

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

TEN \$2,500 SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED

NAME:	SPONSOR'S NAME:	
ADDRESS:	SFA NUMBER:	
	MILITARY UNIT (OF PARENT/SPOUSE/SPONSOR):	
CITY, STATE, ZIP:		
EMAIL:	EMAIL (CIV ONLY):	
TELEPHONE:	TELEPHONE:	
SIGNATURE:	GUARDIAN:	

RULES, SELECTION AND AWARD OF SCHOLARSHIPS

- Applicant must be a dependent (spouse or child) or extended dependent (grandchild) of an active member in good standing of Chapter 100 of the Special Forces Association for at least 1 year, 3 months consecutively (15 months active membership) or Lifetime Member.
- 2. Recipients and/or their sponsors are requested to attend the Scholarship Golf Tournament on Saturday, June 22, 2024 at the Gates Four Golf & Country Club to accept their scholarship.
- 3. Scholarship recipients (those awarded scholarships) are invited to apply again for our 2024 Scholarships.
- 4. Applicant must enroll or be enrolled in a private kindergarten through 12th grade school, community college, college, or university for the 2024 Summer or Fall school year.
- 5. Complete applications must be e-mailed to **bryant499@msn.com**, we no longer take the applications through our PO Box. ALL applications **must be received by midnight, April 15, 2024**.
- 6. Applicants must provide the following for consideration:
 - a. Completed 2024 Application and attached extracurricular/community involvement sheet.
 - b. Personal references from a minimum of two individuals (not related) who have personal knowledge and relationship with the applicant (in other words, these individuals must personally know applicant). The individuals writing the letters of recommendation must provide a current phone number and email address so they can be contacted:
 - i. One reference must be from an educator such as a principal, assistant principal, teacher, professor, dean, counselor, etc.
 - ii. Remaining references must be from individuals within the community (Boy/Girl Scouts, Church, Athletics, Academics, etc.).

- c. Copy of current high school/college transcript (if applicable).
- d. An original 500-word (Minimum) essay. Essays must be typewritten, single-spaced, 1" margins, Times New Roman Font, Font Size 12.
 - i. For applicants in or entering high school or college: The student will write an essay on the topic: "What is Democracy and what does it mean to you?"
 - ii. For all other applicants, the parents will write a 500-word essay on their child's behalf on the same subject. "What is Democracy and what does it mean to you?"
- 7. A panel of judges chosen by SFA Chapter 100 leadership, will select ten winners from all applicants.
- 8. Each recipient will win a one-time, \$2,500.00 non-renewable scholarship. Chapter 100 will send the scholarship directly to the school where the student is enrolled, and can be used in accordance with the student's needs and the school's policies.
- 9. Scholarships won must be utilized in full by June 1, 2025. Any funds not requested by this date will be forever forfeited and returned to the scholarship fund to be awarded to the next year's recipients.
- 10. Winning applicants will be notified on or before May 12, 2024. Upon notification, winners will be announced via social media. (We will ask you for permission before we post).
- 11. Scholarship recipients authorize SFA Chapter 100 to utilize their name and/or photographs in public media announcements, our historical scrapbook, informational poster, website, blog, and/or social media sites without further notice or compensation. Personal information such as address, telephone or e-mail will NOT be shared with third parties.



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DATE(S)	ORGANIZATION / EVENT / ATHLETICS	APPLICANT'S ROLE	AWARDS / RECOGNITION