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**PATRIOT MILITARY FAMILY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

**BACKGROUND:**

This scholarship is for eligible graduating high school North Carolina current and veteran Active Duty, Reserve and North Carolina National Guard members and their family members. Its purpose is to support them to attend one of the 16 NC State supported public Universities or Colleges. See the following URL for the list of NC State Public Universities and Colleges.

([Institutions – UNC System (northcarolina.edu)](https://www.northcarolina.edu/institutions/)

Candidates will be eligible for up to a four-year scholarship ranging from $1,000 to $2,500 annually. Selection is based on both merit and financial need.

**REQUIRED INFORMATION:**

All information is confidential, and financial information will be destroyed after the selection process is complete. All applications received will become the property of the Patriot Military Family Foundation. **This application must be accompanied by the following required attachments, or it will not be considered:**

1. **TRANSCRIPTS**

High School Seniors only – copy of high school transcript, including the first semester of grade twelve.

1. **INCOME VERIFICATION**

A signed copy of page one, front and back of the last filed FEDERAL tax return for applicant and whoever claimed applicant as a dependent on their tax return.

**Note: Please scan the tax form separate from the rest of the application.**

1. **PERSONAL LETTER**

A personal letter stating the applicant’s specific educational goals and anticipated occupation or profession.

**Dates for submitting the application are:**

Jan 1 through March 31, 2023

Selection will be announced on or about May 31, 2023

***IMPORTANT: All scanned documents must be legible to be considered. The application may be hand-written or filled in using the fill and sign feature in Adobe Reader.***

**Application must be complete; use not applicable (N/A) where necessary**

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Last Name of Applicant First Name Middle Initial Social Security Number (last 4 only)

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Applicant’s Home Address City State Zip Code

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Applicant’s Email Address Phone Number

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Name(s) of Parent(s) or Guardian(s)

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High School Attending Address Phone Number

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College you plan to attend Address Phone Number

Have you been formally accepted? YES ( ) NO ( )

1. Leadership / Citizenship

List civic/community/school/academic activities in which you have participated in high school. Include leadership positions and the years you participated (attach an additional page if necessary).

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1. Educational Assistance

List all monetary educational assistance you anticipate during the next school year to include GI Bill benefits (Source and Amount).

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1. If I am an award recipient, you have my permission to release award information for publication. If applicant is under eighteen years of age, parent or guardian please sign.

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 Date Signature of Applicant or Parent / Guardian

 Name of Applicant\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**To be completed by parent or guardian**

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First Parent/Guardian Occupation Second Parent/Guardian Occupation

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Ages of other dependent children and/or other dependent family members

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1. Other children attending college/vocational school and name(s) of school(s)

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1. Comments (e.g., unusual expenses, homelessness, medical expenses, other financial or personal hardships)

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Employment (if any) of Applicant, including supervisor’s name and phone number

1. Are you a current or veteran member of the Military or the North Carolina National Guard? YES ( ) NO ( )

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 Rank Service Years of Service

1. Provide name, rank and unit of parent(s)/guardian(s)/grandparent(s) who is a current or veteran Active Duty, Reserve or North Carolina National Guard member.

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**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (not required)**

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**SCHOLARSHIP EVALUATION**

Applications will be individually and objectively evaluated on the basis of:

1. Academic Achievement: Applicant’s “unweighted” grade point average on current copy of official transcript must be 3.0 or higher.
2. Need: Applicant’s need for financial assistance to continue education.
3. Leadership/Citizenship: Applicant’s involvement and leadership in school, civic and/or community activities
4. Additional Information: Applicant’s personal letter, unusual and or specific circumstances, academic workload, college level courses completed during high school, quality of completed application package and other pertinent information.

**Please email your complete application with attachments to:**

lawsd@patriotmilitaryfamilyfoundation.org

**Or via regular mail:**

Scholarship Application

Patriot Military Family Foundation

13121 Horned Lark Drive

Charlotte, NC 28278

**COMPLETED APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY 31 Mar 2023.**

**Include high school transcript.**

**Include parents’ tax return scanned separate from the application.**

 Name of Applicant\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**PERSONAL LETTER**