



Winona County SWCD

Providing conservation assistance in Winona County since 1938.

Mission

Promote soil and water conservation through technical, educational and financial assistance.

Vision

Comprehensive use of our natural resources for all generations.

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Lewiston MN 55952
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Monday-Friday 8:00-4:30
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2026 Conservation Legacy Scholarship \$1,000

- ♦ Winona County Soil and Water Conservation District would like to honor individuals who have been dedicated to conservation through the years.
- ♦ Conservation Legacy Scholarship will assist a graduating high school senior in Winona County who has post-secondary educational plans to study conservation, natural resources, agriculture or related field.

Scholarship Eligibility

- Graduating High School Senior
- Winona County Resident
- Post-Secondary Educational Plans



Scholarship Selection Criteria

- Conservation Related Study Plans
- Academic Achievement and Recognitions
- Extra-Curricular Activities, Community Involvement, Leadership
- Application Content, Grammar, Neatness, Appearance

Scholarship Awarded after

- First Semester Transcript submitted to Winona County SWCD
- 2.0 GPA minimum required

Application Deadline March 1, 2026

Submit by either

- **Email** abbi.hoffman@winonaswcd.com
- **Mail** Winona County SWCD
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Selection by

- Winona County SWCD

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Personal Information

Last Name	First Name	Grade
Home Address	City/State	Zip
High School Attending	County	
Post-Secondary Educational Plans	Area of Study Plans	
Email - Student	Phone Number - Student	
Parents / Guardians	Phone Number - Parent / Guardian	

Scholarship Questions - Please Attach Answers

1. Introduce yourself - who you are, where are you from, interests and hobbies.
2. List your academic achievement, awards, honors and special recognitions.
3. List your extra-curricular activities, community involvement, leadership and employment.
4. What does conservation of natural resources mean to you?
5. What are your interests and involvement in conservation, natural resources or agriculture?
6. How do you plan to incorporate conservation, natural resources or agriculture into your study plans and future?

***“Pay attention to the things you are naturally drawn to.
They are often connected to your path, passion and purpose in life.
Have the courage to follow them.”
~ Ruben Chavez ~***