



Erie County Committee of the American Legion Scholarship Application Form for June 2026

- a. Submit a completed application form by May 1, 2026 to the Erie County Committee Office, Room 609, City Hall, Buffalo, NY 14202.
- b. Applicant must be available to receive the award at the American Legion County Convention at the Francis J. Donovan Post 1626, located at 3210 Genesee St. Cheektowaga, NY 14225 on June 6, 2026.
- c. The time of the award ceremony will be approximately 10:30 A.M.
- d. The amount of the awards will be five hundred dollars (\$500.00).
- e. A minimum of four awards are available with additional awards likely.
- f. Winners will be contacted by phone two weeks prior to the award ceremony and will be expected to confirm their availability to attend the ceremony at that time. Any winner who is unable to attend the ceremony for an acceptable excuse has until July 1, 2026 to arrange proper presentation or the award is declared void.
- g. Stay at home parent is considered an occupation.
- h. Higher education may be 4-year college, 2-year Community College or Trade School.
- i. A letter of recommendation from someone in your school should be included and may be attached in a sealed separate envelope.
- j. Please read and use the small notes found through-out the applications.



The American Legion

Erie County Committee

609 City Hall

65 Niagara Square

Buffalo, New York 14202

Application Form For 2026 American Legion County Scholarship

Name _____
Last Name First Name Middle Initial

Address _____
Number Street City State Zip code

Phone Number _____
Home Cell Phone

Email address _____

Parent Occupation _____
Head of Household

Spouse (if employed otherwise stay at home parent) _____

Income; check the box that most nearly fits the family income.

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| 0 to 20 k | 20 to 30 k | 30 to 40 k | 40 to 50 k | 50 to 60 k | 60 to 70 k |
| 70 to 80 k | 80 to 90 k | 90 to 100 k | 100 to 110 | 110 to 120 | Above 120 |
| Above 130 | Above 140 | Above 150 | | | |

k is equal to \$1,000.00 (one thousand dollars) and is considered to be in each box.

College/Trade School _____

Place of Higher Education with Address (City and State only)

Major Field of Study _____ Estimated Cost _____

Estimated cost of one (1) year including tuition, room and board, and books

3-year Scholastic Average _____ Class Size _____ Class Rank _____
If Possible

Siblings _____
Number of brothers and ages of each at home

Number of sisters and ages of each at home

Other Siblings

Indicate any siblings (how many) that are attending a school of higher education and name of the school (attach list if necessary).

Military Service: Circle any who have served or give a total after the word how many.

Father, Mother, Paternal Grand Father, Paternal Grand Mother, Maternal Grand Father, Maternal Grand Mother, Uncles (how many)____, Aunts (how many)____, brothers (how many)____, or sisters (how many)_____.

Era of Service: Starting with Father or Mother and proceeding thru the list find the period of active duty and circle only the most recent date and ignore any other active service dates.

4/6/1917 to 11/11/1918; 12/7/1941 to 12/31/1946; 6/25/1950 to 12/31/1955;

2/28/1961 to 5/7/1975; 8/24/1982 to 7/31/1984; 12/20/1989 to 1/31/1990; 8/2/1990 to today's date.

Music Activity; blank space is for any other music (or you can include in your written paper)

| Activity | 8 th year | 9 th year | 10 th year | 11 th year | 12 th year |
|-----------------|----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Choir | | | | | |
| Solo Music | | | | | |
| Band (marching) | | | | | |
| Orchestra | | | | | |
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Sports Activity; blank space is for any other sports (or you can include in your written paper)

| Activity | 8 th year | 9 th year | 10 th year | 11 th year | 12 th year |
|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Field Hockey | | | | | |
| Soccer | | | | | |
| Basketball | | | | | |
| Volley Ball | | | | | |
| Gymnastics | | | | | |
| Baseball/Softball | | | | | |
| Football | | | | | |
| Lacrosse | | | | | |
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Community Activity; blank space is for any other activity (or you can include in your written paper)

| Activity | 8 th year | 9 th year | 10 th year | 11 th year` | 12 th year |
|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Scouting | | | | | |
| Church | | | | | |
| Employment | | | | | |
| Volunteer Svc. | | | | | |
| Visiting the Sick | | | | | |
| Baby Sitting | | | | | |
| Deliver Papers | | | | | |

Any comments you have to influence your selection, please write here. Remember those tablets do not include everything of which you might be involved -Drama clubs, Language club, chess clubs. Here is where you add, your thoughts.

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Please Print your Name _____

Date _____

Signature

Mail to Erie County Committee of the American Legion, Room 609, City Hall, Buffalo, NY 14202 and mark Attention Scholarship Committee. Send so it can be received by May 1, 2026.

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