

Officers' Spouses' Club

Fort Drum, New York

Scholarship Application - 2011-2012 Academic Year

Application Deadline is March 31, 2011

**Eligible individuals** are spouses and children of active duty, reserve, or retired active duty military (officer or enlisted) that will be enrolled in a full or part-time accredited degree program during the upcoming 2011-2012 academic year. (fall & spring terms) Applicants or their military sponsors must reside in the Fort Drum area or associated communities. Individuals who will be attending a service academy or who accept any other full scholarship are not eligible to apply for this scholarship. Scholarships are based on scholastic merit and community involvement. Race, color, sex, national origin, or financial need will not influence the selection.

**Applications and transcripts** must be completed and postmarked no later than March 31, 2011. Transcripts are to be sent by the school(s), **in a sealed envelope**, directly to the Officers' Spouses' Club (OSC) Scholarship Committee. **Schools** must send transcripts (with grades), in a sealed envelope, from the **three** most recent academic years, including the current academic year. Standardized test scores (SAT, ACT) should also be sent by the school. These scores are only necessary for high school seniors. For applicants not currently in school, **three** years of transcripts from the most recent school(s) attended must be sent. Applicant is responsible for making sure transcripts are received by the OSC Scholarship Committee. An application is not considered complete without transcripts; late or incomplete applications will not be considered (See back page for checklist).

**Awardees** will be notified in writing of their selection to receive a monetary award. Awardees and their sponsors will be asked to sign a scholarship pledge affirming that they meet the eligibility requirements as stated herein. Awards will be made in the form of a check to the individual awardee's institution, contingent upon receipt by the OSC Scholarship Committee of a true copy of verification of enrollment in an accredited institution of higher learning. All scholarships will be dispersed according to the institutions financial aid policies. Several scholarships will be awarded. The use of scholarship monies awarded is restricted to payment of tuition, fees, books, and room and board.

Privacy Act Statement	
AUTHORITY: 31 U.S.C. 3721	ROUTINE USES:
PRINCIPAL PURPOSE: Application for educational scholarship	a) Information is used to provide a basis for the award and payment of scholarship money for collegiate education.
DISCLOSURE: Voluntary. However, incomplete applications will not be considered.	b) Social Security Numbers are used to assure correct identification of applicants and applicant's military sponsor, to verify information provided on the application, and to assure payment to proper awardees.

Please check the category that describes your application status:

- High School Senior
- Returning College Applicant (Must have received high school diploma and have attended some College courses)
- Officers' Spouses' Club Member (current member)
- Child of an OSC Member
- Spouse of Service Member

(Please type or print in ink)

<b>1. APPLICANT</b>	
Name _____	SSN _____ - _____ - _____
(Last) (Maiden – if applicable) (First) (Mi)	
Address _____	Date of Birth _____
	Home Telephone _____
(City) (State) (Zip)	( )
(County)	
e-mail _____	

<b>2. MILITARY SPONSOR</b>	
Name _____	SSN _____ - _____ - _____
(Last) (First) (Mi)	Relationship To Applicant _____
Address _____	Home Telephone _____
(City) (County) (State) (Zip)	( )
Branch of Service _____	Military/Unit Address _____

Military Telephone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

**3. EDUCATIONAL HISTORY**

List below the high schools, preparatory schools, or colleges you have attended or are attending, beginning with the most recent:

School or College	Location	Dates of Attendance	Graduation or Degree Conferral Date

**4. CURRENT STATUS** (please check all that apply)

- Full-time high school student
- Full-time college student
- Part-time college student
- Full-time employed with \_\_\_\_\_
- Part-time employed with \_\_\_\_\_
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**5. ACADEMIC HONORS**

List any academic awards or special programs (e.g., independent research, science programs, etc.) since the beginning of the ninth grade.

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**6. EXTRACURRICULAR AND PERSONAL ACTIVITIES**

The following chart has been designed to give us an organized picture of your involvement, talents, and achievements outside the classroom. Please list your principal extracurricular, community, and personal activities approximately in the order of their interest to you. These may include the arts (art, drama, dance, forensics, and journalism), athletics, music, or organized school, church, or community activities. In the "Positions, Honors, Awards, Letters" column, include major accomplishments—for example, musical instruments played, number of varsity letters earned, and other relevant details. Please use the space provided and do not feel compelled to fill all of the blanks.

Activity or Interest                      Dates of Participation                      Positions, Honors, Awards, Letters

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Checklist for Scholarship Application

\_\_\_\_\_ Original application plus five copies

\_\_\_\_\_ Transcripts (with grades) from three most recent academic years, including the current academic year. Must be sent by schools in a sealed envelope.

\_\_\_\_\_ Standardized Test Scores (for high school seniors)

\_\_\_\_\_ Essay plus five copies (please do not include your name on the Essay)

\_\_\_\_\_ One Copy of Military ID card

\_\_\_\_\_ Signature

**NO TWO SIDED COPIES WILL BE ACCEPTED ON APPLICATIONS!**