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Chapter 436
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Seniors Scholarship Application

College or Technical School Bound
2 (Two) Scholarships Available VVA 436
(Vietnam Veterans) & Elizabeth and Peter
Fifer Award

\$3,000 Each Award

Sponsored by Chapter 436 Vietnam
Veterans of America

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Requirements

Application Deadline: May 26, 2023

Award Date: June 14, 2023

Personal Information

Applicants
Name:

Address:

Phone:

Email:

School Information

High School Name

Current School Class
Graduation Date:

College/University
Name:

Program Studies:

Merit

Community Service:

SAT/ACT Score:

We seek to award scholarships to candidates who are performing well academically and who demonstrate character in their life.

This year, the Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 436 is sponsoring completion for two scholarships: The VVA436 Scholarship for \$3,000 and the Elizabeth and Peter Fifer Scholarship for \$3,000, for students who will attend college or technical school in the fall of 2023.

The applicant must submit an original essay (no less than 500 words) on the following topic:

U.S. military forces are currently facing recruiting shortfalls, the worst since the start of the all volunteer force in 1973. These shortfalls are affecting our military readiness and capability. Describe some of the reasons you believe why young people are not volunteering for the service, and what recommendations you would propose to encourage recruitment?

The essay must be typed and emailed as a pdf document to matt@skadidrones.com

Requirements:

1. Applications are open to all senior students but extra consideration will be made for U.S. Military Veterans, ROTC, and/or veteran-relative. Those eligible candidates who wish to apply must be accepted or registered at an accredited college or technical school for the '23/'24 year.
2. Applicants must be legal residents of Chester County, PA. Applicants who are applying on the basis of a veteran-relative must include a copy of that veterans DD214 document. ROTC must provide documentation to show eligibility.
3. Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 436 Board of Directors shall evaluate and award the scholarship and will not be subject to appeal.
4. Awardees are required to use scholarship funds toward education or forfeit award. The awardee shall be responsible for contacting a tax consultant for rules governing the acceptance and use of scholarship funds.