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## Oklahoma Forest Heritage Center Quintus Herron Educational Scholarship For Graduating High School Seniors

The Oklahoma Forest Heritage Center was established in 1976 for the purpose of supporting and promoting Oklahoma's forestry community. The Forest Heritage Center's goal is to provide quality educational opportunities and experiences in the benefits of sound forest practice with respect to the production of forest products, wildlife enhancement, recreational enhancement, and the environmental benefits of the forest. The Forest Heritage Center provides quality learning experiences in these areas through and collaboration with trusted members of Oklahoma's forestry community and its stakeholders.

In a continuing effort to support the professional development of future foresters for Oklahoma, the Forest Heritage Center sponsors an annual \$500 scholarship to a graduating high school senior. The graduate must be from a high school in Oklahoma and enrolling in a college level forestry program in one of Oklahoma's institutions for higher education.

## **Scholarship Application Requirements and Necessary Documentation**

- The student must provide proof of meeting the graduation requirements from a high school located in Oklahoma.
- The student must have completed, and provide proof of, a minimum of 10 documented hours of forest-related volunteer service since January 1<sup>st</sup> of the previous calendar year (2019).
- Proof of enrollment in a forestry program in one of Oklahoma's institutions for higher education must be provided in order for a deposit to be made into the student's bursar account for the fall semester. The enrollment must be in the fall semester of the current calendar year (2020).
- The student must submit an original essay entitled: The Heritage of Oklahoma's Forest
- Two personal letters of reference.
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## **Scholarship Application Submission**

- Applications will be made available on the Forest Heritage Center Facebook page, at forestry.ok.gov and the Forest Heritage Center office located in Beaver's Bend State Park.
- Return necessary documentation to the office of the Forest Heritage Center. The application packet may be submitted in person at the Forest Heritage Center office located in Beavers Bend State Park, by mail, or by electronic submission in a PDF format.
- A deposit will be made into the student's bursar account upon proof of enrollment in the 2020 fall semester.
- The FHC Board of Directors will select the recipient of the scholarship based on points awarded for the completion of the application packet, amount and type of volunteer service, quality of the essay submitted, and personal reference.
- The scholarship recipient will be honored at the annual at the Owa-Chito Forestry Luncheon on April 23, 2020.

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Please return application, including this cover page, before March 10,2020.