

Carroll County Master Gardeners Scholarship Guidelines

\$1,000 Educational Scholarship

April 15 - deadline to apply

I. Applicant Information

- The applicant must be a rising junior or senior in an accredited Georgia university or college, be enrolled in a technical school or two-year college, or be a graduating high school student planning to attend a technical school or two-year college, **AND** be majoring in a program in agriculture, consumer science, landscaping, plant science, animal science, environmental science, natural resources, horticulture, forestry or a related field.
- First consideration will be given to an applicant who is a resident of Carroll County. If no Carroll county residents apply, consideration will be given to a resident of an adjacent West Georgia county.
- The applicant must show a need for the scholarship.

II. Selection Process

- The recipient will be selected by the scholarship committee of the Carroll County Master Gardeners
- All completed applications will be considered by the committee and evaluated based on the information provided. An interview may be requested by the committee.
- Priority consideration will be given to those who applications are completed by the cut-off date, which will be decided by the committee.

III. Payment

- A check for the full amount of the scholarship will be made payable to the selected recipient with the understanding that the funds will be used to defray the expenses directly associated with enrolling and attending the accredited college, university or technical school. If the award is made to a graduating high school senior for a technical or two year college the funds will be disbursed upon the successful completion of the first semester of college. If the award is made to a college Junior or Senior the disbursement will be made upon selection.

IV. Instructions for completing application

- Attach additional pages if more room is needed to complete the answers.
- Email application by April 15 to **ccmg@uga.edu**. Look for a confirmation reply within a short time.

OR

- Mail application by April 15 to:
Carroll County Master Gardener Association
Scholarship Committee
900 Newnan Road
Carrollton, GA 30117

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I. Applicant's name _____ Date _____
Home Address _____
City, State, Zip Code _____
Phone# _____ Email _____

II. Institution Attending _____
Institution Address _____
Major or Area of Study _____ GPA _____
Classification _____
Anticipated date of college graduation _____

Applicant must have the institution's registrar mail an official transcript by April 15 to:

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III. Have you qualified for Federal Student Aid? _____ Yes _____ No
Do you have other scholarships, grants, or loans? _____ Yes _____ No
If yes, please list them: _____

IV. School and Community Involvement.

V. Awards, Memberships (past and present).

VI. Describe in 500 words or less your need for this scholarship and how it would be used if awarded. Attach to the application.

VII. References. Three letters of reference: **Two from teachers or professors in major area of study.** The third reference can be the choice of the applicant. References shall be submitted by April 15 to:

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Or documents may be emailed to **ccmg@uga.edu**

VIII. If you have any questions or concerns please call 770.836.8546 to leave a message for the Master Gardener Scholarship Chair or you may email the chair at **ccmg@uga.edu**.

IX. If you filed electronically and have not received a confirmation reply before the deadline please call us at 770.836.8546.