



2026

**Porter County Master Gardeners Association (PCMGA)**  
**\$2,000 Scholarship Application**

Purdue University Cooperative Extension Service, Porter County  
155 Indiana Avenue, Suite 301, Valparaiso, IN 46383  
Phone 219-465-3555

**Please email completed application to [pcmastergardener@gmail.com](mailto:pcmastergardener@gmail.com) or bring to the Porter County Extension Office by February, 28, 2026, postmark by February 24, 2026. Late applications will be considered on May 31, 2026, if funds are available.**

Name of applicant (contact person) \_\_\_\_\_

Name of organization involved (if any) \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

College Attending \_\_\_\_\_

Current Major \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Date of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_

Please attach:

- 1) Your latest official college transcript.
- 2) A letter of recommendation from an instructor in your academic field.
- 3) A short essay highlighting your interest in horticulture/gardening, your academic highlights, career goals and related employment or volunteer activities.

I have read the scholarship guidelines on [pcgarden.info](http://pcgarden.info) **and I am a resident of Porter County.**

I certify that all information on this form is true and factual. I agree that PCMGA may use this information and other information provided by me in connection with this program for purposes of news and publicity in all media, including but not limited to print and electronic media, social media, internet websites, and video presentations.

Signature of applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_