

Scholarship Information for Military-Connected Students

**** - Updated application window/deadline has not yet been posted***

<u>Scholarship</u>	<u>Application Date</u>	<u>Eligibility Criteria</u>	<u>Award Amount</u>	<u>Application Info.</u>	<u>Branch of Service</u>
AMVET's Scholarship	Opens: Mid January 2027 - 11:59p April 30, 2027	Varies, High School senior, 3.0 GPA. Child/grandchild of active duty/reserves/guard/retired military.	\$4,000-\$12,000 annually	http://amvets.org/scholarships/	Any branch
Scholarships for Military Children/Commissary Scholarship	Application will open mid-Dec 2026. Closes Feb 12, 2027	Minimum GPA 3.0. Open to children of active duty, reserve/guard, or retired military.	\$2,000	www.militaryscholar.org	Any branch
Heroes' Legacy Scholarship	Opens 12/11/26. Closes 2/12/27	Child of a service member who has passed away while serving on active duty or who became disabled while serving. Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0	Undisclosed Amount	https://militaryscholar.org/legacy/index.html	Any branch
Balfour Beatty Community Foundation Scholarship	*Continue to check website for application deadline	Be a resident living in a Balfour Beatty Communities owned and managed military, student housing or multi-family community (NAS Pensacola base housing). Minimum 3.0 GPA.	\$500-\$3000	https://www.bbcommunitiesfoundation.org/scholarships	Any branch
The Retired Enlisted Association (TREA) Memorial Foundation National Scholarship	Now Open	A dependent child, grandchild or great grandchild of a TREA or TREA Auxiliary member in good standing, or of a deceased person who was a member at the time of their demise. Attending college. Application under Scholarship Committee Tab.	Undisclosed Amount	https://www.trea.org/	Any branch
Veterans United Foundation Scholarship	opens 4/1/2027, closes 4/30/2027	Must be a surviving child of a deceased service member, from a service-related death OR a veteran with a 100% service-connected disability. Planning to attend college.	Up to \$50,000	https://www.enhancelives.com/scholarships	Any branch

Staunton Military Academy Alumni Scholarship	closes July 1, 2027	descendants of SMA alumni who are graduating high-school seniors who have acceptance at a two- or four-year colleges may apply	\$5,000	https://sma-alumni.org/legacy-scholarship-program/	Any branch
Scholarships for Children and Spouses of Deceased or Disabled Veterans	Must complete Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA) between 10/1/2026 - 4/1/2027	Dependent children of qualified Florida veterans who died as a result of service-connected injuries, diseases, or disabilities sustained while on active duty or who have been certified by the Florida Department of Veterans Affairs as having service-connected 100% permanent and total disabilities.	Varies	https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/PDF/factsheets/CSDDV.pdf	Any branch
American Legion Auxiliary Children of Warriors National Presidents' Scholarship	Deadline: 3/1 of each calendar year	Candidates for this award shall be daughters, sons, grandsons, granddaughters, great-granddaughters, great-grandsons of veterans who served in the Armed Forces during eligibility dates for membership in The American Legion (April 6, 1917-November 11, 1918 or any time after December 7, 1941). For undergraduate study only at a four-year accredited college or university.	\$5,000	https://www.legion-aux.org/Scholarships/Children-of-Warriors	Any branch
Military Commanders' Scholarship Fund	Deadline June 9, 2027	Child of active duty, reserve, National Guard or retired service members who hold valid Exchange & Commissary shopping privileges at the time of application. Minimum GPA of a 3.5. Planning to enroll full-time at an accredited college or university.	\$5,000	https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/militarycommanders/	Any branch
Blinded Veterans Association Scholarship	Opens: December 2026	Dependent children, grandchildren, and spouses of blinded veterans, and those of active duty blinded service members of the U.S. Armed Forces.	\$2,500	https://bva.org/programs/scholarships-awards/	Any branch

