

Connecticut State Grange



Scholarship Information and Regulations

Dear Applicant:

Enclosed please find the Application for the 2019 Connecticut State Grange Scholarship. Changes have been made to the program, so please read all pages of this application carefully. Please keep in mind that all parts of this application must be completed in full and returned to the address listed below by **September 1, 2019**. If any part is not completed or if you fail to meet the application requirements, your application will not be reviewed by the Committee. It is in your best interest to get your application in well before the deadline to allow for items being sent to the State Grange separately to arrive in time or to allow us time to notify you of items that may be missing.

A number of Connecticut State Grange Scholarships are available each year to students who are Grange members. The recipients are selected on the basis of character, citizenship, scholastic achievement and participation in community service activities. Scholarships will be presented at the Connecticut State Grange Annual Session held in October. Recipients will be notified of the time and place of the session. We request that you make every effort to be present. Decisions of the Committee will be final. If you need additional space for your answers, please use a separate sheet of paper.

We wish you all the best in your future educational pursuits.

Fraternally,
Scholarship Committee
Nancy Weismuller
Nancy Strong
Dawn Percoski
Todd A. Gelineau, *State Secretary/Ex-Officio*

Applications will be judged on:	
Grange Activities.	40%
Scholastic Achievement	30%
Other.	30%

Connecticut State Grange Scholarship

ELIGIBILITY:

The minimum of \$2,000 scholarships are open to any student accepted to, or attending an accredited college or university after the successful completion of the first year. The \$500 scholarships are open to any Granger who has successfully completed high school and has been accepted to an accredited college or university.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

The application will include expression of the student's interest and achievements as well as an account of his/her service activities. The student will provide an official transcript to demonstrate good performance while at college/high school. (Transcripts are required for both scholarship categories).

We require three (3) letters of recommendation to be attached to this form: One detailing your academic achievements (teacher, principal, superintendent, or guidance counselor); one detailing your community service; and one detailing Grange activities (Grange Master or other officer).

SELECTION CRITERIA:

The criteria to evaluate candidates will include academic performance, high values and positive characteristics, a history of service in the Grange and community and of volunteering to help others. Also of importance will be their motivation and interests as well as their achievements and awards.

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100 Newfield Road, P.O. Box 3, Winchester Center, CT 06094

APPLICATION FOR CONNECTICUT STATE GRANGE SCHOLARSHIP

DEADLINE: SEPTEMBER 1st, 2019

APPLICATIONS NOT RECEIVED BY THIS DATE WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

Name of Applicant _____
Last First Middle

Connecticut Address _____
Street
Town State Zip

Email Address _____

Date of Birth _____ Tel. _____

Father's Name _____ Occupation _____

Mother's Name _____ Occupation _____

Number of Sisters and Brothers by age _____

Number of Sisters and Brothers attending college _____

Grange applicant is a member of _____ Grange No. _____

Length of Grange membership of applicant _____

Grange parent is a member of _____ Grange No. _____

Length of Grange membership of parents _____

Name and location of accredited college or university you are attending:

List paid work experiences: _____

1. GRANGE INVOLVEMENT

List honors, awards received and special achievements (with dates):

2. ACTIVITY AND ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Activities:

Honors, awards and special achievements; list honors, awards and achievements you have received in school:

3. COMMUNITY AND SERVICE INFORMATION

List out-of-school activities and length of time involved in each. Include clubs, church activities, and offices held:

List civic and volunteer activities and length of time involved:

List recognitions and awards:

(If more space is needed, feel free to use additional pages.)