

The St. Tammany Master Gardener Association gives the scholarship. It is given to encourage the study of Agriculture, Horticulture or related fields at the collegiate or graduate level of study.

Eligibility Requirements

- Applicants must be currently enrolled and in good standing at a Louisiana university, community college, vocational or technical Institution.
- Applicants must be a graduate of a public or private St. Tammany Parish high school. (Attach official high school transcript or copy of high school diploma.
- Applicants must be pursuing a degree in Horticulture, Agricultural or a related field.
- Applicants must be considered a full time student and have completed 24 semester hours or the equivalent.
- Applicants must provide an official college transcript.
- Applicants must have a GPA of 2.5 or above.
- Applicants must complete an essay of 300 words as stated in the application.
- Applicants must submit a letter of recommendation.
- Application deadline is February 28.

Terms of STMGA Scholarship

- The value of the scholarship is a one-time award of \$1,500. Scholarship money will be paid directly to the Bursar. The number of scholarships awarded will be based on applicants meeting STMGA criteria and money available.
- The STMGA Scholarship is a financial award granted without regard to race, religion, sex, age, or disability.
- The decision of the STMGA Scholarship Committee is final.
- The STMGA Scholarship Committee reserves the right to not award the scholarship if applicants fail to meet the above criteria.
- Students may reapply annually.

Qualifying Degree Programs

Agricultural Business
Agricultural Education
Animal, Dairy, Poultry Sciences
Botany
Environmental Horticulture Sciences
Environmental Management Systems
(*resource conservation, analysis, risk management*)
Food Industry Management
Forestry
Horticulture
Land Use and Planning
Landscape Architecture
Landscape Management
Natural Resource Ecology and Management (*fisheries, aquaculture, forest management*)
Nutrition, Health and Food Science
Plant and Soil Systems
Agricultural Pest Management
Plant Pathology
Pre-Veterinary Medicine
Wetland Science
Wildlife Ecology

This list is not comprehensive.

For more information, please contact the scholarship chair at STPMGA@gmail.com (subject line: Scholarships).

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St. Tammany Master Gardener Scholarship

Sponsored by the St. Tammany Master Gardener Association



St. Tammany Master Gardeners Association Scholarship

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Name and address of college you are now attending and the year you intend to graduate:

College GPA _____. Attach an official transcript.

Major/minor: _____

- Attach St. Tammany Parish High School Diploma.
- Include a 300 word essay detailing your reasons for choosing an agricultural, horticultural or a related degree, along with long-term career goals. Discuss any work experiences or community involvement or activities that have influenced your decision.
- Include a Letter of Recommendation from an academic adviser, counselor or employer.

This application must be postmarked by February 28th to be considered.

Applications should be mailed to:

STMGA Scholarship Award
Selection Committee
17 Lake Forest Drive
Covington, LA 70433

Or STPMGA@gmail.com
(Subject line: Scholarships)