

Scholarships for Military, Veterans, and Dependents

Scholarship Resource:

<https://www.operationmilitarykids.org/scholarships-for-military-children-spouses-and-veterans/>

Air Force dependents

[General Henry H. Arnold Education Grant Program](#)

A need-based grant program offered for children and spouses of active duty, retired, and fallen active-duty Air Force members.

[Lt. Col Romeo and Josephine Bass Ferretti Scholarship](#)

For graduating high school seniors who are pursuing a STEM field. Applicants must be dependents of active duty or retired Air Force, Air Force Reserve, or Air National Guard members.

[John C. and Blanche Lee Lindsay Memorial Scholarship](#)

One \$2,500 scholarship will be awarded annually to a child of members of the United States Air Force who are pursuing a college degree.

Army dependents

[Army Scholarship Foundation](#)

More than a dozen scholarship opportunities are available under this umbrella for military children and spouses based on academic performance and participation in school and community activities.

[SMA Leon Van Autreve Scholarship](#)

SMA Leon Van Autreve Scholarship provides educational support to Army soldiers and their family members who have dedicated themselves to service.

[Army Aviation Association of America Scholarship](#)

For college-level education of members of the AAAA and their spouses and children.

[MG James Ursano Scholarship Program](#)

Offers financial awards to children of active duty or retired Army soldiers, or soldiers who died while on duty. This award is renewable.

[Women's Army Corps Veterans' Association Scholarship](#)

A merit-based award for children, grandchildren, nieces or nephews of female members of the Army.

Marine Corps dependents

[Marine Corps Scholarship Foundation](#)

This is a group of three scholarships for children of parents who served in the Corps and are first-time college or career tech students.

[Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society](#)

This program offers several scholarship opportunities, including the NMCRS Gold Star Scholarship, to children of fallen sailors or Marines.

[John Cornelius/Max English Memorial Scholarship](#)

This scholarship is for children and grandchildren of current or former active, reserve, retired or honorably discharged members of the Marine Corps Tank Unit and current members of the Marine Corps Tankers Association. The award can be used toward an undergraduate degree or graduate degree.

[Marines' Memorial Association Scholarship Program](#)

Awarded to dependents and grandchildren of active Marines' Memorial Association members.

[Joseph A. McAlinden Divers Scholarship](#)

For children or spouses of active-duty Navy or Marine divers who want to study oceanography, ocean agriculture, or aquaculture at an approved institution. Award amounts are based on financial need.

Navy dependents

[Chief Petty Officer Scholarship Fund](#)

Applicants must be an immediate family member of an active duty, retired or reserve Chief Petty Officer of the U.S. Navy.

[Wings Over America Scholarship Foundation](#)

To provide college scholarships to dependent children and spouses of all Navy active duty, retired, or deceased who served in the Naval Air Forces. Scholarships are awarded on the basis of scholastic merit and community service.

[Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society](#)

This program offers several scholarship opportunities, including the NMCRS Gold Star Scholarship, to children of fallen sailors or Marines.

[Navy League of the United States Scholarship Program](#)

These scholarships are open to children of Navy League members, as well as children of Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Merchant Marine, and Naval Sea Cadet Corps members. Students must have at least a 3.0 GPA.

[Dolphin Scholarship Foundation](#)

High school seniors and current college students who are dependents of U.S. Navy Submarine Force members or veterans can apply for this scholarship. Awards are based on academic merit, extracurricular activities and community service. Applicants require an essay and recommendations.

[Tailhook Educational Foundation Scholarship Awards](#)

These scholarships are for children and grandchildren of those who served in specific jobs in the U.S. Navy. Applicants must be pursuing an undergraduate program at an accredited institution.

[Joseph A. McAlinden Divers Scholarship](#)

For children or spouses of active-duty Navy or Marine divers who want to study oceanography, ocean agriculture, or aquaculture at an approved institution. Award amounts are based on financial need.

Veteran & Dependents of any branch

[Arkansas Military Dependents Scholarship Program](#)

Provides financial aid for students seeking a bachelor's degree or certificate of completion at a public institution in Arkansas. Designed for spouses or children of an Arkansas resident who has been declared to be missing in action, killed in action, a prisoner of war, or killed on ordnance delivery, or a veteran who has been declared to be 100% totally and permanently disabled during, or as a result of, active military service. Applicants must also be Alaska residents.

