

Scholarships
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National President
Carla Martinez's theme
"Banding Together For Our Veterans"

Department President
Mike McCandless's theme
"Teamwork Makes the Dream Work"

Theme for 2024-2025 Voice of Democracy "Is America Today Our Forefathers' Vision"?
Theme for 2024-2025 Patriot's Pen "My Voice in America's Democracy"?
It's not too early to get started on these contests, so I'm including the forms.

For those who didn't submit your quiz from last month you have another chance. If you did submit you get two chances at winning a small prize. You may email, mail or bring to Department Convention June 7-9, 2024.

Scholarships quiz please circle all correct answers

Patriot's Pen contest what are the requirements?

- a. Entry due November 1 to VFW Post.
- b. Entries are judged on knowledge, theme development and clarity
- c. For students in grades 6-8
- d. Students entry must be typed and 300-400 words
- e. Auxiliaries may assist the VFW with this program

Voice of Democracy contest what are the requirements?

- a. Students type their essay
- b. Record their essay on a flashdrive or electronic device
- c. Entry due by November 1 to VFW Post
- d. Auxiliaries may assist the VFW with this program
- e. All of the above

Continuing Education Scholarship what are the requirements?

- a. Is open to everyone
- b. Application must be received at National Headquarters by February 15.
- c. Must have been a member for at least one year
- d. Have a financial need
- e. Applicant provides an essay of 300 words or less on how this scholarship would help them attain their goal.

Young American Creative Patriotic Art contest what are the requirements?

- a. Can be on paper or canvas
- b. Can be 5"x7"
- c. Art is due to Auxiliary by March 31
- d. Digital art and photography are allowed

Three-Dimensional Art contest what are the requirements?

- a. Pottery, sculpture, fabric, wood, metalwork, paper may be used
- b. Weigh more than 5 pounds
- c. Art is due to Auxiliary by March 31
- d. Digital art, photography, three dimensional laser-printed art are not accepted