,000 to \$3,000 for one year. The purpose of this scholarship is to help pay for educational expenses such as tuition, institutional fees, books, and school supplies.

Eligibility

Children and grandchildren of current employees of Gemperle Family Farms. Further eligibility requirements include:

- Current employees must have a minimum of three years of continuous employment
- Student must attend an accredited two or four year college or university <u>AND</u>
- Have a cumulative GPA of 2.5

Selection

The Stanislaus Community Foundation Scholarship Committee, made up of independent community members/volunteers, will review and select the final applicant from all eligible candidates. Finalists will be selected based upon financial need, academic merit, and personal statement.

Award

The scholarship will be issued over the course of one academic year. Student may apply for a renewal

grant for up to four years. Continuous, full-time enrollment (no fewer than 12 units per quarter/semester) is a requirement. Stanislaus Community Foundation will disburse the award directly to the university on behalf of the recipient.

How to Apply/Deadlines

Submit a complete application package through Stanislaus Community Foundation's online application portal and upload all required materials, including transcripts, narrative and demographic information **by March 15, 2019.**

Please visit <u>www.StanislausCF.org</u> to submit the final application. For questions, call (209) 576-1608 or email Allison Schubert at <u>aschubert@stanislauscf.org</u>

About Gemperle Family Farms

Gemperle Family Farms was established in 1950 by Annemarie and Ernie Gemperle and is currently owned and operated by seven siblings: Heidi, Anita, Susan, Pete, Steve, Rich and Mike. They are continuing their parent's legacy of supporting education.

"Helping our employees send their kids to college is one of the greatest gifts of gratitude we can give to those that have helped make our company successful".

"When you change someone's life with education you have an impact for generations to come".