[Delta Dental Grants](#)

This program provides scholarships and grants to military spouses, military dependents, and transitioning service members for the advancement of oral health and wellness. Eligible applicants may be pursuing a wide range of programs such as dentistry, nursing, home healthcare aid, or caregiver training. Five grants in the amount of \$2,000 each will be awarded.

[Colonel Aaron Burgstein Memorial Scholarship](#)

The Colonel Aaron Burgstein Memorial Scholarship was established to aid minor dependents of (officer or enlisted) Active Duty, veteran, or retired service members; reservists; or National Guard members of all branches pursuing a degree at an accredited college or university. One scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 will be awarded annually.

[Scholarships for Children and Spouses of Deceased or Disabled Veterans and Service Members](#)

This opportunity is for dependent children or non-remarried spouses of Florida veterans or service members who died from injuries, diseases, or disabilities sustained while on active duty or who have been certified by with a permanent disability. This scholarship helps cover tuition and registration fees at an eligible higher education institution in Florida.

[Living Legacy Scholarship](#)

To help empower spouses and children of fallen service members by helping them achieve their educational goals.

[Hanscom Spouses Club Scholarship](#)

For military spouses and dependents who reside within a 60-mile radius of Hanscom Air Force Base. The scholarship is awarded based on merit, scholarship, citizenship, leadership and diversity of interests.

[AMVETS National Scholarship Program](#)

Two scholarships that are available to children and grandchildren of veterans are available to current high school students attending college.

[Children of Warriors National Presidents' Scholarship](#)

Children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of service members are eligible for these scholarships offered through the American Legion Auxiliary.

[Fisher House Foundation](#)

Students under 23 who are enrolling in a full-time college program and who maintain at least a 3.0 GPA are eligible for scholarships through this foundation. Parents need to be active duty or retired military.

[Military Commanders' Scholarship Fund](#)

The New York chapter of the American Logistics Association awards scholarships to children of active duty, reserve, National Guard or retired members of the military. Awards are based on academic merit, community involvement, work experience and financial need.

[BVA Kathern F. Gruber Scholarships](#)

Spouses, dependent children and grandchildren of blind veterans are eligible for this scholarship.

[Children of Fallen Patriots Foundation](#)

This scholarship is for members of Fallen Patriots Foundation who are military children and who have lost a parent in the line of duty. Scholarships cover tuition and books, as well as other college expenses.

[Army Aviation Association of America \(AAAA\) Scholarships](#)

For immediate family members of current and deceased AAAA members.

[Thanks USA Scholarship](#)

For all dependent children age 24 or younger and all spouses of active duty military service members.

[Folds of Honor Foundation Scholarships](#)

Awarded to spouses and dependents of veterans or service members whose death or injury was sustained during their service.

[AT&T Fallen Heroes' Scholarship](#)

Spouses, children, and stepchildren of military service members who were killed in action can apply for this.

[Iowa War Orphans Educational Aid](#)

Awards financial support to the children of military personnel who have been killed in combat.

[Freedom Alliance Scholarship Fund](#)

For college-bound children of soldiers who have been killed or disabled in combat or declared missing in action or prisoners of war.

[Military Officers Association of America \(MOAA\) Scholarships](#)

MOAA offers one scholarship and several grants to dependents of officers eligible for MOAA membership, or who are children of active duty, Reserve, National Guard, or retired enlisted military personnel. Applicants must be under 24 years old.

[Pat Tillman Foundation](#)

Financial support for veterans, active-duty service members, and spouses pursuing higher education.

AFCEA Educational Foundation Scholarships for Veterans

[War Veterans | AFCEA International](#)

\$2,500 scholarships for veterans pursuing STEM degrees.

[The American Legion Legacy Scholarship | The American Legion](#)

For children of post-9/11 veterans who passed away or are disabled.

[Army Women's Foundation](#)

Scholarships for women veterans pursuing undergraduate, graduate, or certificate programs.

[SC Veterans & Military Family Scholarship | George Sink](#)

\$1,000 scholarship for veterans and their families.

