



The Damascus American Legion Post 171 Scholarship

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Four scholarship grants in the amount of \$2000 and two in the amount of \$1500 will be awarded in the spring of 2024.

Deadline for applications is April 1st 2024

Applicants will be judged on Scholastic, achievement, leadership, character, citizenship, school and community activities, work experience and the content and quality of their essay.

The American Legion was founded upon four pillars of service in 1919. Our Veterans, our Youth, a Strong National Defense, and Americanism.

Select one of these pillars and write an essay of approximately 350 words describing how you will use your post-secondary education to advance one of these pillars.

To be eligible for consideration, an applicant must:

1. Be a citizen of the United States.
2. Be a graduating high school senior with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher who will attend full time, in 2024, an accredited post-secondary academic institution, vocational, trade or business school.
3. Home school students must be in a state approved program.