



Scholarships

June 2025



"Building Bridges for Our Veterans"

Program Goals

- Student Participation
- Community Awareness
- Recipient Recognition
- Increasing the Fund

<https://vfwauxfl.org/di/vfw/v2/default.asp?pid=133704>

National Auxiliary Scholarship



Auxiliary Award:

Most creative and/or unique activity and/or event educating their community about the scholarship opportunities in the VFW and the VFW Auxiliary. Look for the entry form on both the National and Department Websites. Entry form due to Department Chair by March 31, 2026.

Start Now to PROMOTE, PROMOTE, PROMOTE!

Reach out early to friends, family, schools, organizations, churches, sports clubs, etc. Face to Face contact is key to making an impression and building relationships that will increase your chances of a successful program and greater participation from students. Have a Facebook page or other social media venue (or create one) – Post it. Submit a Press Release to your local news, radio stations, online newspaper. Be creative, have fun.

Continuing Education

This one is for you and your immediate family members (spouse, son, daughter) and must be at least age 21. Entry deadline is 15 February. This scholarship is a primary focus of the National President this year in promoting and increasing the fund. Think about how you can assist her in reaching this goal.

<https://vfwauxiliary.org/scholarships/continuing-education/>

Voice of Democracy (grades 9-12) Patriots Pen (grades 6-8)

Work with your VFW Post to promote this program.

The **Theme** is the same for both this year:

"How Are You Showing Patriotism and Support for Our Country?"

Deadlines:

Local VFW Post - 31 October 2025

District VFW Chairman – 15 November 2025

Department VFW Chairman – 15 December 2025

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