

# HEARTHSTONE GARDEN CLUB

## Scholarship Application Instructions

Scholarships will be awarded by the Hearthstone Garden Club of Northwest Houston this year to **Texas resident** students who are college level **sophomores** and above. Applicants must have at least a **3.00 GPA** and be majoring in the field of horticulture. The fields of horticulture included are floriculture, agriculture, forestry, landscape design, botany, ecology, conservation, floral design, turf grass management, plant pathology, environmental concerns, urban development, forestry, agronomy, land and water management, and park management.

Scholarship Requirements Include the Following Items:

1. **Application Form** (preferably typed or computer generated)
2. **Typed list of extra-curricular activities and Honors** of the past 3 years (1 page).
3. **Current Official transcript** with seal for each school attended, including last semester attended, both graduate and undergraduate transcripts required.
4. **A recent photograph** (minimum size 2"x3")
5. **Two signed/dated letters of recommendation** from qualified references that cover scholastic ability, character references and/or work-related experience. (Letters can be from Instructors in your field, employers, advisors, counselors, church leaders.)
6. **A letter from the applicant** about your personal goals, financial need, and your career commitment on **one** typed page.

General administration of Hearthstone Garden Club scholarships is determined by the Scholarship Committee and the Executive Board of Hearthstone Garden Club. Application forms are distributed to Texas A&M University, Sam Houston State University, Texas Tech University, Stephen F. Austin State University and Texas State University (formerly Southwest Texas State). Other schools may request applications by contacting the Scholarship Committee.

The Scholarship Committee evaluates applications. Recipients are notified in May of their selection. Receipts for tuition indicating full-time enrollment must be presented by the student recipient in order to receive payment of scholarship funds.

### **DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION IS MARCH 20, 2021.**

Please return completed applications and all required supporting documents to:

Ms. Cathy Coby  
Hearthstone Garden Club  
7114 Blenheim Palace Ln  
Houston, Tx. 77095

For additional information, please contact Ms. Coby at 832-978-3292 or by email at [cobycat1@swbell.net](mailto:cobycat1@swbell.net)

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**Full Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Age** \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. Citizen Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_

Married \_\_\_\_\_ Single \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Children \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's School Address \_\_\_\_\_

### **College/University**

Department Enrolled \_\_\_\_\_ Major \_\_\_\_\_ Minor \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Hours to Date \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_

Current Classification: Sophomore \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \_\_\_\_\_ Senior \_\_\_\_\_ Grad. School \_\_\_\_\_

Occupational Objective after graduation \_\_\_\_\_

High School or College Activities related to your chosen field \_\_\_\_\_

### **Name of employer and position held or if self-employed, name of business**

Work experience \_\_\_\_\_

Are any of your relatives in garden clubs, or a member of Hearthstone Garden Club? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, name of the relative \_\_\_\_\_

Name of the Garden Club \_\_\_\_\_

List any scholarships, grants or financial aid you are currently receiving \_\_\_\_\_

Name of the high school where you graduated \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

Please attach all other required information listed on the instruction page.

Note: A college transcript for each college attended must be attached. Include your last semester completed. Contact schools early to allow transcripts to arrive on time.

Letters of recommendation can be from instructors in your chosen field, employer, advisor, counselor, church leader, or other persons qualified to attest to your character and scholastic ability.

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_