

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM 2020

Purpose: The purpose of the scholarship program of the Western Springs Garden Club is to encourage students to pursue a degree in environmentally related fields of study such as conservation, agronomy, agriculture, botany, environmental studies, forestry, horticulture, and landscape design/architecture.

Eligibility: All students residing in District 204, whether they attend public or private schools, and whether they are seniors in high school or currently enrolled in a college or vocational school.

Amount: In 2020, we will award scholarships in an amount up to \$1000 each. The awards will be announced early in May 2020.

Application Procedure (consisting of two parts):

1. Interested students should submit our completed application and an essay by February 21, 2020. The essay, not to exceed 750 words, should outline the student's interest and their future plans in the subjects referenced above. Please mail submittal to:

Western Springs Garden Club Scholarship Committee

c/o Linda Peters 191 Santa Fe Lane Willow Springs, IL 60480

2. A school advisor or instructor should submit a recommendation relating to the student and mail or email it separately by February 21, 2020 to the address above or email address below.

Renewal: Renewal of scholarships will be considered on a yearly basis provided the student reapplies, remains in an environmentally related field of study, is in good academic standing, and continues to meet the program's standards. Application for renewal entails submittal of an unofficial transcript of grades and classes and a brief statement outlining activity and club involvement. This information will be considered along with new scholarship applicants.

All applications will become the property of the Western Springs Garden Club. The determination of the Scholarship Committee shall be final and within its sole discretion. The names and a presentation photo of scholarship recipients will be published.

Questions may be directed to

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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2020

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2020

NAME		Date of Birth
Home Add	ress	
Email		Phone ()
Parent or C	Guardian's Name	
School pre	sently attending	
College/Ur	niverstiy of enrollment	
Major		
Hobbies ar	nd Interests	
Work Expe	erience	
environme		rds, outlining your interest and plans to pursue a degree in as conservation, agronomy, agriculture, botany, environmental studies, rchitecture.
Applicant's Signature		Date
Return to:	Western Springs Garden (c/o Linda Peters 191 Santa Fe Lane Willow Springs, IL 60480	This form may be duplicated.