

SCHOLARSHIP FACT SHEET

<u>Eligibility.</u> Children and spouses of current members of the Non Commissioned Officers Association. Awards not limited by race, color, creed, national origin, or sex. For undergraduate study only at accredited colleges and universities. Children of members must be under age 25 to receive initial grant.

Grants to the designated school may be used for room and board, tuition, library fees, textbooks, and related instructional material.

Value of scholarships. - \$900 per school year.

<u>Application Packets - Sons and daughters of NCOA members</u>

Include with completed application: two letters of recommendation from teachers/counselors; a personal recommendation from an adult who is not a relative; a handwritten autobiography; certified transcript of high school or college grades; ACT or SAT scores, and a composition on Americanism (not less than 200 words).

Application packets - Spouses of NCOA members

Include with completed application: copy of high school diploma or GED equivalent; certified transcript of all college courses completed (if any); certificate of completion for any other courses of training; a brief biographical background, and a letter of intent describing degreed course of study, plans for completion of a degreed program, and a closing paragraph on "What a College Degree Means to Me."

Selection. A committee of educators and senior enlisted personnel select recipients during the month of June.

<u>Application.</u> Applications are available from NCOA website after January 1 each year. You can also request applications from the address below or via e-mail at tkish@ncoausa.org.

NCOA Scholarship Fund, Inc. P.O. Box 33790 San Antonio, Texas 78265

Deadline. Complete application packages must be submitted to NCOA Headquarters by March 31.

Only individuals selected to receive scholarships will be notified.