



Roger E McConnell Memorial Scholarship Fund

Founded in 2021, the Roger E. McConnell Memorial Scholarship Fund, is administered by Vets4Vets with the purpose of assisting Active Duty, Reserve, or National Guard military members, Honorably Discharged Veterans, their children and grandchildren by providing scholarship dollars to assist with education expenses.

Qualifying education includes: an accredited University or College, Trade School or apprenticeship program. Applicants must apply to Vets4Vets by April 30, carry a minimum GPA of 2.5 out of 4.0 from a high school or their previous semester of college, be Active Duty, Reserve or National Guard Military members, Honorably Discharged Veterans or the children or grandchildren of the aforementioned. Applications must also be Montana residents and pursuing education through a Montana Institution or apprentice program. Mail the completed application packet to Anna Decker at 8 3rd Street N; Great Falls, MT 59401. Packet must be complete and arranged in the order listed below.

Scholarship Applications will be reviewed by an education committee of Vets4Vets and approved and awarded by the organization's Board of Directors.

CHECK LIST:

- Scholarship Application (**typed or clearly written**)
- Applicant's (or parent/grandparent's) military service information (attach a copy of veteran's DD Form 214). Please blacken SSN in Box 3
- Applicants **must** enclose a copy of Letter of Acceptance, Enrollment or Intent from Montana College, University or Vocational School prior to money being distributed to Montana school of choice
- One Letter of Recommendation. Letter should cover applicant's ability, leadership, work habits, integrity, character, patriotism, potential and volunteer activities
- Photo Release Form

11.	<p>Personal Essay</p> <p>Please answer the following question in 500 words or less. You may use a separate page to complete your answer.</p> <p><i>Explain how your experience as a veteran or as a child/grandchild of a veteran has impacted who you are today.</i></p>
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Signature of scholarship applicant: _____ Date: _____

Please mail this any all corresponding materials by April 30, 2023.

Thank You for your interest in Roger E McConnell Memorial Scholarship Fund



PHOTO RELEASE FORM FOR MINORS (if under 18)

The Vets 4 Vets of Great Falls has my permission to use my or my child's photograph publicly in conjunction with the Vets 4 Vets Scholarship. I understand that the images will be used for print publication, online publication, presentation, websites, and social media. I understand that no royalties, payments, fees, or any other compensation for the photographs used will be paid to me or my child for their use.

Child's Name: _____
Guardian's Name: _____
Guardian's Signature: _____
Phone Number: _____
Date: _____

PHOTO RELEASE FORM FOR ADULTS

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Name: _____
Signature: _____
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