

McMinnville Garden Club
PO Box 386
McMinnville, Oregon 97128
<http://mcminnvillegardenclub.org>

Horticulture/Agriculture Scholarship
Deadline: March 16, 2020

The McMinnville Garden Club is offering scholarships of \$1,000-\$2,000 to high school and college students pursuing a degree in horticulture or an agriculture-related field at a two- or four-year Oregon college. These fields include agronomy, animal science, biology, botany, ecology, entomology, environmental science, forestry, landscape architecture, plant pathology, soil science, and viticulture.

Eligibility

1. Must be a high school senior or a full time college student who is already enrolled and pursuing a degree in horticulture or an agriculture-related field at a two- or four-year Oregon college.
2. Must be a permanent resident of Yamhill County at the time the scholarship is awarded.
3. Must have a high school GPA of 2.5 or better.
4. Maintain a college 2.0 GPA or better and be enrolled full time (12 units or more)

Application and Award Process

1. Your scholarship application should include each the following.
 - a. Complete Application form
 - b. Include two scholarship recommendation forms, one from the school counselor (or in the case of a college applicant, college adviser) and one from a teacher, employer, or other adult none of whom are related.
 - c. Copy of your latest high school transcript from your high school counseling department or copy of your official college transcript.
 - d. FAFSA Student Aid Report or ORSSA Expected Family Contribution as proof of financial need.
2. Send your complete application packet to the following address. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Scholarship Committee
McMinnville Garden Club
PO Box 386
McMinnville, Oregon 97128

3. If you are a finalist, you will meet with the Scholarship Committee in McMinnville. Scholarship winners will be notified mid-May.
4. Funds will be paid to the college directly in two equal installments on the following schedule: September 2020 and January 2021.

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Applicant _____
Last Name First Name Initial

Address _____
Street City State Zip

Phone Number _____ Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Intended Major _____

College/University _____

Parents/Guardians _____
Name Phone Number(s)

School Counselor/School _____
Name/Name of School Phone Number(s)

AWARDS AND ACTIVITIES (You may attach a separate page if you wish.)

PERSONAL

1. What are your interests?
2. What are your future professional goals?
3. What classes have you taken to prepare for this field?
4. Describe any related volunteer or work experience.
5. Please list or attach any additional pertinent information

Please sign and date below and send the completed application, scholarship recommendation forms, financial forms and a copy of your latest school transcripts to

**Scholarship Committee
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Applicant Signature and Date _____

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Horticulture/Agriculture Scholarship Recommendation
To be completed by School Counselor

Scholarship Applicant _____

1. Describe your relationship with the applicant.
2. Describe the applicant's work ethic.
3. What words come to mind when describing the applicant?
4. Additional Comments

Signature and Date _____

Contact Information _____

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Horticulture/Agriculture Scholarship Recommendation
To be completed by a teacher, employer, or other adult,
none of whom are related to the applicant

Scholarship Applicant_____

1. Describe your relationship with the applicant.

2. Describe the applicant's work ethic.

3. What words come to mind when describing the applicant?

4. Additional Comments

Signature, Relationship to Applicant, and Date_____

Contact Information_____