

For more information about the WGC Scholarship  
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## Westhampton Garden Club Scholarship 2015

**A \$500 scholarship** is awarded annually to a Westhampton Beach High School graduating senior who is interested in pursuing college-level studies in the botanical fields. Areas included for study are Horticulture, Landscape Design, Viniculture, Agriculture, Environmental Conservation and Nursery Management. Westhampton Garden Club chose these fields because they are vital to our local environment. Suffolk County is the largest agricultural county in New York State.

**Application Deadline: March 28th**

**Award Ceremony at Westhampton Beach High School Auditorium**

In addition to this completed application form, a school transcript, an essay and two letters of recommendation are required before any application will be considered. All materials should be sent to:

WGC Scholarship Chair  
Westhampton Garden Club  
PO Box 854  
Westhampton Beach, NY 11978  
or  
Scan and email all material to:  
clazarescu@msn.com  
subject: wgc scholarship

## 2015 General Application

Please type or print

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

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

Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Related Activities/Interests: \_\_\_\_\_

Awards Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Leadership Roles: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred College/Major (top three choices): \_\_\_\_\_

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### References

List two individuals who are writing your letters of recommendation. Letters from teachers, coaches or employers should be mailed or emailed by references directly to: WGC Chair, PO Box 854, Westhampton Beach, NY 11978 or clazarescu@msn.com, subject wgc scholarship.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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

### Essay (Please attach/send on separate sheet of paper)

Explain why you are interested in this scholarship and why you have chosen this field of study.

Additionally, you may describe a horticultural or environmental studies class and/or volunteer activity in which you have participated. How has it affected you as a person and how has it affected your plans for the future?

Or, you may express your thoughts on a particular environmental program. Describe its strengths and your ideas on ways to improve it.