Eligibility Requirements

- Must be a United States Citizen
- Must be an Honorably/General under Honorable Discharged conditions United States Veteran or a current member of the Active Military to include National Guard and Reserves
- Must be a spouse, child or grandchild of an Honorably/General under Honorable Discharged conditions United States Veteran or a current member of the Active Military to include National Guard and Reserves
- **Children:** Must be a current HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR, entering college for the current Fall Semester, and meet all the AMVETS National Foundation Scholarship requirements
  - Must be enrolled for an eligible undergrad or graduate degree programs at any accredited four (4) year college or university
  - Must provide a high school diploma or GED prior to the award acceptance
  - Must demonstrate financial need
  - Must not be in default on a federal student loan
  - Must not be convicted under state or federal law for sale or possession of illegal drugs or firearms
  - Must agree to authorize AMVETS to publicize scholarship award

Required Documents

- Proof of Honorably/General under Honorable Discharged conditions
  - DD214, Veteran Record of Service, Letter from Commanding Officer Certifying Active-Duty status, or Duty Orders
- High School, College, or University Transcripts and any degrees or certificates awarded.
- Student Aid Report (SAR)
- Acceptance Letter
- Children/Grandchildren: SAT or ACT scores **(waived for 2022)**
- Essay
  - Will be judged on adherence to theme, style, originality, and overall quality.
    - Veteran, Active Duty, National Guard, and Reserves
      - AMVETS Scholarship and Montana Scholarship: 400 to 500 words
      - Caccomo Scholarship: 700 to 800 words
    - Spouse: 400 to 500 words
    - Children or Grandchildren: 350 to 400 words
- Resume:
  - **Veteran or Service Member:** Detailing military duties or employment history for the last four years and awards, volunteer activities, and community services
  - **Spouse:** Detailing last four years of work history, volunteer activities, and community service

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- **Children/Grandchildren**: Detailing school, volunteer activity, community service for the past four years.

- **JROTC Scholarship Applicants**
  - Letter of Recommendation from your JROTC Instructor.

No applications will be accepted beyond the deadline of midnight April 30th.

Failure to provide complete documentation to include essay prior to application deadline will disqualify your application.