

Gemperle Family Farms Scholarship Fund 2024

Charitable Giving Profile

Fund Purpose

The **Gemperle Family Farms Scholarship Fund** was established in 2015 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 1, 2024.**

Scholarship **renewal applicants** do not need to complete the application online. However, they will need to complete a survey from the Stanislaus Community Foundation to verify continued qualification.

Visit https://www.stanislauscf.org/scholarships for

mor information and to submit your final application. If you have questions, please call or email Program and Scholarship Specialist Jessica Tapia at jtapia@stanislauscf.org

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".