

# VAL AND BILL TILLET SCHOLARSHIP

*Now accepting 2026 scholarship applications to support students enrolled in the Northern Virginia Community College Horticulture Technology program.*

## HOW TO APPLY

Visit:

[www.communityfoundationLF.org/students](http://www.communityfoundationLF.org/students)

to access the application and submission instructions.

For inquiries, please contact:

[scholarships@CommunityFoundationLF.org](mailto:scholarships@CommunityFoundationLF.org)

## DEADLINE

Applications are due **April 6, 2026**.

## ABOUT

The Val and Bill Tillette Scholarship Fund was created by Val and Bill Tillett. Val Tillett is a graduate from the NVCC horticulture program, and the Tillett family are generational farmers in Loudoun County.



## SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY

Scholarships of \$1,000 are available to Northern Virginia Community College students enrolled in the Horticulture programs.

## APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Recipient must be attending Northern Virginia Community College seeking a degree within the school's Horticulture Technology program.

Award priority includes Loudoun County residence as well as financial need; residents of Prince William, Fairfax, Alexandria, and Arlington will be considered.

Both full-time and part-time applicants may apply. Once selected, an applicant may apply for a second consecutive year of scholarship support with re-application and at least a 2.5 GPA or C+ or higher.

### APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

- Completed Universal Application Form
- 250-words essay sharing "Why a degree in Horticulture Technology or Landscape Design Specialization is a good fit for me," or, "My financial challenges to attend school;"
- Letter of recommendation from the Program Head or teacher in the NOVA Community College's Horticulture program
- FAFSA/1040
- Grade transcripts required.

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