

VII CORPS DESERT STORM VETERANS ASSOCIATION 2017 SCHOLARSHIP QUALIFICATIONS FOR APPLYING

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Enclosure 1: QUALIFICATION FOR APPLYING:

1. Applicant must have served, or be an immediate family member of those who served, with the US Army VII Corps in Operations Desert Shield/Desert Storm or Provide Comfort or one of the support base activities.
2. Special consideration will be given to the survivors of VII Corps soldiers who died during Operations Desert Shield/Desert Storm or Provide Comfort.
3. No application will be rejected for reason of race, religion, sex, or age.
4. Scholarships are limited to students entering or enrolled in accredited technical institutions (trade/specialty degrees), two-year colleges (associate degrees), and four-year universities.
5. Applications for full-time and part-time enrollment will be accepted for evaluation.
6. Applicants should have graduated from high school or will have an equivalent certificate by June 2017.
7. Awards will not be made to individuals receiving military academy appointments or full four-year scholarships. Rank-ordered alternates will be placed in lieu of primary selectees when this situation occurs.
8. Successful applicants may apply and qualify for scholarships in subsequent years.
9. In the event of a tie between applicants for the scholarship, priority will be given to the survivors of VII Corps soldiers who died during Operations Desert Shield/Desert Storm or Provide Comfort, veterans who are also members of the VII Corps Desert Storm Veterans Association or family members of veterans who are also members of the VII Corps Desert Storm Veterans Association.
10. The scholarship award will be paid by check to the school the student attends upon receipt of request from the scholarship winner and proof of admission or registration for Fall 2016 semester courses at an accredited institution, college, or university.
11. Print or type the application. Ensure the three page application form, academic transcripts, and two letters of recommendation are mailed together in one packet by 15 **December** 2016.