



**DAV AUXILIARY
ONslow COUNTY UNIT 16
EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP FUND
INFORMATION & RULES**



The Onslow County Unit of the DAV Auxiliary desires to award scholarships from the Unit Educational Scholarship Fund. The purpose of the Fund is to provide educational scholarships to students. Scholarships are granted for college, university, or vocational schools. Academic achievement and financial need are considerations in granting these scholarships. Scholarships are based on the funds available, grades, financial need, and responses to the application questions. All decisions of the Education Scholarship Fund Committee are final and not subject to review.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

The Applicant must be a member, or related to, a partial or full life member of the DAV Auxiliary NC Unit 16 or DAV NC Chapter 16 in order to be considered for a scholarship. Meeting the applicant qualifications is not a guarantee that a scholarship will be granted. Scholarships are only available for full-time students (as defined by the school, university, or vocational school).

RULES:

- Amount of a single scholarship can be up to, but not more than \$1,500.00 per year.
- Each applicant may receive up to a maximum of five scholarships. (One per school year.)
- Applicants must be at least a senior in high school. There is no maximum age limit for applicants.
- Full-time students (as defined by the school, university, or vocational school) must have a GPA of 2.5 or better to receive up to the full amount of \$1,500.00.
- Scholarships must be applied for each year and renewal scholarship applications are NOT guaranteed.

The amount of scholarships granted each year will be determined by the Educational Scholarship Fund Committee. If a scholarship is granted, a check will be sent directly to the college, university, or vocational school and not the student. The decision of the Committee will be final and not subject to review.

APPLICATION FORMS:

Application forms are available at High School Guidance Departments or by writing to:

DAV Auxiliary Onslow County Unit 16
Educational Scholarship Fund
300 Sherwood Road
Jacksonville, NC 28540-5537

Applications must be completed, signed, and postmarked **no later than April 1** of each calendar year, to be considered for a scholarship award.



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APPLICATION**



Full Legal Name of Applicant: _____

Permanent Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Are you, or are you related to, a Life Member of DAVA NC Unit 16 or DAV NC Chapter 16 (circle one)? Yes / No

If yes, provide the member name and membership number for verification:

Complete name and address of College, University, or Vocational School that you have been accepted:

I will be enrolled as a (circle one): Freshman / Sophomore / Junior / Senior / Graduate

Date school term starts: _____

I plan to enroll as a (circle one): Full-Time Student / Part-Time Student / Other

Number of years I plan to attend: _____

Desired Major: _____

Anticipated Graduation Date: _____

GENERAL INFORMATION: (use additional sheets as necessary)

1. Are you presently employed (circle one)? Yes / No

1a. If yes, where & length of time: _____

2. Applicant's occupation & employment history for the past three years: _____

3. If married, full name of spouse (include maiden name): _____

4. Have you participated in any activities or projects with the DAV or DAV Auxiliary?

5. Have you participated in any activities for Veterans in your school, community, or elsewhere? If yes, describe.

6. List all volunteer work you have done in the past three years: _____

7. List all extracurricular activities you have participated in during the past two years:

8. List all clubs or organizations you are a member. Please list if you held any office within the clubs or organizations.

9. List any honors or awards you have received: _____

10. List academic goal(s) you wish to achieve: _____

REFERENCES:

List the name, address, and phone number of three individuals recommending you for this scholarship and **include a recommendation letter from each. To include one from the school you most recently attended** from a teacher, counselor, or principal. If you graduated more than one year ago, a maximum of one reference may be from a current or former employer. References must be over the age of 21 and not a relative.

Name: Address: Phone:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

ESSAY:

In 750 - 1,000 typed (Times New Roman, 12pt, Double Spaced) words, answer the following question:

How will your education help past, present, and future ill and injured veterans and their families?

EDUCATION EXPENSES, INCOME, AND RESOURCES:

I will reside during the school year at / in (circle one): Home / On Campus / Off Campus

Education Costs (Yearly)

Tuition: \$ _____
Books: \$ _____
Supplies: \$ _____
Fees: \$ _____
Room: \$ _____
Board: \$ _____
Travel: \$ _____
Other: \$ _____

Total Costs: \$ _____

Applicant's Resources (Yearly)

Self / Family: \$ _____
Savings: \$ _____
Employment: \$ _____
Scholarships: \$ _____
Grants: \$ _____
Loans: \$ _____
Social Security: \$ _____
Veterans' Benefits: \$ _____
Other: \$ _____

Total Resources: \$ _____

Further Requirements:

Enclose a copy of the Acceptance Letter from the college, university, or vocational school that the applicant will attend.

Enclose an official transcript from the most recent educational institution you attended.

Submit any additional information that might affect the consideration of your application for this scholarship.

Failure to complete the application in its entirety or provide required enclosures will disqualify the applicant.

I hereby affirm the information submitted on this scholarship application is correct and true.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT: _____

DATE: _____

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