# K-State Division of Biology

# Biology Student Opportunity Award

**Description:** Awards are given to undergraduate degree-seeking students in biology, microbiology, and fisheries, wildlife, conservation, and environmental biology whose future at K-State may be in jeopardy and have demonstrated a need for temporaryfinancial assistance. These awards can be applied for at any time until allocated funds are depleted for the year. Award amount requested can be anywhere between $100-$700.

**Application Process:**

Please note: Having a detailed application ensures a quick response from the biology undergraduate scholarships committee.

1. Complete the Division of Biology Student Opportunity Award Application.
2. Email your completed forms and any attachments to [biology@ksu.edu](mailto:biology@ksu.edu) with the subject line: “DoB Student Opportunity Award Application: Your name”, and copy [emcculloch@ksu.edu](mailto:emcculloch@ksu.edu).

**Eligibility:**

* Is your current financial situation temporary?

Yes  No

* Are you a degree-seeking student at Kansas State University in the Division of Biology majoring in Biology, Microbiology, or Fisheries, Wildlife, Conservation, and Environmental Biology?

Yes  No

**Additional Considerations (do not determine eligibility but are taken into account):**

* Have you met with an on-campus financial advisor or PowerCat Financial Counseling?

Yes  No

* Have you filled out the FAFSA?

Yes  No

* Have you applied to K-State Proud?

Yes  No

* Have you exhausted all available loan, scholarship, grant, and/or work opportunities that you have access to / know of?

Yes  No

# K-State Division of Biology Biology Student Opportunity Award Application

Name: Full name

Year in School: Year in school

Major: Major

Expected Graduation Date: Expected grad semester and year

Hometown: Hometown

Phone Number: phone number

E-mail: e-mail

Date Submitted: Today’s date.

**Survey Questions**

How did you hear about the Division of Biology Student Opportunity Award?

Click or tap here to enter text.

If awarded, can the K-State Division of Biology contact you for a statement about how you benefitted from the award? *Your answer does not affect the awarding process.* Please answer based on your preference.

Yes  No

Are you a previous Division of Biology Student Opportunity award recipient?

Yes  No

If yes, how much was awarded and when?

Click or tap here to enter text.

**Statement of Need**

In 500 words or less, please describe why you are in need of financial assistance, how it is **temporary and/or an emergency**, and how a Division of Biology Student Opportunity Award could help you.

Write up to 500 words

**Budget Proposal**

Please give an estimated budget of how much money would be required and a **detailed** response of how it would be used. When budgeting, please account for the fact that no award will be more than $700. Please add/delete rows as needed.

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**Future Outlook**

In 500 words or less, please describe how the money given to you would help ensure that you can graduate at K-State. Specify not only your plan for this semester, but also for subsequent semesters at K-State.

Write up to 500 words

**Verification of Information**

I, \_Full name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, I certify that the information submitted in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I further understand that any false statements may result in denial or revocation of the award.

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(Signature) Wildcat ID

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