



2022 Scholarship Program

2 Scholarships Available!

Guidelines

Connecticut Resource Conservation and Development, Inc, (CTRC&D), a 501(c)(3) statewide charitable organization announces the 2022 Scholarship Award Program. Under the Program, two (2) \$500 scholarships will be awarded to high school seniors or students attending a post-secondary technical school or college in a city or town of Connecticut. Children of CTCR&D employees or council members are not eligible to apply.

Available Scholarships:

- (1) Norma O'Leary Agriculture Scholarship - \$500 for students pursuing a post-secondary technical or college career in agriculture.
- (1) Linda B. Krause Conservation - \$500 for students pursuing a post-secondary technical school or college career in conservation.

Program Guidelines & Priorities:

- * Seeking graduating seniors pursuing a career in agriculture or conservation and college students currently matriculated in a conservation or agriculture degree program. High School students should demonstrate participation in after school activities in either agriculture or conservation.
- * Applicants must have a minimum GPA of 2.5, a total family annual income under \$200,000 and plan to attend a 2- or 4-year college or technical school.
- * High School applicants must have the endorsement of their Guidance Counselor on their application attesting they are a qualified fit for this scholarship program. ***CTRC&D strongly suggests that each high school present this opportunity to the strongest applicants that match this program's guidelines.*** Application deadline is **June 15, 2022 by 4:00 p.m.** Late applications are not accepted.

Email by the deadline one copy of a completed application package to: jdavies@ctracd.org

Or Mail (Postmark by June 15, 2022) to
(This includes application with signoff by Guidance Department, essay,
resume, and school transcript.)

CTRC&D Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 70
Haddam, CT 06438

The applications will be reviewed, and recipients selected by a committee consisting of CTCR&D Council Members volunteers. The scholarships will be awarded at the CTCR&D Annual Meeting in June 2022. Scholarship recipients will be notified of awards after the meeting.

Applications may be downloaded from the CTCR&D website at www.ctracd.org

Please submit any questions to: jdavies@ctracd.org



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2022

Please type your answers.	
1.	Last Name: _____ First Name: _____
2.	Mailing Address Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
3.	Daytime Telephone Number: () _____ Email Address: _____
4.	Date of Birth: Month Day Year Gender: _____
5.	Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA): _____ (On a 4.0 scale) <small>Attach proof of GPA. Your most recent school transcript is required.</small>
6.	Are you the first person in your family to go to college: YES ___ NO ___
7.	Name and location of High School, Technical School or College attending: _____
8.	<p>(Please attach a separate sheet, as needed)</p> <p>A. List any academic honors, awards and membership activities while in high school and college:</p> <p>B. List your hobbies, outside interests, extracurricular activities and school related volunteer activities:</p> <p>C. List your non-school sponsored volunteer activities in the community:</p>
9.	<p>A. For High School students, if you have decided on what college you will attend, please list school name:</p> <p>B. If not, list your top 3 college choices:</p>
10.	<p>List Family Gross Annual Income from your 2021 or 2022 Income Tax Form 1040 Line #22: \$ _____</p> <p><small>(If selected, recipients may be asked to verify annual household income is under \$200,000 by supplying pg. 1 of their 2020 IRS Income Tax Form)</small></p>
11.	Is your <u>parent or legal guardian</u> an employee or council member of CTCRC&D? Yes_____ No_____



12.	Name & address of parent(s) or legal guardian(s): (Include address if different than your own listed in Question 2.)		
	Name(s) :		
	Street:		
	City:	State:	Zip:
	Home phone of parents or legal guardians:		Work phone:

13. On a separate sheet please write an essay (<500 words) answering the questions below:

Describe why you are pursuing a career in agriculture or conservation. What motivated you to choose this career. Also, discuss in your essay about any challenges or obstacles you have dealt with and overcome in life and how this will help you succeed in college and beyond.

STATEMENT OF ACCURACY FOR STUDENTS

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also consent that if chosen as a scholarship winner my picture may be taken and used to promote the CTRC&D's scholarship program. (Winner may waive photo due to unusual or compelling circumstances.)

I hereby understand I will not submit this application without all required attachments and supporting information. Incomplete applications or applications that do not meet eligibility criteria will not be considered for this scholarship.

Signature of scholarship applicant: _____ **Date:** _____

STATEMENT OF SUPPORT BY GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

I hereby affirm that this application meets the criteria set forth by this scholarship program and that I support this application to CTRC&D.

Name of Guidance Counselor submitting the application: _____

High School: _____

Contact information (email and phone): _____

Signature of Guidance Counselor: _____ **Date:** _____



Checklist

- Application
- Essay
- Resume/Activity Sheet
- Guidance Counselor signature
- School Transcript

MAIL/EMAIL COMPLETE APPLICATION PACKAGE TO CTRC&D AT:
CTRCD Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 70
Haddam, CT
Admin@CTRCD.org

REMINDER:
The deadline for this application to be received by the CTRC&D Office is:
June 15, 2022, 4:00 p.m. NO EXCEPTIONS!