



2025 SCD Scholarship Description

Seneca Conservation District is a team that works to conserve our resources, educates and inspires our community to support our future, through science and wise, conscious choices on the farms, in the homes and at the schools in Seneca County.

The purpose of this scholarship is to provide support for applicants pursuing science-based careers that relate to the mission of Seneca Conservation District. Work in conservation, ecology, sustainability, and agriculture are examples of some, but not all, of the related careers/majors.

Eligibility:

- High school senior or college bound in the fall
- Minimum 3.0 GPA
- Science-related degree
- Applicant and parent/guardian must be a resident of Seneca County

Amount Offered:

The recipient of this scholarship will receive a **\$500** check. The scholarship must be used for either tuition or books for the upcoming fall semester.

Application Materials:

- Completed application form
- Typed essay as described in the application form

Selection Process:

Applications will be reviewed by a selection committee and the winner will be approved by the SCD board. The recipient of the scholarship will be contacted personally by Seneca Conservation District.

The selection committee reserves the right to refuse the application due to any component, including: its incomplete condition, essay content, and course type.

Due Date:

Applications must be mailed, e-mailed, or returned to the Seneca Conservation District office
by 4:30 p.m. April 4, 2025.

Seneca Conservation District
3140 S. SR 100, Suite D
Tiffin, OH 44883

E-mail: mmetzger@conserveenecacounty.com

The recipient of the scholarship will be notified by April 11, 2025.

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Applicant name: _____
Home address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip code: _____
Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Education and Accomplishments

High school: _____ Current GPA: _____
Name of college to be attended: _____
Planned course of study: _____
Current or past organizations, clubs, community service: _____

Relationship with conservation/agriculture: _____

Essays:

Please type responses to **two** of the three questions below and attach printed copies to your completed application. Limit each answer to 300 words or less.

1. Some say social media is superficial, with no room for expressing deep or complex ideas. We challenge you to defy these skeptics by describing how you would use social media to show off what conservation means to you.
2. Tell us about your favorite place in Seneca County and how it shaped you into who you are today.
3. Let's go back to a time when learning was simple and fun. Tell us your favorite childhood book and why.

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