



SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION



The Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War (SUVCW) awards two \$2,500 scholarships annually for tuition and books to high school seniors and college students (male or female) contingent upon their enrollment at an accredited four-year college or university prior to December 31st of the year the scholarship is granted.

Applications are accepted each year from January 1 to March 31.

Winning scholarship recipients will be notified directly.

Standards of Selection: The applicant should:

1. **MALE APPLICANTS** must be a current Member or Associate of the SUVCW. A photocopy of the applicant's current year membership card must be included.
FEMALE APPLICANTS must be the daughter or granddaughter of a current Member or Associate of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War **and** a current member of at least one of the Allied Orders [Woman's Relief Corps (WRC), Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic (LGAR), Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War 1861-1865 (DUVCW), or Auxiliary to the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War (ASUVCW)]. A photocopy of the applicant's current year membership card(s) must be included.
2. Rank in the upper one-fourth of high school graduating class, preferably in the upper one-tenth;
3. Have a record of performance in activities both in school and in the community;
4. Have a sound interest and positive attitude toward college work;
5. Provide three letters of recommendation. These recommendations must be from your school counselor, a teacher, and a responsible person in your community. These recommendations must be submitted in separate, sealed envelopes, countersigned on the envelope flap by the recommender. These recommendations must be included in the application package. A transcript of your high school grades and/or college grades must be submitted in a sealed envelope countersigned on the envelope flap by the school registrar or sealed with the school seal. Transcripts must be included in the application package.
6. Submit all scholarship application materials in one package. Included in this package **must** be the completed application form, photocopies of appropriate current year membership cards, three letters of recommendation, and transcript(s).

Mail all items, in one package to the address at the end of this application.

Applications will be accepted between January 1 and March 31.

***INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS AND THOSE ARRIVING BEFORE OR AFTER THE
ACCEPTANCE DATES WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.***

Upon proof of recipient's acceptance to a qualifying college or university, scholarship checks will be made out to the recipient's school and mailed directly to the school's financial aid office.

Scholarship Application Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Social Security Number: _____

Name & address of school you will be attending: _____

Name of high school: _____

Current grade point average: _____ Total number in class: _____

SAT or ACT score: _____ Rank in class: _____

Names of three references: _____

• **Male Applicants**, please complete the following:

I am a Member or Associate of Camp Name _____ ,
Number _____ , Dept. Name: _____ , SUVCW.

A photocopy of your current year membership card must be included.

• **Female Applicants**, please complete the following:

My Father or Grandfather _____ is a Member or Associate
of Camp Name _____ Camp Number _____ ,
Dept. Name: _____ , SUVCW.

AND I am a Member or Associate of Local Unit Name _____ ,
Number _____ , Dept. Name: _____ , of the
WRC , LGAR , DUVCW , or ASUVCW .

A photocopy of your current year membership card must be included.

Applicant's involvement in SUVCW or Allied Orders activities: _____

Applicant's ways in which they have promoted an appreciation of the men and women who served the Union cause in the Civil War:

List school-related activities (athletics, clubs, music programs, year book staff, etc.): _____

List academic honors (National Honor Society, Honor Roll, etc.): _____

List all community-related activities (charity or volunteer work, church activities, etc.): _____

List any additional information you would like to have considered: _____

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____



Completed applications and references should be mailed to:

SUVCW Scholarship
c/o Eugene G. Mortorff, PCinC
70 Curtis Dr.
East Berlin, PA 17316-9212

Questions may be directed to
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