Children of Fallen Patriots Foundation	No deadline	Children of military personnel who have passed away in the line of duty	Grant program, no set amount	https://www.fallenpatriots.org/enroll-a-student	Any branch
The MOAA Education Assistance Program	Application open 11/1/2026 - 3/1/2027	Applicants must have a parent eligible for MOAA membership or be children of active duty, reserve, National Guard, or retired enlisted military personnel. Minimum GPA or a 3.0.	Grants and scholarships available, amount varies	https://charities.moaa.org/scholarship-fund/loan-programs/	Any branch
Folds of Honor Scholarship	2/1/2027-3/31/2027	Child of service member who was killed in the line of duty, disabled with a VA disability rating (10% or higher) or active duty with a purple heart. Minimum GPA 2.0.	Up to \$5,000	https://foldsofhonor.org/scholarships/military-scholarships/	Any branch
The Freedom Alliance Scholarship Fund	HS Seniors apply after 4/15/2027	Children of military personnel who have been killed or permanently disabled in a combat mission or training accident.	Grant program, no set amount	https://fascholarship.com/apply/	Any branch
Navy League Foundation Scholarship	Opens 10/15/2026, Deadline is 3/15/2027	Dependent or direct descendant of a current or former member of the U.S. Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard or U.S.-Flag Merchant Marines or an active member of the U.S. Naval Sea Cadet Corps.	\$1,000 to \$10,000	https://www.navyleague.org/programs/navy-league-foundation-scholarships/#scholsum	Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, U.S. Flag Merchant Marines or U.S. Naval Sea Cadet Corps
Fleet Reserve Association (FRA) Education Scholarship Programs	9/1/26 -4/15/27	Must be a child or grandchild of a Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard service member who is active duty, retired, reserve, or honorably discharged. Planning to attend college full time. Scholarships available for FRA and non-FRA members. See website for various scholarship applications.	\$1000 to \$5000	https://www.fra.org/fra/Web/Events and Programs/Fra Education Foundation Scholarships/Web/Content/FRA Education Foundation.aspx?hkey=fe5fe4c8-48b6-4003-be7b-5f3f317c6600	Navy, Marine Corps or Coast Guard

Wings Over America Scholarship	10/1/26 - 2/1/27: Pre Qualifications. 3/1/27 - Deadline	Dependent children and spouses of active duty, retired, honorably discharged, or deceased Enlisted or Officer U.S. Navy personnel who serve or have served in U.S. Navy Aviation	Average disbursement is \$5000	https://wingsoveramerica.us/app	Navy
Chief Petty Officer Scholarship Fund	Opens 1/1/2026, Deadline: 4/1/2027	Must be a dependent (child, step-child, or spouse) of an active duty/retired/reserves/deceased Navy Chief Petty Officer	\$5,000 (2 individuals) & \$2,000 (20-50 individuals)	http://www.cposf.org/scholarship	Navy
Tailhook Educational Foundation Scholarship	12/16/2026-2/17/2027	High school graduate and child or grandchild of a current or former Naval Aviator, Naval Flight Officer, or Air-crewman OR children/grandchildren of individuals who served onboard a U.S. Navy aircraft carrier AND accepted for undergraduate enrollment at an accredited college.	\$3,000-\$15,000	https://www.tailhook.net/tef	Navy
Navy Seal Foundation Scholarship	2 application cycles: apply 1/6/27 - 2/17/27, or 6/1/27 - 6/30/27. Test Preparation Assistance application open all year.	Dependent children of active duty SEALs, SWCC and other active duty Naval Special Warfare personnel currently serving in NSW Commands. Based on merit and academic potential (GPA, SAT/ACT scores, class ranking, extracurricular activities, volunteer community involvement, and leadership positions held.)	Varies since there are 3 scholarships listed	https://www.navysealfoundation.org/what-we-do/educational-opportunities/#1471371189919-2e69ad32-8dda	Navy
*Dolphin Scholarship Foundation (website not working as of 9/3/25)	10/1/2026-3/15/2027	Be a child or stepchild of a member or former member of the U.S. Navy Submarine Force. Intending to be enrolled as a full-time student.	Annual grant of \$2,600 or \$4,000	http://dolphinscholarship.org/scholarships/	Navy

Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society	Application opens 2/16/2027, closes 4/17/2027	Children of active duty or retired Sailors and Marines (including retired Reservists drawing military retirement pay) and children of deceased Sailors and Marines who died on active duty or after retirement. Minimum GPA of a 2.0. Registered in DEERS.	Grants and Interest free loans \$500-\$3,000	https://www.nmcrcs.org/pages/education-loans-and-scholarships	Navy or Marine Corps
Marine Corps Scholarship Foundation	1/1/2027-3/1/2027	Child of active, retired, reserve, or deceased Marine. Minimum GPA 2.0. 1) Career and Technical scholarship (Available ALL year) 2) Undergraduate/Associate Degree scholarships available 1/1 of the current year. https://www.mcsf.org/apply/eligibility/	\$2,500-\$10,000	https://www.mcsf.org/apply/	Marine Corps or Navy attached to Marine Corps unit
Marine Corps Tankers Association Scholarship Program	2/15/2027 - 3/15/2027	Child or grandchild of a Marine Tanker or serving with a Marine Tank Unit. Sponsor must be a member for the Marine Corps Tankers Association.	\$2,000-\$3,000	https://www.usmctankers.org/scholarship/	Marine Corps
Marines' Memorial Association and Foundation	Opens 1/14/2027 - 3/29/27	Various scholarship opportunities for dependents of Marine Corps service members.	Varies	https://marinesmemorial.org/members/scholarships/	Marine Corps
Society of Daughters of United States Army Scholarship Program	11/1/2026 - 3/1/27	Daughter/step-daughter or granddaughter of a career commissioned or warrant officer of US Army. Minimum of a 3.0 GPA.	\$1,500	holarship/society-of-daughters-of-the	Army
Army Scholarship Foundation	Opens: January 2027	Dependent of active duty, reserve, or retired Army member. Minimum of a 2.0 GPA. Completed FAFSA and SAR. Pursuing undergraduate studies at an accredited college/university.	\$500-\$2,000	https://armyscholarshipfoundation.org/	Army
Association of the United States Army Scholarships	Opens 2/2027, Closes 3/2027	Various scholarship opportunities for dependents of Army service members	Varies	https://www.ausa.org/scholarships	Army

