



Harford County Environmental Scholarship Program

Beginning with the 1991 graduating class, a scholarship program has been offered at each high school in Harford County for seniors intending to prepare for a career dealing with the environment. You are invited to apply for this scholarship if you intend to pursue a career that will promote environmental quality. Your school will select a winner for a grant funded through the generosity of a local corporate sponsor.

Your application will be judged first by an in-school faculty committee, appointed by your principal, to include at least one teacher of science, at least one school counselor and at least one building administrator. That committee will evaluate your application based on the following criteria:

- The intent to pursue a career that would promote environmental quality
- Your demonstrated commitment to volunteer efforts for the improvement of the environment and the quality of life in your community
- Your past performance in academic achievement that would indicate success in obtaining a post-high school education

Applications will be available January 23rd through your school's counseling office /Environmental Scholarship building contact and are **due (completely filled in) back in your school's counseling office by March 9th**. Each school's decision along with the application of the school's winner is **due to Kathy Houston at Harford Glen by March 27th**. All award announcements will be mailed on April 17th. Any award money which you may be granted will be sent directly to the school which you will be attending and must be claimed by December 31, 2026.

If you should have any questions about the application process, please direct them to your guidance counselor, or Kathy Houston, at Harford Glen Environmental Education Center by sending an email at Kathleen.houston@hcps.org.

ENVIRONMENTAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

**DEADLINE – MARCH 9th
TO YOUR SCHOOLS COUNSELING OFFICE**

I. PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Name: _____
Last First Middle

Birth date: _____
Mo./Day/Year

Home Address: _____
Number and Street

City State Zip Code

Telephone No.: _____
Home Cell

School: _____

School Address: _____
Street City State Zip Code

Anticipated Graduation Date: _____ E-mail Address: _____

II. CAREER PLANS AND ACTIVITIES:

A. What are your career plans and goals for the future?

1. Which college do you plan to attend?

2. What will be your choice of major?

3. Other plans:

B. Student Activities: particularly those efforts for environmental improvement in your school (please list):

C. Community Activities: particularly those efforts for environmental improvement outside the school (please list and include volunteer hours):

III. **ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE:** Please include a copy of your transcript and most recent report card.

GPA:

Academic Subjects (list):

Environmentally-Related Subjects (list):

IV. EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE:

A. List jobs you have or have had:

B. List any employment related to conservation or the environment:

V. **COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING ESSAY: (Must be typed, double-spaced)**

What difference can one person make?

The essay should demonstrate your past, present and future interests in the environment and describe you see yourself contributing to problems of the environment through your personal and career choices.