



## Highland Lakes Master Gardener Association 2015 Scholarship Program

The Highland Lakes Master Gardener Association (HLMGA) provides volunteer services to the local community which focuses on educating the public in advanced horticultural ideas and practices. In addition to the various educational projects in which the Membership participates, the Association offers scholarships to undergraduate students currently enrolled in a horticultural or agricultural degree programs or the graduating seniors from area High Schools who plan to pursue an undergraduate degree/technical certification in the horticultural or agriculture sciences.

The HLMGA Scholarship(s) are awarded each year there is a qualified applicant(s) based on the following:

- Graduating High School Seniors must have a primary residency in the Burnet/Marble Falls school district.
- Currently attending or accepted to an accredited University, Technical School or Institution which offers horticultural or agricultural related degree/certification programs.
- Formally declared Horticultural, Agriculture or related fields as the "Course of Study" (see attached list).
- Academic achievement, activities and leadership in both school and community.
- US citizenship
- Completion of the HLMGA application process.

Each scholarship is awarded at \$2,500. The number of scholarships awarded is dependent upon the availability of qualified applicants.

All eligible applicants must be enrolling in or actively pursuing one of the following:

- Baccalaureate Program (Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science)
- Technical Certification or Technical Degree program

Applications must be submitted by April 30, 2015

Mail Completed Applications, signed Certification Checklist, and supporting documents to:

Texas A&M Agrilife Extension  
ATTN: HLMGA, Susan Hill  
1701 Polk Street, Ste 12  
Burnet, Texas 78611-2757

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**Highland Lakes Master Gardener Association  
2015 Scholarship Application**

**Applicant Contact Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

County: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

email: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Submission

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**2015 HLMG Association Scholarship Application**  
(Please print legibly in black or blue ink)

Full Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Male [ ] Female [ ] Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a U.S. Citizen? Y [ ] N [ ] Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

**High School Information**

Name of High School: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Counselor: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA\*: \_\_\_\_\_ As of: \_\_\_\_\_

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*Grade Point Average should be expressed either as a numerical percentage; such as 98% or as a ratio which includes the scale, such as, 3.25/4.0 scale. GPA should be stated as of the last completed quarter or semester.*

SAT Score: Math \_\_\_\_\_ Critical Reading \_\_\_\_\_ Writing \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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ACT Score: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**College/University or Technical Institution Information**

Are you enrolled in a College/University or Technical Institution? Y [ ] N [ ]

Name of school you are/will be attending: \_\_\_\_\_

College/Institution Registrar Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Major Field of study: \_\_\_\_\_

Degree(s) sought: \_\_\_\_\_

**Tell us about YOU!**

1. Please list any horticultural/agricultural related organizations or projects you have been involved in. Begin with most recent year.

Year	Activity/Purpose/Accomplishments	Time Spent	Organization

2. List any leadership positions held in an organization, committee or project.

Year	Leadership Role	Org/Committee/Project

3. List any other community service projects you have been involved with:

Year	Service Projects/Results/Role	Time Spent

4. List any other extra-curricular activities you have been involved with (athletics, UIL clubs, etc):

Year	Activity	Time Spent

5. Anything else we should know about you?

**6. Personal narrative (can be typed and attached): Tell us why you are interested in pursuing a horticultural, agricultural or related field of study. Include your future career goals, who and/or what inspires you (in 500 words or less):**



## Example List of Majors in Horticulture, Agriculture and Related Fields

Agronomy and Crop Science  
Environmental Conservation of Natural Resources  
Environmental Design  
Floriculture  
Forestry  
Horticulture  
Land-use Planning  
Landscape Design (parks, botanical gardens, etc.)  
Soil Science  
Botany  
Rangeland Management  
Renewable Resources  
Biotechnology  
Environmental Health and Safety (firewise, etc.)  
Horticultural Technology  
Biological and Agricultural Engineering  
Plant Pathology and Microbiology  
Animal Sciences  
Agricultural Economics  
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Horticultural and Agricultural related sciences are constantly evolving. This list is not intended to be a complete list.

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