



# Virginia Master Naturalists

Old Rag Chapter

## Application for Old Rag Master Naturalist 2024 Academic Scholarship

Please print or type in blue or black ink. Provide all requested information. If necessary, additional printed or typed sheets may be attached. (Indicate section when adding additional pages.) This is a Word document and the applicant may download it.

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

- Applicant's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle
- Home Address \_\_\_\_\_
- County of Residence \_\_\_\_\_
- Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_
- Email \_\_\_\_\_

### EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

- High School/Home School
- Attending /Attended  
Name  
Dates attended
- Anticipated Date of Graduation

### COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY

- Plan to Attend  
Name  
Location

- Major or Intended Field of Study \_\_\_\_\_

### **LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE**

List organizations in which you hold or have held membership, such as Boy or Girl Scouts, 4-H, or FFA, and give offices, positions or rank held in each.

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### **ACTIVITIES INFORMATION**

List important extra-curricular activities in which you have or are participating in, such as athletics, music, drama, dance, public speaking, clubs, societies, public events or exhibits, Envirothon, Youth Conservation Camp; list years attended; list honors or letters earned.

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### **EMPLOYMENT AND OR VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE**

List employment and/or volunteer experience, including name of employer, dates of employment, position held and brief description of job duties.

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### **REFERENCES** (Attach reference letters)

**List at least two references, other than family members,** who can provide additional information about your scholastic and community activities. Please attach reference letters from those persons you have listed.

Name  
Position  
Address

Tel#

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Position  
Address  
Tel#

**ESSAY 1** (Attach as a separate document)

Attach a typewritten essay (approximately 500 words) describing yourself. Include the purpose for which this scholarship would be used and why you deserve this scholarship. Be specific.

**ESSAY 2** (Attach as a separate document)

Attach a typewritten essay (500 to 1000 words) that addresses an environmental issue of interest to the applicant. Examples of environmental issues could include environmental warming, impact of mining on the water table, stream/river channeling, chemical control of plants or insects.

**SIGNATURES**

I hereby state that the information submitted herewith is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

I have read the foregoing application in full and hereby state that the information contained therein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. (Required if the applicant is under 21 years of age.)

Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian Email \_\_\_\_\_

Please send your completed application, two essays, and reference letters to the address below. The application package may also be submitted as a .pdf file to [beperrrow@gmail.com](mailto:beperrrow@gmail.com)

**Beth Perrow**  
**6459 Intervale Rd**  
**Reva, VA. 22735**

If you have any questions about the scholarship or the application process, contact Beth Perrow at [beperrrow@gmail.com](mailto:beperrrow@gmail.com)

**Please note: The application package must be postmarked or submitted via email by March 15, 2024.**