



## SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

### Eligibility

- ▶ Full-Time Student pursuing an Associate or Bachelor Degree who is a Member or legal dependent of a Member or Former Member of the SC National Guard. **OR** Full-Time Student pursuing a Graduate Degree who is a member of the SC National Guard. (Self-Sponsor)  
Current Member of the NGASC and EANGUS or NGAUS

### Academic Merit ONLY Criteria

- ▶ **Limited to two (2) Academic Merit ONLY scholarships awarded per academic year**

### Financial Need PLUS Academic Merit Criteria

- ▶ Minimum 2.0 GPA (Cumulative on a 4.0 scale)  
Maximum Adjusted Gross Income of \$150,000  
Member or Sponsor Federal Tax Returns Required  
**All remaining scholarships will be awarded in this category**

### First Time Application Requirements

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| <p>▶ <b>First Time UNDERGRADUATE Applicants:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Scholarship Application</li><li>- SAT/ACT Results (website printout with student's name or official copy)</li><li>- Most Recent High School/College Transcript</li><li>- Commander's Certification</li><li>- Previous Year Tax Return (NOT required for Academic Merit ONLY applications)</li></ul> | <p><b>First Time GRADUATE Applicants:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Scholarship Application</li><li>- Most Recent Undergraduate/Graduate Transcript</li><li>- GRE/GMAT/LSAT/MCAT Results (website printout with student's name or official copy)</li><li>- Commander's Certification</li><li>- Previous Year Tax Return (NOT required for Academic ONLY applications)</li></ul> |
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### Renewing Application Requirements

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| <p>▶ <b>Renewing UNDERGRADUATE Applicants:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Scholarship Application</li><li>- Most Recent Undergraduate Transcript</li><li>- Commander's Certification</li><li>- Previous Year Tax Return (NOT required for Academic Merit ONLY applications)</li></ul> | <p><b>Renewing GRADUATE Applicants:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Scholarship Application</li><li>- Most Recent Graduate Transcript</li><li>- Commander's Certification</li><li>- Previous Year Tax Return (NOT required for Academic ONLY applications)</li></ul> |
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### Application Deadlines

- ▶ All applications must be postmarked by the last day of **JANUARY**.

### Submit Your Application

**MAIL APPLICATIONS TO:**  
South Carolina National Guard Association  
132 Pickens Street  
Columbia, SC 29205

PrintForm

**NGASC Staff will not review submitted scholarship applications for completeness.**

**Scholarship Committee selections are final and appeals will not be considered.**

**Please visit <http://www.scngf.org/scngf-scholarships.html>**



# APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP

**PLEASE READ INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY.** Scholarship awards are based on your application, honors/activities and financial need (when applicable). Your class rank, America College Test / Scholastic Aptitude Test score, and Grade Point Average may be used in the review. All scholarships are based on availability of funds.

**PLEASE CHOOSE HOW YOU WOULD LIKE YOUR APPLICATION TO BE CONSIDERED:**

Financial Need PLUS Academic Merit       Academic Merit Only

## APPLICANT INFORMATION

**PLEASE TYPE or  
PRINT Information  
Carefully.**

Last Name                                      First Name                                      Middle Name                                      Marital Status

Address (Number and Street)                                      City                                      State      Zip Code

Date of Birth                                      Home Phone                                      Cell Phone                                      Email Address

High School Attended                                      Graduation Date                                      Class Rank      Class Size      GPA (4.0 scale)

High School City                                      State                                      Zip Code

Expected College                                      College Major

Previous College Experience \_\_\_\_\_

Expected Graduation Date                                      Career Goal

Member of SC  
National Guard

## SPONSOR INFORMATION (Members of National Guard Are Self-Sponsored)

Last Name                                      First Name                                      Middle Name                                      Relationship

Rank      Grade      Unit or Former Unit                                      Unit City                                      State

Years of Service      ETS                                      Job Title                                      # of Dependents in College

Spouse Last Name                                      First Name                                      Middle Name



# APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP

## HONORS & SIGNIFICANT SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

List Honors & School Activities
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## WORK & COMMUNITY SERVICES EXPERIENCE AND PERSONAL INTERESTS

List Work & Community Service Experience and Personal Interests
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## SPONSOR FINANCIAL INFORMATION (Required for Financial Need Consideration ONLY)

National Guard Members should report only their financial information.

Dependents should report their Sponsor's financial information.

Amount

Past Year Adjusted Gross Income from Federal Tax Return	
Non-Taxable Income (VA, Social Security, Child Support, Welfare, Unemployment, Non-Taxable Bonds)	

## Additional Sources of Financial Support

SCNG Student Loan Repayment Program (SLRP), BEOG, Pell Grant(s), GI Bill, Scholarships, Fellowships, LIFE Scholarships, Work Study, Assistantship, Employer Reimbursement

Amount

	Amount
Item #1	
Item #2	
Item #3	
Item #4	

## SIGNATURES & CERTIFICATION

I (we) hereby grant permission to have this application, tax records, high school records, and college financial and academic records that may be obtained, reviewed by the FOUNDATION and/or any college listed on this form. I (we) will notify the FOUNDATION, in writing, of any change of address, college of attendance, financial information, etc. If an award is made, the funds will be used ONLY for payment of necessary tuition and fees for attendance at an eligible college or university on a FULL TIME basis as defined by the college catalog or Registrar. The information submitted herewith is true and correct to the best of my/our knowledge. As the APPLICANT, I fully understand my obligation to maintain a level of academic standing and moral character that will reflect favorably upon the FOUNDATION.

Applicant Signature

Sponsor Signature

Sponsor Spouse Signature



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## Commander's Certification

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**PLEASE READ INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY.**

I CERTIFY THAT: The APPLICANT is a (Member) (Legal Dependent of a Member) of this unit; the military information herein before is correct; and he/she is eligible to be considered for a grant by the Scholarship Selection Committee of the FOUNDATION. If the SPONSOR is retired/separated or deceased, then a personnel officer or a responsible active or retired member of the South Carolina National Guard may sign and explain in REMARKS.

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### COMMANDER'S INFORMATION

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Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
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Rank	Unit	Unit City	State
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Commander's Signature	Date
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Remarks:



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## Cover-Sheet & Checklist

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#### **First Time GRADUATE Applicants Checklist:**

- Scholarship Application
- Most Recent Undergraduate/Graduate Transcript
- GRE/GMAT/LSAT/MCAT Results (website printout or official copy)
- Commander's Certification
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