



Montgomery Soil and Water Conservation District
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Scholarship Application

Purpose:

Montgomery Soil and Water Conservation District encourages college-bound freshmen to consider pursuing careers in conservation or agriculture. Our society faces natural resource challenges that require people with fresh ideas, dedication, and leadership abilities. Educating and supporting youth in this regard, is one of the main objectives of the District's Conservation Education Program.

Eligibility Requirements

- Graduating High School Senior
- Plans to Major in Natural Resources Management or Agriculture
- Attend College or University Offering Degrees in the area of Natural Resources Management or Agriculture
- Proof of Enrollment
- Resident of Montgomery County, Ohio

Guidelines

- Amount Offered: \$500
- Applications Deadline: Postmarked by May 1st, Annually
- Judging Criteria - a maximum of 25 points may be assigned to each category:
 1. Scholastic Achievement
 2. Leadership Activities
 3. Career Goals
 4. Need
- Up to two letters of recommendation will be accepted
- Award notification will be by June 1 each year
- Check will be mailed directly to Bursar's Office where student is enrolled.

Contact and Personal Information

Name

Home Address & Phone

Email

Name and Occupation of Parent(s) or Guardian with whom you are living

Number of Siblings and their ages

1. Scholastic Achievement

Attach official transcripts

2. Leadership Activities

List activities and year(s) of participation

3. Career Goals

Please write a brief (not more than 500 words) narrative describing how you became interested in nature, conservation, and/or agriculture; also include a few comments about what your vision is for your future career. Explain how your leadership activities demonstrate your potential to make positive, lasting contributions in the fields of conservation or agriculture. This may be handwritten on this application or typed on a separate page.

4. Need

If you or your family has endured significant financial hardship, please explain.