

NPC FRIENDS AND FAMILY US Military Veterans Scholarship

One scholarship to one NPC student/semester: \$500 toward tuition, books and fees for the **SPRING 2024** semester

Criteria:

VA students: US Military Veterans, their spouses, or their dependents – All Chapters eligible

Veteran students NOT using GI Bill® educational benefits

Degree-seeking at NPC

Demonstrate financial need. This is a NEED-based scholarship

Enrolled for 6 or more credits at NPC during the semester of award

Cumulative Grade-Point Average of 2.5 or better on a 4.0 scale

High school diploma or GED®

Not in overpayment status at NPC. Over the credit limit – Contact betsy.wilson@npc.edu

Students who have previously obtained a Bachelor's degree should contact Betsyann Wilson. Students currently in high school at the time of award are not eligible to apply.

How do I apply?

FIRST: Submit all required VA documentation to NPC's VA Certifying Official at veterans@npc.edu. All required VA documentation **MUST** be on file **before you apply for this scholarship!** For Veterans not using GI Bill® Educational Benefits, the NPC Certifying Official still requires your DD214 and Military Transcripts

THEN: Attach all application documents as directed on the online application form

Application documents:

- Essay – 500 words or fewer – Addressing the following:
 - What are your career goals;
 - What are your educational goals;
 - What resources you have to fund your education making you qualified to receive this scholarship; and
 - Why the scholarship is needed, and specifically how it will be used.

The key to the scholarship essay is that it is a personal narrative, reflecting your experiences and goals. DO NOT USE ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE, SUCH AS CHAT GPT, to write your essay. It is important that your personal voice come through!

- [Click here for tips on writing your scholarship essay](#)
- Demonstration of financial status as evidenced by Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) **Student Aid Report (SAR) PAGE 1 ONLY for the 2023-24 academic year**, or letter of award from NPC Financial Aid Office or MyNPC page.
- Your unofficial transcript from <https://mynpc.npc.edu/ics> indicating your degree intent; students without an NPC transcript must submit a degree plan (see academic advisor)

Scholarship recipients may re-apply for this award in subsequent semesters (not to exceed two consecutive semesters).

Application Deadline: Thursday, November 16 at 12:00 p.m. MST., for funding for the SPRING 2024 semester.

Applications received after this date/time will not be accepted, regardless of why they are late. You are **STRONGLY** advised to submit your application well in advance of the deadline date!

For more information, contact NPC Friends and Family Executive Director Betsyann Wilson: 928-536-6245 or betsy.wilson@npc.edu

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