

# Kentucky Forest Leadership Program - Scholarship Application

## Supported by the Kentucky Woodland Owners Foundation

*Kentucky Forest Leadership Program (KFLP) Scholarship supported by The Kentucky Woodland Owner Foundation (KWOF) is made available for youth interested in learning more about Kentucky's natural resources and opportunities related to this important field with special consideration for students in need of financial support.*

**The application deadline is April 28, 2025** (mailed applications should be postmarked by 4/25/25)

**Please complete the form below and attach the requested documents on page 2**

First Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade level at time of application: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Parent/Guardian Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Male \_\_\_ Female \_\_\_

Has the applicant ever received a scholarship for KFLP before? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If yes, what year(s) and from which organization? \_\_\_\_\_

Why is a scholarship needed in order for this camper to attend camp? List any extenuating circumstances.

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How will the applicant benefit from receiving a scholarship? Please elaborate.

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**Kentucky Woodland Owner's Association – Kentucky Forest Leadership Program Scholarship Guidelines:** Two partial scholarships of \$200 are available to boys and girls who want to attend the Kentucky Forest Leadership Program. Each scholarship will cover \$200 of the cost of the KFLP registration for 1 of 2 successful applicants. Scholarship money will be paid directly to the Kentucky Forest Council for the awarded applicant prior to the first day of the program. **Successful applicants will be notified by May 2, 2025.** These scholarships are available to pay a portion of the KFLP fee for youth that would benefit from this educational experience and would not be able to attend the program otherwise. All information will remain confidential. Scholarships are made regardless of race, religious, socioeconomic status, disability, sexual orientation, or other aspect of diversity.

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Parent/guardian must sign below to indicate support of this applicant.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Please complete the following (type or print neatly):**

1. **First Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Last Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

2. **List of extra-curricular activities applicant participates in:**

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3. **Write an essay (*maximum 1 page in length*) describing your interest in natural resources and environmental sciences and why they are important to Kentucky (*please attach document, typed or clearly printed*).**

4. **Two letters of recommendation (*must be signed*). The letters must be from 1.) Your parent or guardian; and 2.) 4-H volunteer leader or teacher/advisor from another youth organization giving full support and approval for the application (*please attach the documents*).**

5. **Mail Application, Essay and 2 Letters of Recommendation to:**

Laurie Thomas  
UK Department of Forestry  
217 TP Cooper Bldg.  
Lexington, KY 40546

**Or**

**Email Application, Essay and 2 Letters of Recommendation: [laurie.thomas@uky.edu](mailto:laurie.thomas@uky.edu)**