

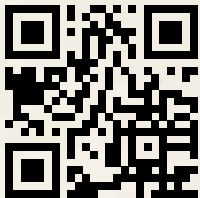
Fields of Promise

Financing for Young, Beginning, Small,
and Minority Farmers



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WHO SAYS YOU CAN'T START FARMING NOW?

If you're dreaming of a future in farming, Farm Credit can help make it a reality. We know how to help young, beginning, small, and minority (YBSM) farmers build their future.

Farm Credit has what it takes to move your farming ideas from the field of dreams to reality. Whether it's citrus or soybeans, ornamentals or horses, no one understands the challenges and dreams of America's future farmers better than Farm Credit.

Farm Credit has loans and financial services to offer entrepreneurs just like you. We have flexible loan terms and work closely with government agencies and other organizations, to tailor loans to fit the needs of YBSM farmers. We also support programs, educational activities and special events that benefit YBSM farmers and offer insight into the exhilarating world of an agricultural startup with big plans for the future.



ARE YOU A YOUNG, BEGINNING, SMALL OR MINORITY FARMER?

Farm Credit has provided the seed money for many YBSM operations. For many of these farmers, ranchers, and growers, Farm Credit is their lender of choice from startup through growth and into maturity of the business.

Our loan officers understand agriculture and the challenges involved in a new farming operation, transferring an existing operation, or expanding into new commodities or markets.

You may qualify if you are

Young

35 years of age or younger on the date of loan closing

Beginning

10 years or less of agricultural experience

Small

Generates less than \$250,000 in annual gross agricultural or aquatic sales

Minority

American Indian or Alaskan Native, Asian, Black or African American, Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander, a person whose ethnicity is Hispanic or Latino, regardless of race, and women. Minority borrowers must own at least 51% of the operation