[Student Veteran Support "Sport Clips Help A Hero Scholarship"- VFW](#)

Provides up to \$5,000 for service members and veterans.

[Google SVA Scholarship - Student Veterans of America®](#)

\$10,000 scholarships for veterans studying computer science.

[Apply for the Raytheon Patriot Scholarship - Student Veterans of America®](#)

\$10,000 scholarship for veterans pursuing degrees in STEM fields.

[Troops to Teachers For Service Members | The Official Army Benefits Website](#)

Provides financial support for veterans transitioning into teaching careers.

[Fry Scholarship | Veterans Affairs](#)

Provides education benefits to children and spouses of fallen service members.

[Survivors' And Dependents' Educational Assistance | Veterans Affairs](#)

Education benefits for children and spouses of veterans who are disabled or deceased.

[Military Spouse Scholarships](#)

Career support and scholarships for military spouses.

[Scholarships at Veterans United Foundation](#)

Scholarships for veterans and their families pursuing degrees in STEM, business, or law.

[Marine Corps League Foundation, Children Scholarship Program](#)

Supports children of Marines and Navy Corpsmen with educational grants.

[Anchor Scholarship Foundation](#)

For dependents of surface Navy sailors.

[Education Scholarships and Interest-Free Loans | NMCRS \(en-US\)](#)

Offers loans and grants for higher education for Navy and Marine Corps families.

[Paralyzed Veterans of America Scholarship Program](#)

Scholarships for PVA members, their spouses, or children.

[Tailhook.net | TEF | Scholarship Application](#)

For children and grandchildren of Naval Aviators and Navy Aircrewmen.

[Veterans Technology Education Courses \(VET TEC\) | Veterans Affairs](#)

Connects veterans with training in high-tech careers.

[MyCAA — Financial Assistance for Military Spouses](#)

Provides up to \$4,000 for military spouses pursuing certifications or associate degrees.

[Heroes' Legacy Scholarship - Fisher House Foundation](#)

For children of fallen or disabled service members since 9/11.

[Youth Scholarships - VFW](#)

A national competition offering scholarships to high school students who create patriotic audio essays.

[Tillman Scholar | Pat Tillman Foundation](#)

Open to active-duty service members, veterans, and military spouses pursuing advanced degrees.

[Scholarship Program – Blinded Veterans Association](#)

Scholarships for spouses, children, and grandchildren of blinded veterans.

[Military Order of the Purple Heart](#)

Scholarships for Purple Heart recipients and their direct descendants.

[Scholarships - Army Emergency Relief](#)

For dependents of Army soldiers, retirees, and veterans.

[**General Henry H. Arnold Education Grant | Hap Arnold Grant**](#)

Need-based education grants for dependents of Air Force personnel.

[**Pillars of Support - Education - Navy SEAL Foundation**](#)

For dependents and spouses of active-duty Navy SEALs.

[**Coast Guard Foundation | Scholarships**](#)

Educational grants for dependents of Coast Guard members.

[**FRA Education Foundation**](#)

Offers multiple scholarships for current and former enlisted personnel of the U.S. Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard.

[**ROTC Scholarships | U.S. Army**](#)

Full-tuition scholarships for students enrolled in Army ROTC.

[**Military ROTC Programs | Today's Military**](#)

Full-tuition scholarships for ROTC members across all military branches.

[**Scholarship Program – Veterans Caucus**](#)

Scholarships for veterans enrolled in Physician Assistant programs.

[**Scholarships James Ursano Scholarship Program - Army Emergency Relief**](#)

Need-based scholarships for children of Army personnel.

[**Wing Over America**](#)

Scholarships for dependents of Naval Aviation personnel.

[**Chief Petty Officer Scholarship Page**](#)

Scholarships for children and spouses of Navy Chief Petty Officers.

[**Samsung American Legion Scholarship | The American Legion**](#)

For high school juniors who are descendants of wartime veterans and attend Boys State or Girls State.

[**Scout of the Year - VFW**](#)

Scholarships for Scouts who demonstrate patriotism and community service.

[**Continuing Education Scholarship - VFW Auxiliary**](#)

Open to members of the VFW Auxiliary and their immediate family members.