

POLISH LEGION OF AMERICAN VETERANS, U.S.A

Ladies Auxiliary National Department



RULES FOR VETERAN GRANT FOR CONTINUING EDUCATION 2012

1. One Veteran Scholarship Grant in the amount of \$500.00 will be awarded by the National Department Polish Legion of American Veterans, U.S.A., Ladies Auxiliary.
2. To be eligible for the Scholarship Grant the applicant must be an honorably discharged veteran (able to provide a copy of the DD-214).
3. Scholarship Grant to be awarded based on the following:
 - a. Scholastic achievement
 - b. Individual contribution to school and community
 - c. Need
 - d. Character
4. Applicant must be a son, daughter, grandson, granddaughter, niece, nephew or step-child of a current active member; or be a current active member of the Polish Legion of American Veterans, U.S.A. or their Ladies Auxiliary.
5. Applications **MUST BE COMPLETED ENTIRELY AND ACCOMPANIED BY A SCHOOL GRADE TRANSCRIPT!!!!** An incomplete application will be disqualified.
6. The completed application must be returned to the State Department Scholarship Officer for verification of eligibility and completeness.
IMPORTANT!!!! DEADLINE FOR RETURN OF APPLICATION TO YOUR STATE SCHOLARSHIP OFFICER IS MARCH 2ND, 2012.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP/PHONE: _____

If there is no State Department in your state, application should be sent to the Post/Chapter Scholarship Officer, Post Commander or Chapter President (to verify eligibility and completeness of the application) who, in turn, will forward application to the National Department (after verification).

7. **DEADLINE:** Applications submitted to the National Department Scholarship Officer **MUST BE POSTMARKED PRIOR TO OR ON MARCH 2ND, 2012.** Applications postmarked after this date will not be accepted and will be returned to the State Scholarship Officer, Post Commander or Chapter President if no State Department exists.
8. A Committee of judges shall be composed of three persons not affiliated with the Polish Legion of American Veterans, U.S.A., or it's Auxiliary. Judges will be selected from the area of residence of the National Scholarship Officer.

To Applicant: Have your past or present Employer, Clergy or current Post Commander/President, or complete the RECOMMENDATION pages. Return entire application (except rules) along with your grade transcript and copy of the DD-214.

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MARCH 2ND, 2012 !!!**

Ladies Auxiliary National Department Scholarship-2012

Please read -- fill out as instructed and return by the deadline.

Send To:

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RECOMMENDATION FROM PAST OR PRESENT EMPLOYER, CLERGY, or CURRENT PLAV POST COMMANDER/PRESIDENT FOR VETERAN'S EDUCATION GRANT

To Employer, Clergy or Post Commander/President:

The National Department of the Polish Legion of American Veterans, U.S.A., Ladies Auxiliary Scholarship Committee requests information, listed below, concerning the qualifications of

Applicant _____

Has the applicant expressed a definite and sincere interest in resuming or continuing his/her studies?

Was the applicant an active participant in special activities in school and/or community? Please explain.

Please indicate your rating of the applicant by checking the appropriate area:

RATING	SCHOLARSHIP	LEADERSHIP	CHARACTER	SCHOOL	CITIZENSHIP
EXCELLENT					
GOOD					
FAIR					
POOR					

Recommendations cont'd.

REMARKS: Please provide any other helpful information regarding applicant.

Date_____

Signed_____

Title_____

Relationship_____

City/State/Zip_____

Thank You.

Please return form to applicant for submission to Scholarship Officer.

APPLICATION FOR VETERAN GRANT FOR CONTINUING EDUCATION

Instructions to applicant:

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION TO THE STATE SCHOLARSHIP OFFICER IS MARCH 2ND, 2012.

**COMPLETE ALL ITEMS IN FULL (PLEASE PRINT, CLEARLY OR TYPE)
BE SURE TO ATTACH GRADE TRANSCRIPT.**

(Please print or type)

Full Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Home Address _____ Phone _____

City/State/Zip _____

Occupation _____

Current Status	Full Time	Part Time		
Employed				
Student				
(Please check closest to actual amount)	Under \$25,000	To \$35,000	To \$50,000	Over
Annual Gross Income				

List any Dependents	Age	School/Employer

What amount is paid by you for school expenses per dependent? _____

Name of school presently attending _____

What school or college would you like to attend or return to?

Have you been accepted? _____ Provide full name and address of the school/college

Have you applied for other scholarships? _____ Student loans? _____

Have you received other scholarships? _____ Student loans? _____

(If yes, please indicate amount and from whom)

What is your most recent Grade Point Average? _____

Have you received this grant before? _____

Yearly School/College expenses for 2012-2013 school year

Tuition	Room & Board	Books	Miscellaneous (incl. travel)

Veteran's Application cont'd.

How do you plan on meetings these expenses? (Give estimated percentage – total should = 100%)

Family _____; Personal Savings _____; Student Loans _____; Anticipated Earnings _____; Scholarships _____; Other _____

List any offices or positions held or special recognition received in school, military or the community.

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What are your interests?

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PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE a paragraph of **not less than 150 words**, giving your reasons for wanting to continue your education and stating your specific goals.

I understand fully that in accepting a Scholarship Award from the National Department Polish Legion of American Veterans, U.S.A. Ladies Auxiliary, I must apply this grant entirely towards tuition at the school of my choice. Should circumstances cancel my entry, the Scholarship Award must be returned to the National Department Polish Legion of American Veterans, U.S.A. Ladies Auxiliary.

Final decision as to the recipients of these awards from the National Department Polish Legion of American Veterans, U.S.A. Ladies Auxiliary WILL BE MADE AT THE DISCRETION OF THE JUDGES.

It is necessary to complete the following information to qualify.

Name of member related to applicant: _____

Relationship to applicant _____

PLAV Post/Chapter Name/Number & State _____

Date _____ Applicant Signature _____

VERIFIED BY STATE DEPARTMENT SCHOLARSHIP OFFICER

Signature _____ Date _____