

Connecticut Nurserymen's Foundation, Inc

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Scholarship Application 2017

To School Guidance Department

The application for the 2017 Connecticut Nurserymen's Foundation Scholarship can be filled out electronically and downloaded from ctnursery.org by clicking on key documents and then on CNF Scholarship Application. Students may submit their application via email to:

ctnurserymen@gmail.com Jim Messier, Executive Secretary, or to the mailing address above.

Please fill in all requested information. Pages 1-4 are to be completed by the student applicant; pages 5-6 to be completed by the student's parent(s). Letters of recommendation, transcripts, SAT scores, Student Aid Report (SAR) and letters of acceptance should be scanned if at all possible and filed electronically. Otherwise please mail them to the above address.

The applicant must be accepted into a course of study beneficial to the Horticultural industry. This includes, but is not limited to:

- Ornamental Horticulture
- Landscape Design
- Nursery Management
- Greenhouse Management.

The scholarship grant will be \$5,000 per year, renewable if the student maintains academic eligibility in college.

- Students must maintain a 3.0 grade point average (GPA).
- Students must be residents of the State of Connecticut, and may attend either in state or out of state institutions. The student must be a high school senior or currently enrolled at the college level, majoring in a horticulture related field.

All completed and signed applications must be received by the Foundation no later than Monday, March 13, 2017. No application will be considered without the following:

- Copies of the Student Aid Report (SAR)
- Copies of Financial Aid Award letter (if received)
- At least two letters of recommendation
- High school records, transcript and SAT scores or college transcript for those already enrolled in a college level program.
- A copy of the Letter of Acceptance from the college, if available. If not available, forward to the CNF office no later than March 27, 2017.

The scholarship will be based on academic achievement, financial need, and non-school work related to horticulture. The candidate will be selected mid April 2017.

Jim Messier, CNF Executive Secretary