



## CAMDEN GARDEN CLUB SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

**GUIDELINES:** The following are guidelines for approved majors for a Camden Garden Club Scholarship. In freshman year, this may be a proposed or intended concentration, but still meet credit hours. Applicant must be attending an accredited two or four-year college.

- HORTICULTURE
- BOTANY
- CONSERVATION
- ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE
- LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE/LANDSCAPE DESIGN
- FORESTRY
- CROP AND SOIL SCIENCE
- AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING
- ENVIRONMENTAL AND/OR CONSERVATION ISSUES OF GEOLOGY OR OTHER EARTH SCIENCE
- CONSERVATION LAW ENFORCEMENT (GAME WARDEN)
- OTHER RELATED SUBJECTS

**CREDIT HOURS AND GPA:** During the college semester or year for which grant is made, the recipient must have at least 4 credit hours in their chosen subject matter. Overall GPA for the semester must not be lower than 2.5.

**AGE, GEOGRAPHICAL AREA:** Age is not a factor in granting the scholarship. The geographical area is limited to residents of Camden, Rockport, Lincolnville, Hope, Appleton and Islesboro.

**AMOUNT:** An individual scholarship amount to a graduating high school senior or post graduate student will be determined by the Camden Garden Club Scholarship Committee.

**APPLICATION, SELECTION AND PAYMENT PROCESS:** High school seniors and graduates will apply through the high the school guidance office for all scholarships. All applications must be delivered to the high school guidance office by April 30. Every application will be considered by the Camden Garden Club scholarship committee.

Recipients and amounts will be reported by the Garden Club Scholarship Chairman to the guidance office by May 31. Applicants selected will be notified by the guidance office. A letter will be provided confirming the Scholarship and amount along with details to receive it and follow up procedures. By February 15, following the award of a scholarship, the recipient will forward the scholarship letter with a copy of transcript and payment information to the Camden Garden Club Scholarship Chairman.

Scholarships will not be awarded to a family member or club member of the Camden Garden Club.



CHRHS CAMDEN GARDEN CLUB SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION  
Must be received by CHRHS Guidance Office by April 30

Full legal name of applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Home mailing address \_\_\_\_\_

Home telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_

Your e-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

If less than 21-name of parent/guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Their address \_\_\_\_\_ Their phone no. \_\_\_\_\_

What do you plan to study? \_\_\_\_\_

In what ways have you expressed your interest in this subject (i.e. summer job, after school activities, high school studies)? \_\_\_\_\_

Where would you like to study? \_\_\_\_\_

How do you plan to finance your studies? (be specific) \_\_\_\_\_

What school and community activities have you participated in, other than those mentioned above?

Please provide 2 references with their contact information and a letter from one of them:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list your most recent jobs (up to 3 in reverse order)- (a supervisor can also be a reference):

Place/contact person \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ dates \_\_\_\_\_

Job description \_\_\_\_\_

Place/contact person \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ dates \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_ dates \_\_\_\_\_

Job description \_\_\_\_\_

Please write and attach a short essay (approximately 300 words) describing how you became interested in your chosen field of study, what experience you have in it so far and what you hope to do with it in the future. The essay develops ideas described in the answers to questions on page one of the application.

Finally, please attach your most recent transcript.

Applicant's signature:

\_\_\_\_\_ date \_\_\_\_\_

Camden Garden Club contact for questions or information:

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