

FRANK WEINKE ★ DAVID ROBINSON
Marine Corps League Department of Arizona
Scholarship Program

The Marine Corps League, Department of Arizona Scholarship Program:

- ★ Is sponsored by the Marine Corps League Department of Arizona.
- ★ Awards scholarships for post high school education or training at a recognized institution.

ELIGIBILITY AND PRIORITY

Applicants for the program year must:

1. Be an American Citizen.
2. Be either a high school senior or have graduated as of September in the current school year.
3. Have a cumulative grade point average for the 10th and 11th grade years of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.
(An official transcript is required.)
4. Be a relative of a Marine or member in good standing of the Marine Corps League.
5. Be a relative of a person who has served their country honorably in any branch of the Armed Forces.

WHAT CRITERIA ARE USED IN THE EVALUATION

In addition to meeting the eligibility qualifications, applicants must describe their future career plans, and demonstrate outstanding accomplishments in Special Talents, Leadership, and Community Service.

WHAT CAN THIS SCHOLARSHIP BE USED FOR

Scholarships may be used for any type of education and/or training beyond high school, including:

1. Certification or license
2. Trade or technical school
3. Two (2) or four (4) year colleges and universities

HOW MANY SCHOLARSHIPS ARE AVAILABALE AND HOW MUCH ARE THE SCHOLARSHIPS WORTH

- ★ There will be one (1) scholarship.
- ★ It will be worth at least one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

WHEN IS THE APPLICATION DEADLINE

The application deadline for the program is **May 5th** of the current school year. Application materials will be available from the Scholarship Committee upon request and on the Department of Arizona website, www.deptazmcl.org in the fall of the current academic year.

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★★★★ SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION ★★★★★

All application materials must be submitted to the Marine Corps League Department of Arizona Scholarship Committee by **May 5th** of the current school year.

Applicant's Name _____
Last First Middle

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Place of Birth _____ Date of Birth _____ Telephone Number _____

Current E-Mail Address _____

Have you previously been awarded a scholarship from the Marine Corps League Department of Arizona?

Yes No If Yes, what year(s) _____

PROVIDE A COPY OF ACCEPTANCE LETTER FROM:

NAME OF UNIVERSITIES, COLLEGE(S) OR OTHER SCHOOL(S) APPLIED TO:

_____ _____ _____

_____ _____ _____

Scholarship funds will be awarded upon receipt of proof of acceptance from the University, College, Community College, Vocational/Technical School or other qualified School. Scholarship recipients must enter school no later than the forthcoming fall term of the year the award was made. Funds will be submitted directly to the University, College or School of acceptance.

THIS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION IS FOR FINANCIAL AID AT A:

University College Community College Vocational/Technical School

Other (Specify) _____

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ACTIVITY AND INVOLVEMENT INFORMATION

Academic Achievements (Awards, Honors, Etc.)

Organization: _____

Position Held: _____ Dates: ____ / ____ / ____ thru ____ / ____ / ____

Responsibilities: _____

Awards: _____

Organization: _____

Position Held: _____ Dates: ____ / ____ / ____ thru ____ / ____ / ____

Responsibilities: _____

Awards: _____

Community Service (community or church services performed)

Organization: _____

Position Held: _____ Dates: ____ / ____ / ____ thru ____ / ____ / ____

Responsibilities: _____

Awards: _____

Organization: _____

Position Held: _____ Dates: ____ / ____ / ____ thru ____ / ____ / ____

Responsibilities: _____

Awards: _____

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Leadership Roles

Organization: _____

Position Held: _____ Dates: ____ / ____ / ____ thru ____ / ____ / ____

Responsibilities: _____

Awards: _____

Organization: _____

Position Held: _____ Dates: ____ / ____ / ____ thru ____ / ____ / ____

Responsibilities: _____

Awards: _____

Extra-Curricular Activities:

Organization: _____

Position Held: _____ Dates: ____ / ____ / ____ thru ____ / ____ / ____

Responsibilities: _____

Awards: _____

Organization: _____

Position Held: _____ Dates: ____ / ____ / ____ thru ____ / ____ / ____

Responsibilities: _____

Awards: _____

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Employment History:

Name of Employer: _____ Job Title: _____

Date of Employment: ____ / ____ / ____ thru ____ / ____ / ____

Responsibilities: _____

Reason for Leaving: _____

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Date of Employment: ____ / ____ / ____ thru ____ / ____ / ____

Responsibilities: _____

Reason for Leaving: _____

ATTACHMENTS

Please provide the following information and documents:

Academic Transcripts: Provide one (1) Official Transcript for each school in which you have completed high school or post high school credit.

Essay Questions: Provide answers to at least three (3) of the following questions. Each answer should be no less than two hundred (200) words in length and should be attached to your application.

1. Describe your hero(s).
2. Do you learn from mistakes? Give an example.
3. Who is your favorite author and why?
4. What are your strengths and weaknesses? Explain why you believe these to be strengths/weaknesses.
5. Why are you pursuing the career path you are going to school for?

Letters of Reference: Provide three (3) letters of personal reference. Only one (1) letter should be from a school employee (principal, teacher, counselor, coach, etc.). Letters of reference should include the name, address, and telephone number of the author. The letter should also indicate the individual's relationship to the applicant.

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If applicant is a relative of a active duty person or person who has served the U.S. in one or more of the following branches of the Armed Forces, or is currently a member of the Marine Corps League, enter the following information:

Name _____ Relationship _____

U.S. Marine Corps U.S. Navy U.S. Army U.S. Air Force U.S. Coast Guard

Dates of Service: ____ / ____ / ____ thru ____ / ____ / ____

Certification:

I acknowledge that the Marine Corps League Department of Arizona Scholarship Committee has the sole responsibility for selecting recipients based on criteria as set forth in the program's description. This application becomes the property of the Marine Corps League Department of Arizona Scholarship Committee. It is recommended that you keep a copy for your files. I acknowledge the decisions of the Scholarship Committee are final. I certify that I meet the basic eligibility requirements of the program as described and that the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. If requested, I agree to provide proof of the information I have given on this form.

Falsification of information may result in termination of any scholarship granted. If chosen as a recipient, I agree that the information provided on this application may be used by the Marine Corps League Department of Arizona, in publicizing awards.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

All application materials must be submitted to the Marine Corps League Department of Arizona Scholarship Committee by **May 5th of the current school year.**

Mail Scholarship Application and Attachments to:

DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE
ATTN: Frank Alger
1157 East Gabrilla DR.
Casa Grande, AZ 85122-6795

or

E-Mail ALL documents to: frankwalger@gmail.com

This scholarship information and Application can be found at www.deptazmcl.org

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The following date of receipt and received by information is for the Department of Arizona use only.

Date of Receipt: ____ / ____ / ____

Received by: _____