



# VFW Post # 8870 Freedom Scholarship

VFW Post # 8870, Edmonds, sponsors the Freedom Scholarship for four deserving seniors who will be enrolling full time in an accredited vocational, technical, college or university in the fall semester and who have parents and/or grandparents that are US Military Veterans. The \$1500 scholarship shall be paid directly to the student's school account to help defray tuition costs, fees, and expenses.

Applicant's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security # \_\_\_\_\_

School District in Which You Reside (Circle One) Edmonds Mukilteo

Name of college/trade school you plan to attend in the fall and the address for the Bursar's Office:

Name of School \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

The following materials must accompany the Freedom Scholarship application form:

- A high school transcript that includes grades from your junior and senior years;
- A resume that includes the school sponsored activities in which you have participated during your high school years, leadership positions, jobs you have held, and service related activities for which you have volunteered; and
- An essay that is typed and from 300 to 500 words in which you explain:
  1. What freedom means to you; and
  2. How our Constitution establishes and maintains a culture of freedom in our country.
- Name and branch of service that veteran parent(s) and/or grandparent(s) served.

We, the undersigned, give our permission for the VFW Post #8870 Edmonds to receive and review a copy of the applicant's high school transcript. We understand that the members of the Post's Scholarship Committee shall review all application materials and Committee decisions regarding the awarding of the Freedom Scholarship shall be final.

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Applicant's Signature Print Name Date

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Parent's Signature Print Name Date

Please forward the completed application and all supporting materials to:

Mail: Scholarship Committee  
VFW Post # 8870  
PO Box 701  
Edmonds, WA 98020

Or

E-Mail: [scholarships@vfw8870.org](mailto:scholarships@vfw8870.org)

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION MATERIALS IS APRIL 15**