

# Garden Club OF GREATER MILWAUKEE

*Our mission is to educate members and the public about the fine art of gardening, floral design, landscape design, and horticulture. We endeavor to learn about, protect, and conserve the environment. We volunteer in our community to share our passion for the natural world.*

## **Garden Club of Greater Milwaukee Scholarships for 2023**

Two \$2500 merit-based scholarships will be awarded to undergraduate college students pursuing the study of horticulture or plant sciences (such as floriculture, landscape design, botany, agronomy, plant pathology, environmental sciences). Each finalist may only receive one award of \$2500.

Both scholarships may be applied for by students at a college or university located within the State of Wisconsin. Applicants must have at least sophomore status with a cumulative 3.0 GPA and continue enrollment through 2023. The scholarship will be awarded by May 1, 2023.

Applications may be downloaded, completed, and sent with essay, transcripts, two letters of recommendation by email to: [gardenclubgmscholarship@gmail.com](mailto:gardenclubgmscholarship@gmail.com)

The deadline for the completed application and required materials is March 31, 2023.

Information and the application are available on the Garden Club of Greater Milwaukee website (successor to Milwaukee Art Museum Garden Club): [HOME \(gardenclubgreatermilwaukee.org\)](http://gardenclubgreatermilwaukee.org)



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### Garden Club of Greater Milwaukee Scholarship Application for 2023

#### PERSONAL DATA

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

Permanent home address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Present address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

University/College: \_\_\_\_\_

#### EDUCATION

High Schools, colleges, and professional/technical schools attended:

Name of institution:	dates attended	year of graduation	degree obtained
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
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Academic status: \_\_\_\_\_ I am a full-time WI student and at least a sophomore in horticulture-related field (initial).

#### EMPLOYMENT

Professional and other work experiences, from high school to present	dates:
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What field work have you done, such as special projects related to your field of study or career goals?

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Where did you learn about this scholarship?

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Please submit the following with your application:

- 1) Essay explaining your reasons for applying for this scholarship, the specific field you wish to study, your career goals, and your occupational objective should you be awarded this scholarship (one page).
- 2) College transcript (copy or original).
- 3) Two letters of recommendation, from people who are connected to your field of study including at least one from a college professor.

Please furnish names, relationship to you, and email addresses of those who are writing your recommendations.

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Please do not alter this application or send any additional information not requested.

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Signature of applicant | Date

COMPLETED APPLICATIONS INCLUDING ALL LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION AND TRANSCRIPTS MUST BE RECEIVED BY MARCH 31, 2023. If you have any questions, you may contact Susan Ballje:  
[susan.ballje@yahoo.com](mailto:susan.ballje@yahoo.com)

The selection of recipients for scholarships awarded by the Garden Club of Greater Milwaukee is made in accordance with applicable federal and state laws that forbid discrimination based on race, sex, disability, religion, age, national origin or sexual orientation.

Please email completed application, essay, transcripts, and two letters of recommendations to:  
[gardenclubgmscholarship@gmail.com](mailto:gardenclubgmscholarship@gmail.com)

Or mail to:  
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Milwaukee, WI 53207