

National Scholarships

Scholarship	Criteria/Eligibility	Support Documents/Requirements	Where sent	Deadlines
Children of Warriors National President's Scholarship	Direct descendant of a veteran with Legion eligibility Senior year of high school	Scholarship application form- ONLINE ONLY 50 hours community service with verification 2 letters of recommendation (1 from either school or clergy and 1 from adult non-relative citizen) <i>Go to the following link to current year information:</i> https://www.legion-aux.org/scholarships/children-of-warriors	To National Headquarters	March 1 st
		Transcript Brief Statement of military service parent or grandparent	National emails to Dept. office Dept. office sends to Division Education Chmn.	March 15 th April 1 st
Non-Traditional Student	Eligibility to any veteran or active-duty military spouse. Returning to school after interrupted education. Beginning education later in life Cannot be previous Spirit of Youth recipient	Scholarship application form- ONLINE ONLY Copy of high school or college transcript if applicable Work history or military service, if applicable <i>Go to the following link to current year information:</i> https://www.legion-aux.org/scholarships/non-traditional-student	To National Headquarters	March 1 st
			National emails to Dept. office Dept. office sends to Division Education Chmn.	March 15 th April 1 st
Spirit of Youth Scholarship for Junior Members	Junior member, dues paid for last three years with current membership card May also apply for the Illinois Scholarship for Junior Members	Scholarship application form – ONLINE ONLY 2 letters of recommendation (1 from either school or clergy and 1 from adult, non-relative citizen) <i>Go to the following link for current year information:</i> https://www.legion-aux.org/scholarships/spirit-of-youth Transcript	To National Headquarters	March 1 st
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Junior Member Loyalty Scholarship	Candidates for this award shall have been Junior members of the American Legion Auxiliary, held membership in the American Legion Auxiliary for the past three consecutive years (2022, 2023, and 2024) and be a paid member for the current (2025) membership year. Applicant must continue their membership in the American Legion Auxiliary during the scholarship period. No interruption in education for the completion of the Bachelor's degree. At least a 3.0 GPA using 4.0 scale.	Scholarship application form - ONLINE ONLY College Transcripts or photocopy of college transcripts <i>Go to the following link for current year information:</i> https://www.legion-aux.org/scholarships/junior-member-loyalty	To National Headquarters	March 1 st
		Previous ALA national Scholarship recipients are welcome to apply.	National email to Dept. office Dept. office sends to Division Education Chmn.	March 15 th April 1 st