## **EDUCATION and SCHOLARSHIPS**

## PROGRAM ACTION PLAN

The Education Program promotes the American Legion Auxiliary's role in providing quality education for children and adults through classroom activities, literacy programs, scholarship promotion and support of education beyond high school, with a special emphasis on children of veterans and service members. The Auxiliary provides education to school children of all grades.

Important dates to remember:

November 18-22 American Education Week

February 1 Mid-Year Unit/District Reports Due to Department Chairman

March 1 National Scholarship applications due

April 15 Purple Up! Day for military children

May 1 Unit/District Reports due to Department Chairman

May 5 – 9 Teacher Appreciation Week

May 15 Department Education/Scholarship Reports due to National.

Scholarships available:

**American Legion Auxiliary** 

Children of Warriors, National President Scholarship Non-Traditional Student Spirit of Youth Junior Member Loyalty

**Legion Scholarships:** 

Samsung American Legion American Legion Scholarship

VAVS Scholarship:

James H Parke Memorial

Visit ALAforVeterans.org for ideas for celebrating Education Week, Teacher Appreciation, Purple Up! Day, as well as activities to support children in their education.

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