



Triangle Post 2799
3161 E. South Range Rd
P. O. Box 266
New Springfield, Oh 44443
330-542-9928

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM Proposal for Criteria

Criteria for Application
Commencing with the 2016-2017 school year

1. All applicants will be accepted without regard to race, sex, creed, religion, color or national origin.
2. Applications will only be accepted from Springfield High School, or possibly with South Range High School in future years.
3. Applicant must be a graduating senior for the current school year.
4. Applicant must have an attained GPA of 2.0 (on a 4 point scale) for the years commencing 9th grade.
5. Applicant must be actively working to prepare academically for admission to a college or university, demonstrating his/her academic potential through commitment to his/her classroom and assignments.
6. Applicant must intend to seek an Associate's Degree or Bachelor's Degree at an accredited 2 or 4 year college or university within a radius of 200 miles of New Springfield, Ohio.
7. Applicant must be actively involved in an extra curricular activity.
8. Applicant must submit at least two (2) letters of recommendation (may not be a member of the immediate family).
9. Applicant must have a parent, grandparent, aunt, uncle or sibling who is an active member of any branch of the Armed Forces. Or have a parent, grandparent, aunt, uncle or sibling who has an honorable discharge from any branch of the Armed Forces (this parent, grandparent, aunt, uncle or sibling need not be alive for qualification).
10. Applicant must qualify as in need of financial assistance (as determined by the VFW).
11. Applicants must inform VFW of other scholarships awarded and their amount.
12. Applications for financial assistance will not be included in these criteria.
13. Applicants must submit a type written essay of no less than 200 words on one of the following topics:
 - what the United States Constitution means to me
 - why I am proud of my parent's, grandparent's, aunt's, uncle's or sibling's military service
 - why a good education is important in today's World of Work
 - why I believe community involvement is important



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Criteria for Acceptance
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1. Application must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. EST at Post #2799, New Springfield, OH on the first Monday in March of the graduating year (i.e.: March 1, 2017).
2. Application must be accompanied with the following:
 - completed written application
 - evidence of accumulated GPA
 - evidence of extra curricular activity
 - copy of DD214, DOD proof of military service, or current duty assignment of parent, grandparent or sibling
 - letter of acceptance (if available) from college or university to be attended
 - evidence of family income level in accordance with VFW criteria
 - two (2) letters of recommendation
 - type written essay
3. Scholarship will be awarded on the following basis:
 - funds may only be used for tuition, and associated classroom fees.
 - scholarship will be paid in two installments; ½ for Fall semester and the other ½ in the Spring semester. The second installment will be paid on evidence that accumulated GPA is 2.0 and student is officially enrolled in the Spring semester.
 - if the student is enrolled in a school using the quarter system, then the scholarship will be paid in thirds (based on three consecutive quarters; Fall, Winter & Spring).
 - student must be registered for no less than twelve (12) semester hours in each semester (or quarter hours under the quarter system).
 - scholarship money will be paid directly to the college or university in the recipient's name.
4. It is the recipient's responsibility to inform the VFW Scholarship Committee of grades and enrollment in Spring Semester. No funds will be paid for the Spring semester without the above data. (Winter & Spring quarters if applicable)
5. Failure to complete the Fall or Spring Semesters (Fall, Winter & Spring quarters, if applicable) will require reimbursement of funds to the VFW, post #2799 within thirty (30) days of school withdrawal.
6. Falsification of any data with regard to the scholarship will result in immediate cancellation of the scholarship and reimbursement of allocated funds to the VFW, post #2799 (will be subject to legal ramifications).
7. This is a one time scholarship; recipient may not a apply a second time.



VFW Post #2799
 New Springfield, OH
 Scholarship Application

Please type or print all information in **blue** or **black ink**.

GPA _____ (as of the 7th semester)

Class Rank _____ out of _____ students

List extracurricular activities and community involvement.

List any special awards or recognitions you received while in high school.

What school are you planning to attend? _____

What degree are you pursuing? _____ Accepted? _____

Who in your family is currently or has been in the armed services? _____

Name _____
 Attach documentation if you have information listed on other page.

Why are you seeking this scholarship? _____

-----Detach and staple to the front of your application-----

NAME _____

Phone# _____

Address _____
