

The Gardeners of Greater Youngstown (GOGY)

All Applications must be received by March 31, 2026

General Information and Instructions

The Gardeners of Greater Youngstown has been promoting the education of college students in the field of Horticulture through scholarships, since 1991. Scholarships will be \$1000 max per student pursuing a college degree in either Horticulture, Floriculture, Landscape Architecture/Design, Environmental Science, Biology, Forestry, or Entomology. Only up to 2 students can be awarded in any one year if the criteria is met. The scholarship can only be awarded to the same person for a total of two times.

Applicant Qualifications:

- Applicants must be currently a graduating high school senior or currently enrolled in an accredited community college, or university continuing their education in a Horticulture program with either Horticulture, Floriculture, Landscape Architecture/Design, Environmental Science, Biology, Forestry or Entomology as a major at a post-secondary two-or four-year institution.
- Applicants must have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 GPA, based on the 4.0 system.
- Applicants must currently live in or have attended high school in Columbiana, Mahoning, Portage, Stark or Trumbull County in Ohio or Mercer and Lawrence County in Pennsylvania.

Application Procedure:

1. A complete application, form can be found at GOGY Website, gg-yo.org (requirement of 1 letter of recommendation from 1 professor or 1 teacher if in high school or an employer if working and official transcripts of grades described on second page of application.)
2. Return all application materials by **March 31, 2026**
To:
The Gardeners of Greater Youngstown
c/o Robert Schulick
1012 Old Furnace Rd
Youngstown OH 44511
3. Applicants meeting all requirements will be contacted by telephone to schedule a personal interview at a mutually agreed place.
4. All interviewed applicants will be notified by March 31, of their status with respect to the scholarship.
5. Successful candidate/s will attend the May meeting to be introduced as the scholarship recipient to The Gardeners of Greater Youngstown. The Scholarship monies will go into students account at the University that the student has chosen.
** Successful applicants will give a presentation to the Club at a future meeting of Gardeners of Greater Youngstown.