AAAA Scholarship Foundation	9/1/2026-12/15/2026	Child/grandchild/spouse/sibling of a member of the AAAA (Army Aviation Association of America). Planning to attend an accredited college or university.	\$1000 to \$12,000	https://www.quada.org/scholarship	Army
Women's Army Corps Veteran's Association	Deadline: 2/2/2027	Child, grandchild, niece or nephew of an Army Service Woman. Minimum GPA 3.5.	\$1,500	https://www.armywomen.org/scholarships	Army
General Henry H. Arnold Education Grant/AFAS Merit Scholarship	Opens 1/2027	Child or spouse of active, reserve, retired or deceased Air Force or Space Force Service Member. Minimum GPA of 2.0. Planning to attend college. After completing this application you may then apply for the AFAS Merit Scholarship.	\$500-\$4,000	https://afas.org/haparnoldgrant/	Air Force
Air Force Sergeants Association and Airmen Memorial Foundation Scholarship Program	1/1/2027-3/31/2027	Uniformed Services dependent children pursuing undergraduate degrees. Sponsors must be Military members, Joint Services Enlisted and Commissioned Officers currently serving Active Duty, Retired or a Veteran of the military. Several scholarships listed.	\$1,000 to \$5,000	https://www.hqafsa.org/scholarships.html	Air Force
Dr. Sydel Perlmutter Gold Memorial Scholarship	Opens 12/2026 Deadline: 4/30/2027	Daughter of Active, Guard, Reserve or deceased Air Force member pursuing a bachelor's degree in a STEM field. Planning to attend an accredited 4-year college/university.	\$5,000 Annually	https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarships/dr-sydell-perlmutter-gold-memorial-scholarship	Air Force
Tuskegee Airmen Memorial Scholarship	Deadline: 4/30/2026	Dependent of active duty, guard, reserve or retired member of the Air or Space Force. Minimum GPA of a 3.0. Scholarship can be applied to undergraduate or graduate degrees as well as pilot training programs.	\$1,500	https://www.taisf.org/scholarship-information.html	Air Force or Space Force

Coast Guard Exchange Scholarship Program	Deadline: 2/28/2027	Dependents of Coast Guard active duty, reserve, and retired service members, current civilian NAF and APF employees and Coast Guard Auxiliaries. Senior in high school and planning to attend an accredited college/university full time.	\$2,000	https://www.coastguardmwr.org/cg-x-scholarship	Coast Guard
Colonel Aaron Burgstein Memorial Scholarship	Opens 12/1/2026 Deadline: 4/30/2027	Dependent of active duty, retired, reserve, National Guard or prior service member. Pursuing a 2-year or 4-year degree at an accredited college/university. GPA above a 2.5	\$1,000	http://www.afa.org/education-support/scholarships	Any branch
Lt Col Romeo and Josephine Bass Ferretti Scholarship	Opens 12/2025 Deadline: 4/30/2026	Dependent of Air and Space Force active duty, reserve, or Air National Guard enlisted airmen pursuing an undergraduate STEM degree.	\$5,000	http://www.afa.org/education-support/scholarships	Air Force
John C. and Blanche Lee Lindsay Memorial Scholarship	Opens 12/2026 Deadline: 4/30/2027	Dependent of active duty, retired, veteran, reservist, or National Guard members of the Air Force. Pursuing a college degree.	\$2,500	http://www.afa.org/education-support/scholarships	Air Force
Air & Space Forces Association	Opens 12/2026 Deadline: 4/30/2027	Varies, funding for AF/SF personnel, dependents/spouses for college degrees, pilot programs, and dental assistance	Varies	https://www.afa.org/scholarships/	Air Force/Space Force
Brown Hudner Navy Scholars	*Continue to check website for application deadline	children of Sailors pursuing or planning to pursue a degree in science, technology, engineering, mathematics (STEM) or health sciences.	Varies, up to \$3,860	https://www.brownhudner.org/apply/	Navy
AUSA Sunshine Chapter Educational Scholarship	applications due 3/24/2027	Must be a member of AUSA Sunshine Chapter, be enrolled in college or university/trade school for Fall 2026 term	\$5,000	https://www.ausa.org/sunshine-chapter/blog/sunshine-chapter-2024-educational-scholarship-program	Army
I Can Do It! Endowed Scholarship	application due 7/1/27 for Fall term	GED assistance for Active/Retired Military and their families or foster children. Must have 2.0 GPA and be enrolled in GED courses.	\$500 per semester	https://financialaid.pensacolastate.edu/scholarships/	All Branches

