

Part A
TRANSCRIPT REQUEST
FRA / LA FRA Scholarship Program
(Applicants – Do not submit this page retain for your records.)

Applicants Name (**Last**, First, Middle Initial): _____

Check One Only
SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM FOR WHICH APPLYING

FRA SCHOLARSHIP

LA FRA SCHOLARSHIP

Check All That Apply

Applying for: Undergraduate Scholarship Graduate Scholarship Col. Benn Scholarship

Applicant is currently: High School Student College student Graduate Student

1. All entries must be complete, accurate, legible and printed in black ink.
2. Read all instructions carefully before attempting to answer. Ensure that your answers are accurate. Review and understand Part A , Part B or the Benn Scholarship application before mailing to FRA or LA FRA.
3. We define: **Sponsor** as an FRA member (living or deceased) who may be the applicant, a parent, a grandparent, or a legal guardian, through whose military service eligibility for this scholarship program is claimed. **Head of Family** as the person who provides support (housing, food, financial support etc.) to the applicant. **Dependent** is an individual who meets the United States IRS definition as it relates to the sponsor defined herein.
4. Ensure that the information you enter about the Sponsor accurately describes their *latest* military status. For example, if the Sponsor is on active duty, the information must describe their current affiliation, status, et cetera. If the Sponsor is retired or deceased, the affiliation, status, et cetera, must be that which pertained to the sponsor at the time of their retirement or death.
5. **Gross income** is to reflect total income from **all** sources. This includes investment income, savings income, retirement incomes, all forms of military pays (base pay, BAH, BAS, family separation, sub pay, flight pay, combat/hazardous duty pay, etc.) **Net income** is to reflect taxable income reported to IRS.
6. Applicant must sign the application forms and ensure that it is also signed by the head of family or sponsor where required.
7. Submit one (1) application for FRA Scholarships, one (1) *separate* application for the LA FRA Scholarships. Mail in *separate* envelopes to the addresses indicated. Do not apply for a FRA and a LA FRA scholarship or the Benn scholarship on the same form!
8. **Scholarship recipients are notified by telephone and in writing by early July.** Recipient must be a US Citizen and attend a college located in the United States. If you are selected to receive a scholarship, your photo and your essay or excerpts may be used for promotional materials. FRA is unable to notify the applicants who have not been selected for a scholarship award.
9. We must receive the "High School and College Transcript Request" form (Part A, page 3) with transcripts, completed by the appropriate school authority, in order to consider any application (FRA, LA FRA, or Benn). The Transcript Request with transcript(s) need not be submitted at the same time as the scholarship application. Separate transcripts and forms must be sent (i.e. one for FRA, one for LA FRA, one for Benn.) All college students applying *must* provide an official copy of both their high school *and* college transcripts.
10. We do not acknowledge receipt of application, if the application was submitted correctly, or if you were not selected for a scholarship. If an applicant wants to know if their application has been received, please enclose a self-addressed stamped postcard (not an envelope) that states "FRA application has been received." We will date it and mail it back to you.

DEADLINE: APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN 15 APRIL

Mail Transcripts for FRA and Benn Scholarships to: FRA Scholarship Administrator
125 N. West Street
Alexandria, Virginia 22314-2754

Mail Transcripts for LA FRA Scholarships to: LA FRA Scholarship Administrator
125 N. West Street
Alexandria, Virginia 22314-2754

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Fleet Reserve Association (FRA) Scholarships

Schuyler S. Pyle Scholarship: Dependents/children/grandchildren and spouses of members in good standing of the Fleet Reserve Association or of a member in good standing at time of death, and members of the FRA.

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Stanley A. Doran Memorial Scholarship: Dependent children of members in good standing of the Fleet Reserve Association or of a member in good standing at time of death.

Oliver and Esther R. Howard Scholarship: Dependent children of members in good standing of the Fleet Reserve Association or the Ladies Auxiliary of the Fleet Reserve Association or of a member in good standing at time of death. Recipient must pursue a post-high school, undergraduate degree. Awards are alternated annually between female dependents (in even numbered years) and male dependents (in odd numbered years).

