



LONG ISLAND HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Eligibility Requirements

- Resident of Long Island
- Matriculated student (part-time or full-time) in a horticultural program
- GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Interest in pursuing a career in horticulture

How to Apply:

- Fill out the application
- Attach two letters of recommendation, preferably one from a teacher and other from work or volunteer supervisor in the industry
- Attach a transcript from the school you are now attending
- Answer the following questions in a few short paragraphs (limit 400 words):
 1. Why did you pick horticulture as a career path?
 2. What do you hope to achieve with your horticultural degree?
 3. Is there any other information not already provided on the application that you wish the committee to consider.

Mail the above material to:

Carlos A. Taborda
Scholarship Committee Chair
7 Leech Circle North,
Glen Cove, NY 11542

Applications will be accepted between November 1sts 2026 to April 1st, 2027. The winner will be notified by May 16th, 2027, and the scholarship will be awarded at the LIHS June 17th, 2027, Members Meeting.



Horticultural Studies

Application Form Deadline

April 1st^h 2027

Please Print

Date of Application: _____ Expected Graduation Date: _____

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Date of Birth _____

Telephone _____ E-mail _____

Name of High School Attended: _____ Dates Attended: _____

Name of Colleges Attended: _____ Dates Attended: _____

College Currently Attending: _____

Current GPA: _____ Fall 2026 * College Status: ☐ Freshman ☐ Sophomore ☐ Junior ☐ Senior

Extra-Curricular Activities: _____

Scholarships or Awards Received (Dates): _____

Participation in Horticultural Clubs/Committees/Groups: _____

Additional Seminars, Conferences Attended: _____

Favorite Field of Interest: _____

Horticultural Work Experience (paid): _____

Volunteer Work Experience/Community Activities: _____

Industry Internships (Dates): _____

Independent Study (Dates): _____

Certifications (currently held or pursuing): _____

Current Career Goals in Horticulture: _____

Use extra sheets as needed