

DeKalb County Master Gardener Scholarship

About the Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded by the DeKalb County Master Gardeners.

Eligibility Criteria

This scholarship is a one-time award to either a **graduating senior from any DeKalb County high school (DeKalb County, Indiana), graduating home schooled senior, or a current college student** that is studying plant sciences, landscape design, horticulture, or agriculture-related field at any college or university. Even though this is a non-renewable award, past recipients and college students meeting the criteria of this award may re-apply each year.

Required Forms (Complete and SAVE the forms, following the instructions listed below)

- Scholarship Cover Page
- Completed Application
- Essay
- College Transcript -Attach an OFFICAL copy of your college transcript to your application or have it sent electronically to AWillis@CFDeKalb.org by your college.

Scholarship Payment

Scholarships awarded by Community Foundation DeKalb County may be used toward the expenses of tuition, required books and/or required fees. Community foundation scholarships may not be used for room and board expenses. Scholarship payments are sent directly to your educational institution.

Deadline to Apply

Submit the printed forms to the community foundation by the deadline posted on the website.

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Cover Page

Last Name _____ First Name _____ M.I. _____

College _____

Release of Records/Disclosure Agreement

The information that you provide in your scholarship application is kept confidential to protect your privacy.

Checking the boxes below assures us that you understand the following statements:

I have requested that my college electronically send my transcript to AWillis@CFDeKalb.org or an OFFICAL copy of my college transcript is attached to the application.

I certify that all information given in every part of this application is true. I understand that falsification of information may result in termination of any scholarship awarded.

I understand the Community Foundation DeKalb County's scholarship eligibility policy and am eligible to receive a scholarship.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Middle: _____
Permanent Address: _____ Phone: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Date of Birth: _____
E-mail Address: _____ (mm/dd/yyyy)
High School: _____ Graduation Year _____
DeKalb County, Indiana Resident: _____ United States Citizen: _____ Gender: _____

FAMILY INFORMATION

Name of father, stepfather or guardian: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Occupation: _____ Employer: _____
Name of mother, stepmother or guardian: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Occupation: _____ Employer: _____
Check if applicable: Father deceased Mother deceased Parents divorced
Ages of other children in your family: _____ # of family members in college: _____

COLLEGE INFORMATION

Year in college (upcoming academic year): _____
College or University attending: _____
City and State of School: _____ Full-time Part-time
Major field of study: _____
If part-time, # of credit hrs per sem.

CAREER GOALS

Write a brief statement describing your career goals in the space below

Last Name:

First Name:

COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY ACTIVITIES

List your extracurricular activities in the order of importance to you.

Activity	Year/Semester	Role or Leadership Position Held

AWARDS AND HONORS

List any awards and honors you have received while attending college.

Award or Honor Received	Yr/Sem	Criteria Award Based On

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Organization	Yr/Sem	Description of Services	Hours (Total or per week)

EMPLOYMENT AND INTERNSHIPS

List your work and/or intern experience beginning with the most recent position.

Organization	Type of Work	Dates Employed or Internship	Hours (Total or per week)

ESSAY

Last Name _____ First Name _____

Write your essay in the space provided below. The margins, font and font size are set and should not be changed.

Write a brief essay (200 words or less) stating why you deserve this scholarship, what your educational goals are and how you will use this money.
