



National Rice Month Scholarship Program

*One \$5,000 Grand Prize Scholarship
Five \$1,000 Scholarships*

What do you have to do?

IT'S SIMPLE – Promote rice.

Step 1: Make U.S.-grown rice the central theme of the promotion campaign you run this September to celebrate National Rice Month in your community.

Step 2: Tell us about it.



Entries will be judged on the basis of creativity, impact, promotion of U.S.-grown rice and National Rice Month, and demonstration of the importance of the rice industry to your local area.

For more information and an entry form, see the Industry Affairs page on www.usarice.com.

Who is eligible?

High school juniors and seniors whose families* are directly associated with the rice industry in the states of Arkansas, California, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, and Texas.

** You are eligible if your parents, grandparents or a parent's siblings are directly associated with the rice industry.*

How much can you win?

The USA Rice Federation's 2006 NRM Scholarship Program offers six prizes, one for each of the six major-rice producing states named above. One state winner will be named the national grand prize recipient and will receive a total scholarship award of \$5,000. Winners for the five remaining states will receive a \$1,000 scholarship award.

**One National Grand Prize winner:
Five State Winners:**

**\$5,000 grand prize
\$1,000 each**

AND THERE'S MORE –

The National Grand Prize winner will be presented with the scholarship award at the USA Rice Outlook Conference, which will be held Dec. 3-5, 2005, in Las Vegas, NV. Trip expenses for the National Grand Prize winner and one chaperone will be paid by the USA Rice Federation.

Questions?

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Promote Rice in September – Earn Scholarship Money

USA RICE FEDERATION **NATIONAL RICE MONTH** SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST