

**2010**  
**Texas Big Game Awards**  
**Wildlife Conservation College Scholarship**  
**Application Form**

Please type or print clearly

**Applicant's Information**

Applicant's Name: _____	County: _____
Address: _____ _____	Phone: _____
Age: _____	Grade Level: _____ (Completed)
Year Graduated High School: _____	Office Use Only: _____ TBGA Region
Male _____ Female _____ (For letter salutation purposes only.)	

**Educational Data**

Have you ever been awarded a scholarship?  
(If yes, then what scholarship(s) have you received.)

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Field of study you plan to major in (must be an agriculture and/or natural resource related field):

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Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_  
(G.P.A.) (A=4.0)

- **College students must submit an official college transcript and two letters of recommendation.**
- **High school graduates must submit an official high school transcript with class rank posted, and two letters of recommendation.**

**Activities and Achievements**

Have you ever participated in the Texas Big Game Awards (TBGA) program?  
(If yes, then what year, what type of award did you receive, and what region.)

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Extracurricular Activities: (Attach an additional page if necessary)

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Honors and Awards (attached additional sheet if necessary): \_\_\_\_\_

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### Short Essay - 500 words or less per question

On a separate sheet of paper, please answer the following questions. Please limit your responses to one page or less per question:

1. With the support of hunters, current populations of game species have been restored to abundant levels. These populations now provide millions of days of hunting recreation, high quality food, and billions of dollars into the economy. But what about tomorrow? What will happen if hunters are no longer available to provide this vital support to long-term wildlife conservation?
2. Recent surveys have shown that there are barriers (and/or perceived barriers) to hunter participation. Some of these could include competition for time, access to a mentor, equipment or place, etc. What do you perceive as barriers to hunting and how do we address or remove these barriers?

### Certification

I hereby certify that all information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I hereby give permission to the TBGA Selection Committee to share this information for the purpose of review, recruitment, and public relations. I also authorize the Texas Wildlife Association to publish my short essays as desired.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\* For additional information please visit our website at [www.TexasBigGameAwards.com](http://www.TexasBigGameAwards.com)

\*\*\* Applications must be postmarked by March 1, 2010.

\*\*\* For other information, please call (800) 839-9453, ext. 114, or  
Email us at: [dbrimager@texas-wildlife.org](mailto:dbrimager@texas-wildlife.org)

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