Robert W. Nolan Scholarship; Joseph R. Baranski Scholarship; and the Glenn F. Glezen Scholarships: Preference is given to applicants enrolled in courses of study at the post graduate levels. Eligible applicants are: Children, grandchildren, and spouses of FRA members in good standing and members in good standing of the FRA.

Colonel Hazel Elizabeth Benn, U.S.M.C. Scholarship: Post-high school freshman or sophomore undergraduate education for an unmarried dependent child of an FRA member in good standing who served or is now serving in the U.S. Navy as an enlisted medical rating assigned to and serving with the United States Marine Corps

Selections are based on academic records, financial need, extracurricular activities, leadership skills and participation in community activities. In the selection process for FRA Scholarships, the focus is on the applicant not the sponsor.

Ladies Auxiliary of the Fleet Reserve Association (LA FRA) Scholarships

LA FRA Scholarship: Daughters/granddaughters of U.S. Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard personnel, active Fleet Reserve, Fleet Marine Corps Reserve, and Coast Guard Reserve, retired with pay or deceased.

LA FRA National President's Fund and Scholarship: Awarded to the male or female candidate chosen from sons, daughters, grandsons, or granddaughters of Naval, Marine Corps and Coast Guard personnel, active Fleet Reserve, Fleet Marine Corps Reserve and Coast Guard Reserve, retired with pay, or deceased.

Sam Rose Memorial Scholarship: Awarded to a male or female candidate chosen from the sons, daughters, grandson, or granddaughters from the sons, daughters, grandson, or granddaughters of deceased FRA members or persons who were eligible to be FRA members at the time of death.

Allie Mae Oden Memorial Scholarship: Awarded to a male or female candidate chosen from the sons, daughters, grandson, or granddaughters from the sons, daughters, grandson, or granddaughters of deceased FRA members or persons who were eligible to be FRA members at the time of death.

SCHOLARSHIP HINTS

(1) Take the SAT/ACT test. (2) Seek the free services of your school guidance counselor. The counselor will have information about scholarships, grants, and colleges. (3) Research! Free information is available at your local library and on the Internet. The research/reference department will gladly assist you. If they don't have a publication you need, ask for assistance. Your local library can usually order a publication for you (on a loan basis) through your state library system.

Many Internet sites offer free information.

When anyone requests money for scholarship information—BEWARE!

Applicants: No Photos, Please!

HELPFUL GUIDES:

<http://www.finaid.org/>

<http://www.gocollege.com/>

<http://www.scholarshiphelp.org/>

<http://www.ed.gov>

<http://www.students.gov>

<http://www.protectandserveus.com/military.aspx>

<http://studentaid.ed.gov/>

High School and College Transcript Request

Applicants Detach This Page and Submit to Your School or College Counselor or Official

Privacy Act Statement

Purpose of this request is to obtain information about the applicant. The information will be used by the scholarship sponsoring organization to evaluate applicant's academic achievement and character. Applicant must authorize release of transcript data.

The high school/college named below has my permission to release my official transcript to the scholarship sponsor indicated below:

(Signature of Student)

(Student: on **Mail to** line below, note if FRA Scholarship, LA FRA Scholarship, or Benn Scholarship. Select only one)

Mail to:

125 N. West Street
Alexandria, Virginia 22314-2754
Attn: Scholarship Administrator

Instructions for high school/college officials

Academic officials are requested to complete this form. Please attach a copy of the student's official transcript, including grades achieved, SAT or ACT scores and forward to the FRA or LA FRA scholarship sponsor.

Provide the following information even if given on transcript. Please use the 4.0 grading scale.

Student's Name (Last, First, Middle)	
Student's Address	
Name and Address of High School/College	
Student's Dates of Attendance	
Cumulative High School GPA (4.0 Scale)	Cumulative College GPA (4.0 Scale)
SAT/Verbal	SAT/Math
ACT Composite	
High School Class Size	High School Rank
Remarks by Counselors or Teachers that may be beneficial to the Scholarship Sponsor (use additional sheets of paper if desired)	
Name of School Official	Title
Signature of School Official	Date

Please Remember to Submit Official Transcript to FRA

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