

American Legion Auxiliary Firkins Veterans' Children Academic Gift

Eligibility:

1. A High School senior who is a current member of the American Legion Auxiliary, or member of the SAL Detachment of Indiana.

Rules:

1. Applicant must be a full time student going to a junior college, community college or technical school.
2. Minimum G.P.A. of a 2.0.
3. The educational gift shall be payable to the applicant in the amount of **\$500.00** at the beginning of the first semester upon approval of the Department Education Committee.
4. The second installment of **\$500.00** will be granted upon satisfactory completion of the first semester (maintaining a 2.0 or above and proof of enrollment).
5. Educational Gift is not renewable.
6. All applicants must be on file by **April 1** of the current year to receive the Gift for the following school year.

Application:

1. The completed application must be typed.
2. Three (3) reference letters – a teacher, a minister, an employer or someone of your choice.
3. Please submit an essay of 500 words describing the reason why you wish to be considered for the academic gift.
4. Copy of your acceptance letter to the school of your choice (proof of enrollment).
5. Financial need as based on family income.

APPLICATION FOR THE AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY
VETERAN'S CHILDREN ACADEMIC GIFT

Name _____ Age _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Telephone _____ E-mail _____

Place of Birth _____

Certificate of Eligibility _____

Auxiliary or SAL Membership ID Number _____

Occupation of Father _____ Annual Income _____

Occupation of Mother _____ Annual Income _____

Are you currently employed? Yes _____ No _____

Number of Children in the family under 18 _____

Or over 18 continuing an education status _____

Name of school applicant wishes to attend _____

Institution address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Failure to comply with the above criteria will disqualify the application.

Mail to: Department Secretary/Treasurer
5440 Herbert Lord Rd., Indianapolis, IN 46216