$2,000.00 Scholarship for further Education

Vietnam Veterans of America, Chapter 1106

Scholarship Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in the Vietnam Veterans of America, Chapter 1106 Scholarship Program.
Your completed application must be returned to VVA Chapter 1106, PO Box 441291, Aurora, CO 80044 with a postmark no later than **May 15, 2020.**

For the $2,000.00 Scholarship Award, you must be:

1. Child or grandchild of an active military or military veteran (living or deceased)
2. Residing in one of these Colorado Counties: Arapahoe, Douglas or Elbert.
3. Accepted into an accredited college, trade or technical school.

In addition to completing this application and providing supporting documentation (see attached), each applicant must write a 1,000-word typed essay on
one of the following five topics with references to the sources of your information. Your personal opinions should be clearly indicated in the content of this essay.
Interviewing a veteran may be beneficial.

1. What can you tell us about the **irony** that twenty-two or more veterans commit suicide daily?
2. How did the Vietnam War affect America, i.e. Media coverage, Politics, Public Opinion, Protests, Flag burning, Draft dodging, etc.?
3. What, in your opinion, has contributed to the average American's current perception of the Vietnam War and its veterans?
4. In your opinion, what are the causes, symptoms, major impacts, effects on others, treatments, etc. associated with Vietnam Veteran PTSD?
5. What have we, as Americans, learned from the Vietnam War?

Your application must be completed in its entirety or it will not be considered.

The top applicants will be invited to a personal interview with the scholarship committee. After the interview, winners will be notified by phone of the scholarship grant.
Winners will also be invited to read their essays at the VVA general meeting and photos will be taken and posted on our website. Non-winners will be notified by call or letter.

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2020 Scholarship Application
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Contact Information

Applicant Name: _____

Address: _____ Date of Birth: _____

City: _____State: _____ Zip code: _____

Phone (____) _____ Email: _____

Eligibility
Veteran Parent or Grandparent's Name: _____
Relationship to you: Parent_____ Grandparent _____

Your Educational Status:

High School/College last Attended: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip code: _____

Name of College/University/ Technical School to which you have applied for admission, or been accepted to or at which you are a full-time student:
School Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip code: _____

School Sponsored extra-curricular activities:
List the activity, a description of the activity, and the amount of time per week/month spent participating in the activity. Include awards or accolades earned.
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Extra-curricular activities (other than school related). example Boys/Girl Scouts, etc.
List the name of the activity, a description of the activity, and the amount of time per week/month spent participating in the activity. Include awards or accolades earned.
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Work Experience:

Employer	Position/Responsibilities	Hours/Week	Dates

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Supporting Documentation Checklist

The following documentation must accompany this application to be considered for scholarship.

_____ VVA Chapter 1106 Application

-------- 1,000 word typed essay on one of the five topics on the cover page.

-------- A copy of the Letter of Acceptance from the institution you plan to attend.
(If not available yet, include a brief explanatory note and forward to VVA Chapter 1106 by May 15, 2020.)

_____ A copy of your most current high school or college transcript.

_____ Proof of parent or grandparent veteran status (DD214-with SSN blacked out) or an Active Duty ID Card.

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Certification Statement

I certify that all the information contained in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

I agree to allow the VVA Chapter 1106 to contact me at a future time to remain in touch and learn of my scholastic accomplishments. I agree to a picture of me being used VVA Chapter 1106 Scholarship brochure.

Signature of Applicant: _____

Signature of Parent/ Guardian: _____

Date: _____

Mail application before May 15, 2020 to:

Scholarship Committee
Vietnam Veterans of America, Chapter 1106
P.O. Box 441291
Aurora, CO 80044