

# 2026 Wilson County Master Gardener Education Award Application

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Wednesday, March 18, 2026

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

First and last names of parent(s) or guardian(s)

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High School: \_\_\_\_\_

What college, university, or school will you attend after high school graduation?

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Planned major or course of study \_\_\_\_\_

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**Attach a 300-500 word essay. Please tell us about yourself.**

1. Why you are applying for this award.
2. Academic interests and achievements.
3. Groups or organizations in which you have been an active member.
4. Hobbies or interests.
5. Leadership and volunteer service roles you've had in your school or community.
6. Plans for your future education and career choice.
7. How this award will help you achieve your educational goals.

**Attach two letters of reference** from a guidance counselor, teacher or club sponsor, and/or employer.

**Attach a copy of your high school transcript and your letter of acceptance** from the college, university, or school you plan to attend after high school.

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please email completed applications to  
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