



Gary Grunwald Memorial Scholarship Application Form

Applicant's Name _____

Sons of the American Legion
Elk Grove Post #233
Gary Grunwald Memorial Scholarship

The Sons of the American Legion, Elk Grove Post #233, has proudly established the Gary Grunwald Memorial Scholarship to honor the spirit of dedication and patriotism that was brightly demonstrated in Mr. Grunwald's life and continues to shine forward through his family. As a tribute to his commitment and character, the Sons of the American Legion Post #233 are proud to continue his legacy through this academic scholarship, designed to provide financial support to an eligible post-secondary student in the 2019/20 academic year.

Application criteria and Instructions:

- Student must be a **member** in Good Standing with the Sons of American Legion Squadron 233 Elk Grove Ca. and high school graduate, or will be a high school graduate, within the academic year.
- Student must attend an accredited college/university or a certified trade school during the 2019/2020 academic year
- Provide the following information:
 1. Your personal information (see attached scholarship application),
 2. Indicate the accredited college/university or certified trade school that you plan to attend, and note the Major you intend to study at the institution
 3. Submit a typed, one-page essay that explains why you believe you have merited this scholarship and how you intend to serve your community after completing college/university or trade school

Approved uses of funds awarded by the scholarship:

- Tuition, books and/or school supplies

Award release requirements and expectations:

- Funds will be released to the student through the college/university or trade school's scholarship procedure once the student is enrolled at the accredited college/university or certified trade school indicated on the application
- Awardee(s) are expected to, in good faith, attend and complete classes for which scholarship funds have been disbursed

Applications must be received by February 15, 2019. THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS.

Please submit completed applications to:

Sons of American Legion, Post #233 Commander



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Please complete all sections of this form; use NA for not applicable where appropriate.

Incomplete or missing information may lead to disqualification for consideration of scholarship award.

1. Full Name (as it appears on your school records):		
2. Name of American Legion family member and relationship to applicant:		
3. U.S. Citizen Yes ___ No ___ If No, are you a permanent resident? Yes ___ No ___		
4. List current school(s) you attend:		
Name and Address of School	School Website URL	Cumulative GPA
5. Current cumulative GPA (based on 4.0 weighted scale):		
6. College/University or trade school you plan to attend in 2019-2020:		
7. Have you already been accepted to a college/university or trade school? Yes ___ No ___		
8. Why did you choose this particular college/university or trade school?		



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9. Please provide three (3) personal references from adults who can attest to your qualities and qualifications (personal referrals cannot be from relatives; consider teachers, employers, pastor, long-time family friends, etc.)

Name	Relationship to Application	Phone Number	Email Address
1.			
2.			
3.			

10. Anticipated date of graduation from high school (or college/university):

11. Applicant's Signature and Date

12. Applicant's Contact Information

Street Address
City
State
Zip Code

Home Phone Number _____ Cell Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

13. American Legion #233 Member Name and Signature



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Essay: Why do you believe you have merited this scholarship, and how do you intend to serve the needs of your community after completing college/university or trade school?