

**The American Legion Auxiliary
Department of Virginia
Veteran's Education Scholarship Requirements**

One scholarship in the amount of \$500 will be awarded to a Veteran each year. The Veteran must be a resident of Virginia and eligible to join the American Legion but is not required to join. The American Legion eligibility dates are from December 7, 1941 until such time as Congress declares the United States is no longer at war. The recipient must be a full-time student at an accredited College or University, either brick and mortar, online, or a combination thereof.

No Unit may submit more than one application.

1. Applicants must present the completed application to The American Legion Auxiliary Unit President on or before March 15, 2024.
2. A copy of the Veteran's DD 214 must accompany the application.
3. The winning entry for each unit must be certified by The American Legion Auxiliary Department of Virginia Unit President and mailed to the Department Education Chair by April 15, 2024 for review by a panel of judges.
4. The scholarship must be used within 24 months of the date the recipient is notified by the Department Secretary/Treasurer.
5. The Department Secretary/Treasurer will send a check to the College/University of the recipient's choice upon receipt of the acceptance letter from the institute of higher learning.

Note: Applications for all scholarship recipients under any program or committee must be reviewed and certified by the Department Finance Committee prior to any notifications or payments.

**American Legion Auxiliary, Department of Virginia
Veteran's Education Scholarship Application**

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip code _____

Phone _____ Email address _____

Occupation _____

Annual gross income _____

Total monthly compensations, pension etc. _____

Marital status: Single _____ Married _____ Divorced _____

Number of dependent children under 18 years of age _____

Name of College or University you plan to attend, or are currently attending:

Address _____

Applicant's signature _____

Print name _____ Date _____

Unit President's signature _____

Print name _____ Date _____

Unit name and number _____

Note: Please be sure to attach a copy of your DD 214. Return this completed application to The American Legion Auxiliary Unit in your community no later than March 15, 2024.

The Unit President will submit no later than April 15, 2024 to:

**Karen Hunter, Department Education Committee Chair
14402 Red House Drive, Centreville, VA 20120 OR education@vaauxiliary.org**