



## **AMERICAN LEGION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

S. AL WILCOX POST 234  
22909 – 56<sup>th</sup> Avenue West  
Mountlake Terrace, WA 98043  
[www.americanlegionpost234.org](http://www.americanlegionpost234.org)

*In memory of Joshua & Lucille Brandingham, since 1997*

The deadline for submitting this application is 31 March (year of award).

Name of applicant:	
Address:	
Telephone number:	e-mail:
Year of H.S. graduation:	High School:

Applicant must be a student who is a direct descendant (child, grandchild or great-grandchild...natural birth or adopted) of a military member who is serving in, or has honorably served in, any branch of the United States Military (Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force, Coast Guard).

Note: This also extends to those who served in the U.S. Merchant Marine during WWII.

☼ Proof of service required

Name of qualifying relative:	Relationship to applicant:
Branch of service:	Period of honorable service (year – year)

I have been accepted to attend the following accredited university / college / vocational-technical school: ☼ Proof required

Note: If you are a scholarship recipient – the check will be made out to you “AND” the school.

**PARTICIPATION IN SCHOOL OR CIVIC / VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES:** Please itemize here, or on a separate attachment .

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GPA, latest available:	Did you attend the American Legion Boys / Girls State? If YES – when and where....

### **ATTACHMENTS:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Personal ESSAY, in less than 200 words, setting forth my reason(s) for pursuing a post-secondary education.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Written recommendation from High School....
- \_\_\_\_\_ Transcript of grades (latest available).
- \_\_\_\_\_ Proof of acceptance by an accredited university / college / vocational-technical school.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Proof of military service by parent / grandparent / great-grandparent.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE	DATE:
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Scholarships may be awarded to students who are seniors or graduates of any high school located within the city limits of Mountlake Terrace, Washington, or whose parents, grandparents or great grandparents are or were a member of American Legion Post 234....and, who have been accepted for attendance at any accredited university, college, or vocational-technical school.

Awards are made without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, physical or mental handicap.

American Legion Post 234 will issue scholarship awards in June of each year. The number and amount will be determined by the scholarship committee, and will range between \$500 and \$1,000.

The scholarship committee's decision on awarding the scholarships will be final.

Any member of Post 234 who is related to a scholarship applicant will not be eligible to serve on the scholarship committee.

Eligible students who wish to apply for this scholarship must:

1. Complete, sign and submit the application form printed on page 1.  
This includes providing a personal ESSAY, in less than 200 words, setting forth the applicant's reason(s) for pursuing a post-secondary education.
2. Provide a written recommendation from his / her high school (teacher, counselor or other official), It should also certify that the student either has graduated from, or is expected to graduate from, the school in the year the scholarship is awarded.
3. Transcript of grades (latest available).
4. Provide proof of acceptance by an accredited university, college, or vocational-technical school.  
Note: If you are a scholarship recipient – the check will be made out to you "AND" the school.
5. Provide proof (documentation) of eligible military service by the parent, grandparent, or great-grandparent.

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Scholarship recipients (winners) will be notified of their award by 15 June.