

**AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY
Department of Nebraska**

VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOLARSHIP

Applicant must be a resident of Nebraska and must be a veteran or veteran connected.

If selected the scholarship must be used within the year selected. *Funding not released by January 1st will not be awarded.*

Please fill out questionnaire (online, by typewriter, or using legible printed hand writing if necessary) and return with all data under No. 8 in one packet to a Nebraska A.L.A. Unit President by **MARCH 1, 2017**.

To be completed by Unit for Student

Unit # _____ Unit Location _____ Unit Contact _____

This is a \$400 Scholarship. Mail required documents to _____

(IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ON WHERE TO SUBMIT THIS COMPLETED APPLICATION CALL - 402.466.1808)

1. Name of applicant _____
2. In what school are or were you last enrolled? _____ Grade: _____
Is this a: Public School _____ Home School _____ Other (Explain) _____
GPA: _____ If not in school, state occupation: _____
3. Are you receiving or do you expect to receive other assistance? Yes _____ No _____
What kind? _____ (Scholarship, grant, etc.) Amount? _____
4. Will your family or guardian give you financial aid to continue your education? Yes _____ No _____
5. By whom are you veteran connected? Self ___ Spouse ___ Father ___ Mother ___ Brother ___ Sister ___
Grandfather ___ Grandmother ___ Great-grandfather ___ Great-grandmother ___ Other _____
6. College you hope to attend: _____
Course of study: _____

Length of course of study: _____ Tuition: Quarter \$ _____ ; Semester \$ _____ ; Year \$ _____

7. **Circle** the course of study in which you desire advance training:

Advertising	Broadcasting	Construction	Engineering	Music
Agriculture	Business	Cosmetology	Law	Teaching
Auto Body	Computer Science	Electronics	Medicine	Other: _____

(Not for Nursing - Use Nursing Application)

8. The following **MUST** be included with your application. INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

- a) Two (2) letters of recommendation from:
One (1) letter from an employer, if not employed one (1) letter from a professional associate.
One (1) letter from a teacher, if not a current student one (1) letter from a character witness.
- b) Letter from applicant, stating chosen field, and how this scholarship will help in reaching that goal.
(A list of community, church, and social activities may be enclosed, but is not required.)
- c) Letter of acceptance (tentative or final) from school of higher education.

ALL LETTERS MUST BE SIGNED AND DATED TO QUALIFY

- d) Transcript of high school (or college) grades, *if a current student*.
- e) Name, occupation and annual net income of father, mother and/or applicant and spouse as applies.
Please include how many are in the home and how many children at home or in college.
(This may be enclosed in a sealed envelope)

For further information you may contact:
American Legion Auxiliary Department Headquarters
PO Box 5227 - Lincoln, NE 68505-0227 or Phone (402) 466-1808
neaux@windstream.net – www.nebraskalegionaux.net

Signature of Applicant: _____

Current mailing address: _____

City: _____, Nebraska - Zip Code _____

APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED BY INDIVIDUALS.

To qualify for judging **application must be submitted by a Nebraska American Legion Auxiliary Unit.**

Unit # _____ Unit Location _____

This application was reviewed by an officer of the above Unit and contains the information requested in No. 8.

Signature _____ Daytime phone number _____

Note to Unit President / Officer:

- ✓ Put your Unit's "mail to "information on the first page of application
- ✓ It is the Unit's responsibility to check the contents of this scholarship application to be sure all the requested letters and documents are enclosed.
- ✓ Signature and phone number of Unit Officer that verified contents requested in No. 8 are included.
- ✓ Each Unit may submit only one of each Nebraska scholarships / and only one of each National scholarships.
- ✓ Mail the completed Department Scholarship application to A.L.A., PO Box 5227, Lincoln, NE 68505, postmarked by March 15, 2017.
- ✓ Any application postmarked **after March 15, 2017 will not be considered.**

Each Unit may submit **ONE Vocational Technical Scholarship** to the American Legion Auxiliary Department Headquarters for consideration. The Unit's selection must be postmarked no later than **March 15, 2017**.
For more information see the Education article in the 2016-2017 ABC Book.