



SD WEEDFIGHTERS SCHOLARSHIP

To be eligible for a Weed Fighter's scholarship you must meet the following requirements:

1. Must be a citizen of the United States and a South Dakota resident.
2. Must be a high school graduate, you'll receive the funds after you complete one semester in college.
3. Must be a post-secondary student with an agriculture production, precision farming, agronomy, entomology, Natural Resources or related field of study in a South Dakota College, University or Technical School or any bordering state.

At least 2 scholarships will be awarded with a minimum of \$1000 each.

Scholarship Application Form

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Address _____ Home County _____

Telephone Number _____ Email Address. _____

ACADEMIC INFORMATION:

High School: _____ Year of Graduation: _____

Name of College/University/Technical School Attending: _____

Major or area of academic emphasis: _____ Cumulative Grade Point Average: _____

***ESSAY:** The essay theme is "Why Noxious Weed Control is Important to Me." Examples include: environmental/ecosystem implications, import/export/trade concerns, economic issues, crop/range productivity, biodiversity, etc. Creativity is encouraged! At the end of your essay please list the members of your County Weed and Pest Board. The essay should be typed, double-spaced, and approximately 500 words. Put your name, college/university or technical school and major field of study at the top of each page.

***REQUIRED INFORMATION:** Assemble the application materials into **ONE** pdf in the following order:

1. This Application Form
2. Your Essay
3. Unofficial High School or College Transcript

Please name this pdf file with your first and last name and the submission date. Ex JohnDoe1-6-27.pdf.

Submit PDF Application via email by **March 1st, 2027** to: SDweedfighters@gmail.com Late applications will not be considered.

Where did you learn of this scholarship opportunity? _____

CERTIFICATION: To the best of my knowledge, the information presented on this application is complete and true.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date: _____