

# Veteran's Scholarship Fund Application



## Eligibility

A person may apply for the scholarship multiple times, but may only be awarded the scholarship once. It is non-renewable

Application Deadline: September 15

Applicant must be a combat veteran and have been awarded a campaign medal or expeditionary medal

Must be attending a university, college or trade school in the state of Michigan

Must have a minimum GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale. If no post-secondary GPA has been established then high school GPA will be used. Otherwise GPA will be from the post-secondary institution

Must be a current member of a veterans service organization (VSO)

## Instructions

Complete this application

Provide a copy of Student ID

Provide a copy of current VSO membership card

Provide a copy of DD 214 showing campaign credit (please redact SSN)

Provide a copy of transcript (this may be an unofficial copy)

Submit an essay of no more than 600 words outlining why you joined the military, how it affected your life, what you plan to do after graduation and how this scholarship will affect your ability to achieve those plans

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

VSO to which you belong: \_\_\_\_\_

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Institution you are/will be attending:

\_\_\_\_\_

Year in School: \_\_\_\_\_

(i.e. freshman, senior, graduate student, etc)

Major: \_\_\_\_\_

## Submission

Upload all required documents or mail to the below address no later than September 15

VFW Post 5855  
c/o Scholarship Fund Committee  
8845 Sprinkle Road  
Portage, MI 49002