VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS AUXILIARY

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National Scholarships



Have you been doing your homework? It is never too early to get started. We have three different deadlines for three different contests. Start with getting your list of local schools and promote the essays for Voice of Democracy and Patriot's Pen.

The theme for 2025-2026 is the same for both: "How are You Showing Patriotism and Support for our Country?". Log on to www.vfw.org/scholarships or www.vfwauxiliary.org/scholarships to download and print the entry form. The deadline is October 31st to the participating Auxiliary. Don't forget social media to reach the home schooled as well.

How about Patriotic Art? This can be promoted right away too. It may take time for artists to prepare their entries even though that deadline isn't until March 31st.

And last, we have a Continuing Education scholarship for members. They can start working on their essays now and that deadline is February 15th.

"We Rise by Lifting Others" as we are "Honoring Veterans from Sea to Shining Sea"

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