



# Minuteman Scholarship



## Application Form

Sponsored by: The Minnesota National Guard Enlisted Association Auxiliary

**Applicant Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Route/Street City State Zip Code

**Member Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First MI Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Route/Street City State Zip Code

**This Portion to be completed by school official, to verify eligibility for postsecondary education eligibility.**

High School or post secondary institution: \_\_\_\_\_

Year of Graduation or equivalent: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA (Most recent Semester or Quarter): \_\_\_\_\_

Name of School Official: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**I understand the decision of the panel is final and that this form will not be returned to me. To the best of my knowledge, all of the above information is correct.**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Guidelines for Scholarship:**

1. All individuals must be scholastically eligible. Individuals must be a High School Senior, hold a GED equivalent, or be enrolled in a post secondary institution. A GPA of 2.5 during the most recent quarter or semester is also required.
2. Applicant must be an active member of the MNGEA its Auxiliary or the legal dependent of a MNGEA or MNGEA auxiliary member during the year of the annual conference.
3. Forms must be filled out completely and accurately and be postmarked by April 1<sup>st</sup> of each year to allow the committee time to review the forms for completeness.
4. It is our policy to award scholarships without regard to race, creed, color, sex, or age. Only one application per person is allowed each year, and you can be the recipient of a scholarship only once. (Previous winners are not eligible)
5. An Essay explaining what your educational goals are and how they will be benefited by this scholarship is required. The Auxiliary Executive Board and one member of MNGEA will select scholarship winners. Criteria for selection will be based on GPA, Essay Composition and Content.
6. Winners will be announced and certificates will be presented at the State Conference. If winners cannot be present to receive their certificate at conference, it will be mailed to them. There will be no other notification sent.
7. The scholarship must be used within two (2) years from the date of the certificate. It will be sent to the school of your choice.

Please return this Form and your Essay no later than April 15th and mail to:

Carol Benda  
Scholarship Chair  
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Slayton, MN 56172-1522