# AMVETS Department of NY Service Poundation

# 2023-2024 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

### ABOUT OUR SCHOLARSHIPS

AMVETS Department of NY Service Foundation is proud to offer scholarships to our Veterans, Active Duty, Guard and Reserves; their Spouses as well as their Children and Grandchildren.

Each scholarship is designed to assist the eligible recipient with the financial responsibility of college.

#### APPLICATION PERIOD



OCTOBER 21, 2023 THRU FEBRUARY 14, 2024

## WHO'S ELIGIBLE

- ✓ Honorably discharged Veteran or current enlistee
- High school seniors entering college
- College sophmores entering their junior year
- College juniors entering their senior year
- Graduate student seeking Master's degree
- Skilled Trades

### APPLY HERE

www.nyamvets.org/scholarship-application

APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY FEBRUARY 14, 2024







#### **DEPARTMENT OF NEW YORK SERVICE FOUNDATION**

Leonard E. Scheiner, Scholarship Chairperson 30 Clay Lane, Levittown, NY 11756 • (516) 864-7212

Date: October 21, 2023

**To:** State Officers, Post Commanders & Membership, Auxiliary Presidents & Membership, Riders Presidents & Membership, and Sons Commanders & Membership

#### Re: 2023-2024 NY AMVETS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Please refer to the below table for the 2023-2024 NY AMVETS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP. Applicants must meet the following criteria:

- 1. They must be a blood relative or legal adoptee of a NY AMVET or NY Sons of AMVET member.
- 1A. Parents, grandparents who are blood relatives and legally adoptee's **all others will have to submit a notarized statement showing how you are a blood relative**.
- 2. No in-laws will be accepted.
- 3. Veterans must show proof of honorable discharge or current enlistment.
- 4. High school seniors must be accepted to college.
- 5. Sophomores must be entering their junior year of college.
- 6. Juniors must be entering their senior year of college.
- 7. Graduate students must be enrolled in graduate school (Master's or higher).
- 8. Skilled Trades must be able to be enrolled in class.

CRITERIA	AMOUNT (EACH)
Honorably discharged Veteran or current enlistee	\$2,000.00
High school seniors entering college	\$1,000.00
College sophomores entering their junior year	\$2,000.00
College juniors entering their senior year	\$2,000.00
Graduate student seeking Master's degree	\$2,000.00
Skilled Trades	\$2,000.00



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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT MUST PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING:

- 1. A copy of this instruction sheet;
- 2. Completed Scholarship Application with signatures and dates;
- 3. A copy of sponsor's current membership card;
- 4. **Veterans**: If honorably discharged, must include a copy of your DD214. If currently enlisted, must include copy of current military orders and I.D. card;
- 5. **H.S. Seniors**: Official high school academic record (transcript of grades). Sealed envelopes will be accepted;
- All College and Graduate Students: Transcripts from all schools attended or, if unavailable an Official letter from the college, listing the grades and attesting to their validity. Computer generated grades will not be accepted;
- 7. **Skilled Trades**: Copy of Enrollment/Application Form;
- 8. An individual letter describing the applicant's goals; and
- 9. A 250 Minimum word essay pertaining to the topic:

#### "WHY IS IT IMPORTANT TO VOTE?"

Applicants must be mindful to complete the proper application. If an application is submitted for other than the scholarship being sought, it will be **DISQUALIFIED**.

If additional applications are required, please make photocopies.

## ALL OF THE ENUMERATED ITEMS MUST BE INCLUDED AND POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN FEBRUARY 14, 2024. APPLICATIONS ARE TO BE MAILED TO:

#### LEONARD E. SCHEINER 30 CLAY LANE LEVITTOWN, NEW YORK 11756

PLEASE NOTE: The Service Foundation reserves the right to change the amount of any Scholarship.

Yours in AMVETS,

Dave Feary

Dave Feary President



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## **AMVETS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

**APPLICATION** (Check Appropriate Box):

U Veteran		College Junior	
High School Senior		Graduate Student	
College Sophomore		Skilled Trades	
APPLICANT NAME			
HOME ADDRESS			
CITY	_STATE	ZIP CODE	
ARE YOU A VETERAN?	_IF SO, BRANCH &	& YEARS OF SERVICE	
PHONE NUMBER	NE NUMBERDATE OF BIRTH		
FATHER'S NAME			
MOTHER'S NAME			
NAME OF COLLEGE/TRADE SCHOOL			
ADDRESS			
PHONE NUMBER OF COUNSELOR			
ANTICIPATED DATE OF GRADUATION_			
NAME OF SPONSOR AND POST #			
RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT			
CERTIFICATION: I certify that all information on this application is true and accurate to the best of m			

CERTIFICATION: I certify that all information on this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I agree to provide requested documentation to verify information submitted. ANY FALSE INFORMATION WILL BE CAUSE FOR DENIAL OR WITHDRAWL OF THE SCHOLARSHIP.

Applicant's Signature	Date
Sponsor's Signature	Date