ASF Undergraduate Scholarships	*Continue to check website for application deadline	dependents of active duty, reserve, guard, or former Army members with honorable discharge, medical discharge or KIA. 2.0 gpa required.	\$500-\$2,000	https://armyscholarshipfoundation.org/about-scholarships/	Army
NGOA-FL and ENGAF Scholarship	due 7/15/2027	1 year scholarship for National Guard enlisted, officers and warrant officers and their dependents. College, university or tech school.	Varies	https://www.floridaguard.org/scholarships	Army or Air Nat'l Guard
MFST Scholarship	Opens 10/15/2026, closes 2/1/2027	Florida high school senior, 3.0 GPA, with parent/grandparent who is retired/veteran/active/guard/reserve/officer of the Army, Navy, Marines, Air Force, Coast Guard, Public Health Service, or NOAA. JROTC Cadets participating for min. of 3 years	\$2,000-\$12,000	https://www.milfamilysupport.org/scholarships	All Branches
Florida Legion Auxiliary Department Scholarships	Due 2/1/2027	members of ALA and their daughters or granddaughters applying for a 4 year university or junior college/tech school	\$1,000-\$2,000	https://alafl.org/scholarships/	American Legion Auxiliary
Florida American Legion Scholarships	Varies	Multiple Scholarships--some for descendants of veterans or who are eligible for membership in the American Legion. One scholarship for JROTC cadet of the year. High School oratorical contest deadline 12/1 of current year. Medical and Nursing school monies available as well.	\$500-\$2,750	https://www.floridalegion.org/programs-services/scholarships/	American Legion
Eglin Spouses' Club Graduating High School Senior Scholarship	3/2/2027	awaiting application window to open for more information	Varies	https://www.eglinspousesclub.org/scholarship-applications	
The 9/11 Promise Scholarship	Opens 11/1/2026, closes 3/15/2027	children of a first responder or military service member who is unable to work or has passed away. 2.0 cumulative GPA. Enrolled or accepted into trade school, undergrad or graduate school.	\$5,000-\$15,000	https://www.the911promise.org/scholarships/	All Branches

CWOA John A. Keller Scholarship	*Continue to check website for application deadline	Uniformed Services dependent children pursuing undergraduate degrees. Sponsors must be Military members, Joint Services Enlisted and Commissioned Officers currently serving Active Duty, Retired or a Veteran of the military. Several scholarships listed.	\$1,000	https://www.cwoauscg.org/scholarships.html	Coast Guard
3/26 Scholarship	*Continue to check website for application deadline	children and grandchildren of 3/26 Marines, or any eligible child of any Marine, or Navy member who is/was attached to a Marine Corps unit or KIA while service with a Marines unit. 2.0 GPA required.	\$2,000-\$3,000	https://326marines.org/3-26-scholarship/	Marines
Pensacola Chapter MOAA Scholarship	Due 4/23/2027	dependents of active/reserve/retired/deceased military personell. Applicants must have completed their first year of an undergrad accredited college/university as a full-time student with a 3.5 cumulative GPA	\$3,000	https://www.pmoaa.org/Scholarships	All Branches
Hurlburt Chief's Group Scholarship	Opens Early 2027, Closes 3/2027	Child of active duty/reserves/retired/deceased military. Have current military dependent ID card. Be recommended by teacher, guidance counselor or principal. Minimum GPA of 2.5. Students enrolled in Escambia, Okaloosa, and Santa Rosa schools.	\$500	https://hurlburtfieldchiefsgroup.com/blank-5/	Any branch

Additional Scholarships: <https://www.thanksusa.org/other-resources.html>
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