

**AMERICAN LEGION AND AUXILIARY SCHOLARSHIP
OF KRAUTER UNIT POST AND UNIT U # 110
RULES FOR \$500 SCHOLARSHIP FOR ADVANCED EDUCATION**

I. OBJECTIVE:

Watson Krauter Post and Unit #110 shall award annually a \$500 Scholarship to assist children or grandchildren of Wessington American Legion Post and Auxiliary Unit members to secure an education beyond the High School level, either to college, vocational school, nurses training or any level of higher education.

II. ELIGIBILITY:

- a. Applicant must be a child or grandchild of a Wessington American Legion Post or Auxiliary Unit # 110 member, a Junior member, or Legion member of SAL.
- b. The applicant must be a Senior in Wolsey/Wessington or Miller Area High School and going to graduate in the current year.
- c. Applicant must be going to attend college, vocational school, nurses training, business college or beautician's school, etc.
- d. If no Post or Auxiliary member's child or grandchild, Junior member, Legion member or SAL is eligible, then the Committee may open the application to any Veteran's child or Senior class member.

III. RECOMMENDATION:

- a. The applicant shall submit with their application: name, address and photograph (optional), the name and location of the school in which the applicant is to be enrolled.
- b. The applicant is to write a statement "Why I want to attend a facility of higher education".
- c. The applicant must submit a transcript of his/her high School grades.
- d. With the help of School Administration, the scholarship award will be presented with adherence to the above qualification and based on the following:
AMERICANISM - fine ideals, love of country
ACTIVITIES - church, school, organization or community
LEADERSHIP - ability and personal magnetism
BASIS OF NEED - help in higher educational expense.

IV. AWARD:

- a. Scholarship Committee of the American Legion Post and Auxiliary Unit shall make the final selection.
- b. The committee shall select an alternate in the event the winner cannot, for some reason, execute his/her plans.
- c. Applicant shall be selected on the following basis:
 1. Character - 20%
 2. Americanism - 20%
 3. Leadership - 20%
 4. Scholarship - 20%
 5. Basis of Need - 20%
- d. One half of scholarship money to be given upon beginning of the first semester of school and one half at the start of the second semester.

V. APPLICATION:

- a. Application forms may be secured from the Legion or Auxiliary.
- b. Application is to reach the Scholarship Chairman by May 1.

**Watson Krauter American Legion and Auxiliary Scholarship
Wessington, South Dakota**

Application for \$500 College, Vocational or Nursing Scholarship

1. Name of Applicant _____
Address _____ Date of Birth _____
2. Eligibility for Scholarship
Father _____ Mother _____ Grandchild _____ Self _____
Is Father living _____ Divorced _____ Deceased _____ Disabled _____
3. Number of children in family _____ Ages _____
Number of children in College _____
4. Occupation of Father or Guardian _____
5. Occupation of Mother or Guardian _____
6. School you wish to attend: _____
7. Have you applied for another scholarship _____
Course of Study _____
8. Have you applied for another scholarship _____?
Amount _____
9. Attach to this application:
 - a. Photograph of applicant (optional)
 - b. Statement: "Why I want to attend a facility of higher education"
 - c. Certified transcript or photostatic copy of High School Grades.
 - d. Listing of activities:
10. Signature of applicant _____

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