

UPSTATE TURFGRASS SCHOLARSHIP

The requirements for a student to be eligible for an Upstate Turfgrass scholarship are as follows:

- One or more of the applicant's immediate family members must be a member of the Upstate Turfgrass Association

- The student must have already been accepted in an accredited Institution of higher learning
OR
Must attach a copy of the letter of acceptance to their application.

****Although any number of students from the same family may apply, only one student per family will be eligible to receive an award.*

****Past winners are ineligible to apply the following year, though they may reapply after a one year hiatus. They may only be awarded the scholarship no more than twice.*

- **Deadline : May 1st**

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How to Apply

To apply students must complete the application and supply the following documents under one cover sheet:

- 1.) high school or current college transcript
- 2.) typed original essay
- 3.) copy of college acceptance letter

The Upstate Turfgrass Association may award up to two \$500.00 scholarships per calendar year. They will be awarded based on the Criteria for Selection listed below.

- Open to the immediate family members of an Upstate Turfgrass Association member in good standing and can be used for any planned field of study.

Criteria for Selection

Applicants will be evaluated based on:

1. academic achievements: GPA: 2.75 (College) or 3.0 (High School)
2. extracurricular and community involvement
3. leadership
4. outside employment
5. an original 100-word essay by the student on his or her family's involvement with the Upstate Turfgrass Association,

Or

Within the turfgrass industry,

Financial need is not a factor in the selection process.

APPLICATION FOR UPSTATE TURFGRASS ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

Date	
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First Name	
Middle Initial	
Last Name	
Street Address	
City	
State	
Zip	
Phone Number	

High School Attended	
Street Address	
City	
State	
Zip	

Name of Clubs/Organizations

(in which you are a member)

Name of Employer <i>(if employed)</i>	
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Name of Institution of Higher Learning <i>(to which you have been accepted)</i>	
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Name of Upstate Turfgrass Member or Sponsor	
Street Address	
City	
State	
Zip	
Phone	

*****Don't forget to include a copy of your transcript (High School or College) and your 100-word essay, and a copy of your college acceptance letter. *****