

County Weed Directors Association of Kansas Scholarship Program

The County weed Directors Association of Kansas (CWDAK) is a professional organization providing training and assistance for the 105 weed directors in Kansas. The CWDAK would like to help students prepare for careers in the agriculture/agronomy industry and increase awareness of the County Weed Department's role in local government.

The CWDAK will be sponsoring at least four \$500 scholarships for the Fall semester. These scholarships will be awarded to high school seniors majoring in Agriculture or a plant science related field at an accredited Kansas college.

REQUIREMENTS

- ❖ Kansas High School Senior
- ❖ Grade point average of 3.0 on 4-pt. scale or higher
- ❖ Attending a **Kansas college or university** for the Fall semester and enrolled as a full-time student with at least 12 hours.
- ❖ Majoring in **Agriculture or plant science field** (preference to agronomy and plant science)
Return completed application to the scholarship committee. This must be received in the office of: Travis Barnes Chairman of Scholarship Committee, 1002 S Grove Street, Greensburg, KS 67054 Office:(620) 723-2304 Fax: (620) 723-3298 Email: travis.barnes@kiowacountyks.gov by February 1.
- ❖ Submit a copy of the student's high school transcript signed by a school official.
- ❖ Must have two letters of recommendation.
- ❖ All students, online or otherwise, must be enrolled as a full-time student (at least 12 hours).
- ❖ All applications sent to us must be able to be printed on and 8 ½ x 11 sheet of paper.
- ❖ Verification of enrollment - Checks will not be sent until proof of full-time enrollment has been received and **must show school name, name of scholarship winner, and full-time status (12 hours)**.
- ❖ Scholarship money **will not be awarded until Fall Semester & Proof of Enrollment from your College.** Checks will be sent to your County Weed Department so they can present the check to you and possibly get a picture of you with the check for the CWDAK newsletter.

COUNTY WEED DIRECTOR'S ASSOCIATION OF KANSAS

Scholarship Application

Applicant must be in Agriculture Studies and attend college in Kansas

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name _____
(Last name) (First name) (Middle name)

Address _____ City/St/Zip _____

County _____ Age _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ E-mail _____

List siblings in college and where _____

Are you currently employed? _____ Where _____

Number of hours worked per week _____ Address/Phone of employer _____

EDUCATION

Year of high school graduation _____ GPA _____ (based on 4.0 scale) and ACT Score _____

Class rank _____ out of _____

College which you plan to attend _____

Have you been accepted? _____ Planned major _____

College attended or currently attending (if any)

Name	Hours	GPA	Course(s)
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ACTIVITIES & HONORS (Add lines as needed)

List honors and awards (not scholarships) you have received _____

FOR OUR INFORMATION

Give your experiences in dealing with Kansas Noxious Weeds (Add lines as needed):

Briefly explain why you should be considered for one of the County Weed Directors Association scholarships (Add lines as needed):

REFERENCES

Please ask two people who you are not related to and know your abilities to write a letter in support of this application and list them here.

1.	_____	_____	_____	_____
	(Name)	(Address)	(Occupation)	(Phone)
2.	_____	_____	_____	_____
	(Name)	(Address)	(Occupation)	(Phone)

Please be sure to attach high school transcripts and reference letters to this completed application and return to:

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