

Friends of Volo Bog \$1000 Environmental Studies/Natural Science Scholarship Application 2023

Find complete eligibility info at www.FriendsofVoloBog.org/scholarships. Submission Deadline: March 31

Applications are accepted January 1 – March 31 each year. Scholarships are announced in May.

I am (check one):

- A High School Senior applying to an accredited college or university to study **environmental or natural science**.
- A College/University Student continuing my studies of **environmental or natural science** at an accredited college.

Applicant Information (please print)

Date: _____

Name (First Last):	Career Aspiration:
Home (Permanent) Street Address:	
City, State, Zip:	Phone Number:
Qualifying Illinois County of Primary Residence (please circle): Lake McHenry Kane DuPage Kendall Will Cook	
Email Address:	Alternate Email:
How/where did you hear about our scholarship?	

High School Information

Name of High School	(Anticipated) Date of Graduation
Town & County	

University/College Information

Name of College	Degree/Major/Minor
Town & County	(Anticipated) Date of Graduation
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Town & County	(Anticipated) Date of Graduation

Required Application Packet Contents:

1. This Application Form filled out completely
2. At least one signed letter of recommendation from a non-relative who has a science/natural science background and is familiar your goals and aptitude
3. A one-page essay addressing your motivation for choosing an environmental or natural science career, your related experiences and attributes, such as leadership skills, and your educational goals
4. Sealed official school transcripts reflecting your GPA of B average or higher.

If you have any questions, please email FriendsofVoloBog@gmail.com

Application packet **MUST be received at the VBSNA Visitor Center by March 31st.**

If sent by U.S. mail, the packet must be postmarked by March 28th, and sent to: SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE, Friends of Volo Bog, 28478 W. Brandenburg Rd., Ingleside IL 60041.

If you plan to bring the packet to the Visitor Center, please call ahead (815-344-1294) to be sure it will be open when you plan to come.

Agreement and Signature

By submitting this application, I affirm that the facts set forth in it are true and complete. I understand that if I am accepted as a scholarship recipient, any false statements, omissions, or other misrepresentations made by me on this application will result in the loss of this scholarship. I further understand that, if chosen, my written narrative may be published, in part or in whole, in *The Bog Log* and/or on the FOVB website, and that an image of me may be used by Friends of Volo Bog & Volo Bog State Natural Area in any of their media.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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