

Massillon American Legion Post 221 Annual Scholarship Information and Application

2017

- 1. Massillon American Legion Post 221 will offer a maximum of two (2) \$1,000.00 Scholarships in 2017.**
- 2. Eligibility: Scholarship recipients must be the natural or legally adopted child or grandchild of a member in good standing of Massillon American Legion Post 221. Member in good standing includes a deceased parent or grandparent who was a member in good standing at the time of his or her death. Applicants must have completed at least their junior year in high school.**
- 3. The scholarships are awarded on a competitive basis, and the recipients will be chosen by a Scholarship Committee appointed by the Post Commander.**
- 4. The committee will consider academic achievement, character and service in the selection of the recipients.**
- 5. Applications that are incomplete, do not conform to directions or received after the deadline will NOT be considered.**
- 6. The decision of the selection committee is final, and not subject to appeal.**
- 7. Completed applications must be received by the Post no later than April 29th, 2017.**

Drop off completed application and supporting documents to Post 221, or mail to:

**American Legion Post 221
Attn: Scholarship
PO Box 757
Massillon, OH 44648**

**Massillon American Legion Post 221
2017 Scholarship Application**

Name: _____ Home phone: _____

Address: _____ Cell phone: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-mail: _____

Name & relation of Post 221 member: _____ Card # _____

Parents: Father _____ Mother _____

Address if different from above: _____

Have you received any previous scholarship assistance from Post 221? _____ Yes _____ No

Current School: _____ Grade: _____ GPA: _____
(submit copy of most recent transcript or grade report)

College or other higher education institution for which scholarship is desired:

_____ Major _____

Extra-curricular activities or honors: _____

List current or prior employment or volunteer activities:

Employer or organization	Dates (approximate)
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

(If extra space is needed, use blank area at bottom of page 3, or submit separate page)

Briefly describe your educational and career goals: _____

Essay: On a separate sheet of paper, submit a 300-500 word essay on the following topic: How pursuing and achieving my educational goals will contribute to my ability to be a better citizen.

Reference letters: Letters of reference are not required, but will be used in evaluating applications if submitted. Reference letters must be from persons not related to you, and should explain how you are known to the writer along with any information they wish to impart concerning your abilities or character. Do not submit more than three reference letters.

Additional Information: Use space below to add any information that doesn't fit elsewhere on this application.

Certification

By signing this application, I certify that all information is true and correct, and that all work submitted was done by me.

Applicant signature

Date