

# Vietnam Veterans of America – Don E Pollock Chapter 918 Memorial Scholarship Application

Applicant's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_

College you plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of college: \_\_\_\_\_

Field of study: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupational/Life goals: \_\_\_\_\_

ACT Score \_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank in Upper % \_\_\_\_\_ Accumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_

## Basic Eligibility Requirements

- (1) U.S. Citizen
- (2) High School Graduating Senior
- (3) 2.5 GPA or Higher
- (4) Complete VVA Application
- (5) Descendant of a Veteran who served in the Vietnam Era (**Explained in the Additional Eligibility Requirements**)

## Applicant Agreement

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, I meet the eligibility requirements for the VVA Chapter 918 Memorial Scholarship and that the information I have submitted is true and correct. I agree to be enrolled in a full-time program of study each semester. I understand I must maintain at least a 2.5 grade point average each semester and comply with the rules and regulations of the college attended and cooperate fully with its officials and teachers. Additionally, I understand that I will receive one-half of the scholarship money at the beginning of each semester. I agree that if I fail to comply with this agreement, I may be liable to refund money paid for the current semester, per VVA Chapter 918 Scholarship Committee determination.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's signature Date

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information presented in this application to be true and correct.

\_\_\_\_\_  
High School Official Position Date

## Vietnam Veterans of America, Chapter 918 Scholarship

### Additional Eligibility Requirements

1. A brief (250 words or fewer) explanation of why you believe you deserve to be awarded the VVA Chapter 918 Memorial Scholarship. Include a description of the related Veterans service in the Vietnam era and what it means to you.
2. List scholastic and extracurricular activities and community service activities in which you participated during your high school years and approximate number of hours of community service performed.
3. List any work experience you may have had during your high school years.
4. List the closest relative (father, grandfather, mother, grandmother, aunt, or uncle) you have, who served in the U.S. Military between Feb. 20, 1961 – May 7, 1975, served 180 or more days on active duty and was honorably discharged. **This relative did not have to serve in Vietnam, but only serve in the time period of the dates listed above.** List which branch of the Armed Forces in which they served and approximate dates of military service.
5. List your financial need for meeting college expenses.
6. List any other information you feel might be important to the scholarship selection committee as they consider your application.

This scholarship is a one thousand dollar scholarship payable to the institution of enrollment following recipient's notification of enrollment. The scholarship will be paid in two payments; \$500 for two semesters beginning the fall semester. There are two scholarships issued this year and eighteen schools participating in the counties surrounding Vernon County. This application must be received by our Chapter no later than April 1, 2015. It may be mailed to ;

Vic Hinds  
23047 S 1125 Rd  
Moundville, MO. 64771

or it may be emailed to me at [larryselby@hotmail.com](mailto:larryselby@hotmail.com) . I will confirm receiving your application by email. If there are any questions feel free to email me. Sincerely, Larry Selby, Chapter 918 Treasurer

\*\*\*\*\* No more than two applicants per school. Please copy this for the second application.