



Veterans Education Fund

Through the gifts of anonymous donors, the Veterans Education Fund was established to offer multiple scholarships. The contributors are passionate and devoted to veterans' success and the success of Arizona State University. The award amount will be up to \$2,500.00 per semester, regardless of the number of credit hours. Scholarships will be divided equally between the fall and spring semesters through the 2015 school year. Awards will be based on financial need, a strong sense of educational and personal achievement, community/university involvement, and military service. Awards are good for one term only, but awardees may reapply each term.

Scholarship awards: Maximum of \$2,500.00 per semester. Number of hours enrolled may be considered to determine award amounts.

Number of awards: Minimum of five scholarships awarded per semester. Scholarships will only be awarded for the fall and spring semesters.

Eligibility requirements:

- Valid DD-214/DD-215
- Must have received an Honorable Discharge from active duty or be in good Reserve standing
- Must be enrolled in either an undergraduate or graduate program
- Must turn in a completed application with all checklist items



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Application Deadline: 5:00 p.m., Monday, February 25, 2013

Veterans Education Fund 2013-2013 APPLICATION FORM

Name: _____ **ASU ID#:** _____
Last First M.I.

Branch of Service: _____ **Dates:** _____

Local Phone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____
Or Campus Phone

Local Address: _____
Street Address City State Zip

Permanent Phone: _____ **Email Address:** _____

Permanent Address: _____
Street Address City State Zip

ASU College/Department: _____ **Major:** _____

Academic Level 2012-2013: Sophomore Junior Senior



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Number of Credit Hours Planned (for 2012-2013 academic year) Spring: _____

Fall: _____

Anticipated Graduation Date for Current Degree (month/year): _____



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APPLICATION CHECKLIST

PLEASE INCLUDE THESE ITEMS WITH YOUR APPLICATION: *(APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED SINGLE-SIDED, IN THIS ORDER)*

Application

Complete the application and consent forms included with this document.

DD-214/215

On copies of the official document are acceptable.

Financial Need

All applicants must file a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and have the resulting "Student Aid Report" on file at the ASU Student Financial Assistance Office in order to qualify for need-based scholarships. Additionally, complete the attached financial need worksheet.

Personal Statement

Up to two pages, typed and double-spaced, explaining your educational and personal goals. Your statement should include why/how the Veterans Educational Fund will help you achieve your goal.

- What sets you apart?
- How have you been involved with the community?
- How will reaching you educational goals, benefit ASU, the state, and the nation?

Letter of Recommendation

Have the individual writing the letter submit it separately to: veteransservices@asu.edu. In the subject line, have your recommender include your name, followed by Veterans Education Fund.



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**** ALL APPLICANTS ****

CONSENT TO RELEASE RECORDS

Among other rights afforded to me under Federal Legislation commonly known as "The 1974 Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act," as amended, I understand that I have the right to specify the name of each and every individual to whom my records are released.

I further understand that I may waive my right to specify the name of each scholarship donor or scholarship committee to whom my records are released as long as such records are used only in connection with the ASU Foundation Office of Scholarship Development and Administration. I hereby authorize the Office of Scholarship Development and Administration to gather and release all records maintained by the office concerning me. Such records may contain the following:

- a. Letter of recommendation bearing specifically on my application for scholarship.
- b. Other documents and information relating to my academic performance.
- c. Documents and information relating to my financial status.

I certify that the information throughout this application is accurate and that misrepresentation of any facts or details could result in ineligibility for any scholarships/awards.

Print Name _____

Signature _____

Date _____

This application and all required attachments must be submitted via email, fax, or US Mail and RECEIVED by the deadline:

- **Email:** veteransservices@asu.edu (Be sure to include Veterans Educational Fund in the subject line.)
- **Fax:** 480-965-8198 (Be sure to include a cover page ATTN: Veterans Educational Fund.)
- **US Mail:** Pat Tillman Veterans Center

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PO Box 879601, Tempe, AZ 85287-9601

- **Walk-In:** Pat Tillman Veterans Center

ASU Tempe Campus

Memorial Union Rm. 75



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Veterans Education Fund Financial Need Worksheet

Instructions: Fill in the information as completely and accurately as possible. Totals should be applicable to the current semester, or for four consecutive months (as in the case of employment income).

Income

Net Employment Income	\$ _____
Financial Aid	\$ _____
Grants	\$ _____
Student Loans	\$ _____
Other Scholarships	\$ _____
VA Educational Benefits	\$ _____
Total:	\$ _____

Expenses

Living Expenses (Rent, Groceries, vehicles, etc.)	\$ _____
Educational (Tuition and Fees, Books, supplies)	\$ _____
Total:	\$ _____

Additional Comments:
