

Dunn County Fish & Game Association

Scholarship Criteria

Throughout its history, the DCF&G has been dedicated to preserving outdoor heritage by protecting the future of hunting, fishing, & trapping through wildlife conservation. Because we understand that the future of Wisconsin's wildlife conservation lies in the hands of our youth, we have established this endowment to help support the post-secondary education of young people from Dunn County who are aiming toward a conservation-oriented career.

The DCF&G will award one scholarship grant of up to \$3000 to a graduate of a Dunn County High School accepted in either a two or four year degree program. Once accepted for an award, a student may receive the grant for up to four years if they maintain the minimum G.P.A. Of 3.0 in an acceptable area of study. Such areas of study must be shown to relate to a conservation related career. The following are examples of acceptable areas of study to be supported by the DCF&G scholarship fund: Biology, Agriculture, Education, Zoology, Geology, Geography, Journalism, Conservation Science, Natural Resource Education, Law Enforcement / Conservation Warden training. Other areas of study may be acceptable if it can be demonstrated that the degree can and will lead to a conservation related career.

Minimum Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduate of a Dunn County High School with a minimum G.P.A. Of 2.5
- Submission of the scholarship application along with a copy of the High School transcript
- Three letters of recommendation from teachers or community leaders (no relatives or clergy)
- Graduate of a Hunter's Education course and one other safety course (Boater Safety, ATV Safety, Snowmobile Safety)
- Maintenance of fulltime student status and a G.P.A. Of 3.0 to continue scholarship award annually up to four years (copy of transcript must be submitted at the end of each semester)
- Credit will be given for participation in Dunn County Conservation activities
- Credit will be given for being a Dunn County Fish & Game member

Financial need of the applicant may be taken into consideration. The final decision for individual awards will be made by a committee from the DCF&G and will include an interview with application finalists.

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Name _____

Address _____

Post High School Education/Career Plans _____

College/Tech School Enrolled At _____

Area of Study _____

GUIDANCE STAFF: Rank in Class: _____ / _____

Cumulative G.P.A.: _____

Individuals submitting recommendations (no relatives or clergy)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Hunter's Education Graduation: Date _____ **; Number** _____

Name of one other safety course: _____

Date _____ **; Number** _____

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Extra-curricular school activities and years of participation(9-12):

Community activities / youth organizations and years of participation:

Positions of leadership/Awards/Recognition and years of participation

Briefly describe the rationale that helped you determine your educational goals:

List your work experience:

Place of Employment	Job Duties	Length of Employment
1.		
2.		
3.		

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List below any Dunn County conservation activities in which you have participated:

Year

Activity

Other information or comments you feel would be helpful to the scholarship selection committee:

Statement of Authenticity:

I attest that to the best of my knowledge the information provided is accurate and correct.

Print Name

Signature

This form should be submitted to the Dunn County Fish & Game Scholarship Committee by March 1st along with three letters of recommendation and a copy of your high school transcripts.