



2027 Scholarship Application

Application Deadline: June 1, 2027

Eligibility

To be eligible, an applicant must be a natural or legally adopted child, surviving spouse, or California-registered domestic partner of a law enforcement or fire service member who died in the line of duty after January 1, 2012.

Please check one relationship to the fallen first responder:

☐ Natural or legally adopted child ☐ Spouse ☐ California-registered domestic partner

Requirements to Be Considered

To be considered, applicants must complete all requirements listed below. Please check each box as you complete the requirement or gather the necessary documentation. All required materials must be submitted with your application.

- ☐ Complete the scholarship application in its entirety, including all applicable sections, and sign and date the certification.
 - ☐ A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale, or its equivalent.
 - ☐ Prepare and submit a written essay. Tell us about your loved one who served as a first responder, how their life, service and sacrifice shaped who you are today. Share how you hope to honor their legacy through your education, future career and contributions to your community. Describe your educational goals and career aspirations, and explain how receiving this scholarship would help you achieve those goals and make a difference in your future.
Essay length: 500-750 words recommended; 1,000 words maximum.
 - ☐ Proof of acceptance or enrollment to a college or trade school.
 - ☐ Official academic transcript.
 - ☐ Headshot (not a selfie).
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Student Information

☐ New applicant ☐ Renewal applicant

Full legal name:	
Date of birth:	Primary phone:
Street address / apartment:	
City, State, Zip:	
Email address:	



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Fallen Hero Information

Full name:	
Rank:	Date of death:
Department, location:	

Parent Information (If Applicable)

Full name:	
Street address / apartment:	
City, State, Zip:	
Primary phone:	Email address:

Education Status for Current School Year

Current school year:	Expected completion date:
Name of current school (if applicable):	

Class status (check one): ☐ HS senior ☐ Freshman ☐ Sophomore ☐ Junior ☐ Senior
☐ Graduate student ☐ Other: _____

Current Cumulative GPA:	GPA Scale (if other than 4.0):
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School type (check one): ☐ High school ☐ Community college ☐ Four-year college/university
☐ Trade / vocational / technical ☐ Graduate / professional ☐ Not enrolled
☐ Other: _____

Degree / diploma / certificate / credential (if applicable):
Major / field of study / training program:



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Schools Previously Attended

List previous schools, most recent first. Do not include your current school.

School name	City / State	Dates attended	Degree / certificate earned

School Activities, Awards, and Honors

Include student body offices, clubs, academic honors, school awards, and athletics.

Activity / organization / award	Office / role / honor	School year(s)

Community Activities, Service, Awards, and Honors

Include organization memberships, offices held, community awards and honors, and service performed.

Organization / activity / award	Role / service performed / honor	Year(s)



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Educational Plans

Name of school you plan to attend:	
School city, state and zip	
Degree / certificate / program planned:	
Major / field of study:	
Email address:	
Expected fall units / credits:	Expected spring units / credits:
Other term / quarter / program hours (if applicable):	

Grants or scholarships awarded for the coming academic year (write "None" if none):

Name of grant / scholarship	Amount awarded

Applicant Certification and Signature

I certify that all information in this application and accompanying materials is true, accurate, and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that false, misleading, or incomplete information may result in disqualification or revocation of an award. I authorize the scholarship committee to review and verify information submitted for the purpose of determining eligibility and selecting scholarship recipients.

Applicant signature:	Date:
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If applicant is under 18: I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information in this application is accurate and complete.

Parent / guardian signature:	Date:
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