

2023 Scholarship Application

The **Oregon Ridge Nature Center Council** awards scholarships in amounts averaging \$3,000, which are presented yearly to college-bound seniors who have shown a high level of commitment to the health of the environment and who plan to continue their studies in environmental sciences or nature education. *Applications must be postmarked by March 10, 2023.*



Application Guidelines

Qualified applicants are college-bound seniors from Baltimore County or Baltimore City who wish to pursue a career in nature education or environmental sciences and have maintained at least a 3.0 GPA.

Please provide the following information (use extra pages as needed):

1. Student's Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ School _____

Email Address _____

2. Anticipated college major or career goal _____

3. Colleges applied to _____

4. List all extracurricular activities relative to nature and the environment _____

5. List all other activities _____

6. List recognitions or awards _____

7. Enclose two letters of recommendation.

8. Enclose official high school transcripts.

9. Include a short essay addressing the following topics:

- How did you become interested in nature?
- What has been your most rewarding environmental accomplishment?
- What are your plans for a future career?

Postmark by Friday, March 10, 2023 to: Scholarship Committee
Oregon Ridge Nature Center Council
13555 Beaver Dam Road
Cockeysville, MD 21030

Signature _____ Date _____

(Applicants under final consideration will be contacted for an interview.)