

CONSERVATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION SHELBY COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Return this application and supporting documents to:

Shelby County Conservation District
65 Brighton Blvd. Suite 2
Shelbyville, Ky 40065

Scholarships will be awarded to the top two applicants planning to attend a College/University of their choice within the state of Kentucky. Both recipients will receive a **\$1,000 scholarship** to be presented at a time appropriate to the recipients. The scholarship check will be written directly to the College/University of the recipient's choice.

To be eligible for this scholarship you must be a graduating high school student residing in Shelby County who will be attending a college, university or technical college. The recipient must be majoring in an agricultural or environmental related field such as: vocational agriculture education, agriculture economics or engineering, agronomy, biology forestry, horticulture, or soils.

The recipient must have a GPA of 2.5 or higher and demonstrate ability, knowledge, and need in the application. The applicant must have met admission requirements and have been accepted to the school of his/her choice. If the students do not finish the first year of study, the funds will be repaid to the Shelby County Conservation District.

The Shelby County Conservation District will begin accepting applications on January 3, 2019. Application and supporting material must be in the Shelby County Conservation District office at the **close of business April 12, 2019**. Applications will not be accepted after this deadline.

Part 1 is to be completed by the **guidance counselor**.

Part 2 is to be completed by the **applicant**.

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Part 1: Documentation to support scholarship application

Applicant's name: _____ Phone: _____
Address: _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Social Security Number: _____
Parent or Guardian's Names: _____

Test Scores:

College Entrance Exam: _____
Advance Test Scores if taken: Science _____ Math _____
Science, agriculture, horticulture, or environmental courses, etc. taken in high school:

Subject	Final Grade
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
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Attach the most recent transcript
Honors, awards, office held, etc:

Guidance Counselor's Signature

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Part 2: To be completed by the applicant

1. College, University, or School where you have been accepted.

2. What course of study do you plan to pursue?

3. List your extra-curricular activities and achievements in school or community during the last two years.

4. Provide a typed narrative using the following:

- a. Briefly outline your personal views about the importance of soil, water, plant and animal resources.
- b. Describe the projects or activities in which you have participated to enhance, promote or encourage soil, water and other resource conservation.
- c. What are your career goals?
- d. List any other special conditions to support your request to be considered for this scholarship.

5. **References:** Attach two statements or recommendations from teachers and additional statements from others of your own choosing.