

Enterprise Holdings Foundation Scholarship for Veterans

Guidelines

The Mountwest Foundation will award three \$500 scholarships for the Spring 2012 term to current Mountwest Community & Technical College students with veteran status thanks to a generous gift from Enterprise Holdings Foundation.

In order to apply for the scholarship, students must complete the following requirements:

- 1.) Eligible candidates must have completed at least 15 credit hours toward his/her associate degree (excluding developmental coursework) by Fall 2011.
- 2.) The candidate must have a grade point average of 3.0 or higher.
- 3.) A Mountwest faculty member must endorse the candidate by written documentation and sign the student's application.
- 4.) The student must present a portfolio consisting of:
 - A copy of the service member's DD 214 (or NGB Form 22 if National Guard) showing an Honorable Discharge.
 - Two letters of recommendation – one must be from a Mountwest faculty member in the student's area of study; the second letter from a member of any chapter of the American Legion or Veterans of Foreign Wars.
- 5.) A current resume listing two Mountwest faculty members as references (can be same faculty as above).
- 6.) The student must compose a one-page essay in Microsoft Word on the following topic using MLA guidelines: ***"This scholarship will impact my life and help me reach my educational goals by..."***

Application Checklist:

A student's completed application package should include:

- Completed application with the appropriate signatures
- DD 214 or NGB 22
- Two sealed letters of recommendation
- Current resume
- One-page essay

Deadline to Apply:

Students should submit their completed application package to Gina Broce in the Dean of Student Services Office, CTC 109, no later than **4 p.m., Monday, November 14, 2011.**

For more information, contact Cory Payne at 304.399.1279 or email at payne78@mctc.edu.



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Application

If you are a U.S. veteran and meet the requirements listed in the scholarship guidelines, please complete this application form, compile your complete application package and submit to Gina Broce in the Dean of Student Services Office, CTC 109, no later than 4 p.m., Monday, November 14, 2011.

Applicant Information

Full Name: _____

Student ID No.: _____ **Mountwest Email:** _____

Are you a full-time student at Mountwest? *Please circle.* **YES** **NO**

Current Major: _____ **GPA:** _____

Total hours completed (*including this semester and excluding developmental courses*): _____

Military Service Information

Branch of Service: _____ **Rank:** _____

Term of Service: _____

Name of School: _____

Recommendations

Please list a Mountwest instructor who you have had in a class in your current major and a member of the American Legion or Veterans of Foreign Wars who can recommend you as a possible scholarship candidate. Applicants must have a letter of recommendation from each person listed below. The letters should be included in your final application package and must be in sealed envelopes.

Mountwest Faculty in Major (*please print clearly*)

Signature of Mountwest Faculty in Major

Date

Service Organization Recommendation (*please print clearly*)

Signature of Service Organization Member

Date