

**JOHNSON COUNTY K-STATE RESEARCH AND EXTENSION
\$1000 MASTER GARDENER SCHOLARSHIP**

Johnson County Community College Horticulture Certification program
Application Deadline: May 17, 2024

This application must be submitted to the Johnson County Extension Master Gardener program by May 17, 2024. *Please use your permanent contact information below:*

Scholarship requirements:

1. Must be a Johnson County resident.
2. Must have completed one semester of full-time or two semesters of part time study in one of the Horticulture Certification programs with at least 6 credits of horticulture courses from the required class list in the JCCC horticulture curriculum.
3. Letters of recommendation from:
 - A. One JCCC faculty member
 - B. One professional or personal reference from a non-family member
4. A copy of transcripts showing all completed coursework
5. Proof of full or part time enrollment in the following spring semester
6. Submission of completed application, questionnaire and recommendation letters by application deadline.

A check for \$500 will be awarded to apply toward tuition, fees and books for the spring semester. A second check for \$500 will be awarded upon proof of completion of the Certification program. Recipient may be required to meet with Extension Master Gardener Advisory Board.

Submit application and letters to: Johnson County Extension Master Gardeners
11811 S. Sunset, Suite 1500
Olathe, KS 66061
Attn: Extension Master Gardeners, Mary Matthew
Or email to: mary.matthew@jocogov.org

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APPLICATION QUESTIONS**

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

PHONE _____

E-Mail _____

Please answer the following questions as completely as possible. You may print off this form or submit your application electronically. Do not exceed 2 pages in length.

What do you intend to accomplish when you complete your horticulture certificate program?

What extra curricular activities have you been involved in?

Why did you choose horticulture as a career?

Having taken some horticulture classes, summarize (briefly) what you have gained from the courses.

How will your community benefit from your knowledge in horticulture?