

FLORIDA STATE SCHOLARSHIP PACKET



FLORIDA STATE AERIE FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PACKAGE



Dear Applicant:

Please read the application carefully, and follow the directions as set out in the application and checklist. Should the application miss requested information, your application will not be considered.

The Secretary of the Eagles Aerier/Auxiliary that your father, mother, grandfather, grandmother, or legal guardian is a member of, or that you are a member of, must certify the application to ensure that all eligibility requirements are met.

The application must be postmarked by May 15th of the year. Thus, allowing time for screening and preparation for the selection process to be presented at the Florida State Convention. Should you be selected, the Aerie/Auxiliary will receive the check for disbursement to the college/university/trade school noted in the application. No check will be made out to the applicant.

The amount of each scholarship awarded is determined by the amount of funds raised during the year and the top accumulated point value applicants. You may still be eligible if the previous award was given.

The Florida State Scholarship Committee wishes you the best of luck.

Send complete Applications via email:

floridastatescholarship@gmail.com

Or

**FL ST. Scholarship
Sandra Wohlers and Charla Vandenberg
8460 Cranes Roost Dr.
New Port Richey, FL 34654**

AERIE OR AUXILIARY SECRETARY FLORIDA STATE SCHOLARSHIP FORM

The Aerie or Auxiliary Secretary must complete this document completely, or the application will be invalid.

I Certify: (name of scholarship applicant) _____ is the

Please select the correct relationship

☐ Son ☐ Daughter ☐ Stepson ☐ Stepdaughter ☐ Grandson ☐ Granddaughter

☐ Ward of a legal guardian

I certify (name of member of FOE) _____ is a member in good standing of the Fraternal Order of Eagles; or is a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles deceased member since _____; or is a member in good standing of an Aerie or Auxiliary of the Fraternal Order of Eagles chartered in the State of Florida. I certify the above applicant is related to the Member as:

☐ father ☐ mother ☐ grandfather ☐ grandmother ☐ legal guardian.

The Secretary completing the form is: ☐ Aerie ☐ Auxiliary

AERIE/AUXILIARY SECRETARY PRINT NAME AERIE/AUXILIARY
SECRETARY SIGNATURE

AERIE/AUXILIARY NAME & NUMBER

CITY, STATE & ZIP CODE

FLORIDA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

This form must be completed by the applicant in full or the application will be invalid.
Information on this form will assist the Aerie/Auxiliary in completing their portion of the application packet.

Please Print

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____

U.S. CITIZEN: ☐ YES ☐ NO

NAME OF HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDED AND YEAR OF GRADUATION:

FIRST TIME FLORIDA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT: ☐ YES ☐ NO

If no, please provide the year and amount of previous scholarship.

NAME OF COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY OR TRADE SCHOOL APPLICANT IS REGISTERED:

MAJOR: _____ SEMESTERS ATTENDED: _____

ARE YOU A MEMBER OF THE FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES: ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please provide Aerie number, city and state and GIA number:

IS YOUR FATHER/MOTHER, GRANDFATHER/GRANDMOTHER OR LEGAL
GUARDIAN A MEMBER OF THE FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES? ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please print and provide the following information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

GIA number: _____

ESSAY DIRECTIONS

500 WORD ESSAY

The essay must be five hundred or more words, not 497. Name, title, and signature are NOT counted towards the total word count.

- A. First-time applicants: State why you chose the path you are taking and how you plan to achieve your goal. Why did you choose the college/university/trade school, and how will the entity help you achieve your goal?
- B. Discuss what you have learned; what was the hardest course, and how did you navigate the complexity of the course? What was your favorite course, and how will the knowledge you learned help you advance toward your goal? What was your favorite part of the college/university/trade school experience?

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Total of twenty-five points accumulated

	5-4	4-3	2-1	
Spelling	Less than 3 errors	Less than 5 errors	Greater than five errors	5
Grammar	Less than 3 errors	Less than 5 errors	Greater than five errors	4
Clarity	Strong development. Originality and freshness of expression and ideas	Needs explanation or additional development. Less originality and freshness of expression and ideas	Needs adequate support or key details are omitted. Generic and unoriginal.	5
Word count	500	Less than five hundred	Less than 450	1
Content	Essay addresses the correct application. Content development is strong and meets the essay expectations.	Essay addresses the correct application. Needs more content development and/or does not address the essay expectations.	Incorrect Essay. Does not address the requested needs or lacks essay quality.	3.5
Total				18.5

FLORIDA STATE SCHOLARSHIP CHECKLIST

Submit all required materials correctly and completely.

☐ A letter of recommendation from a teacher on the school's letterhead. For first-time applicants, a high school teacher's letter will suffice. For Trade workers or those who have not attended school in some time, a letter of recommendation from an employer on company letterhead. The letter of recommendation must clearly state the teacher's or employer's name and number.

☐ Completed AERIE OR AUXILIARY SECRETARY FLORIDA STATE SCHOLARSHIP FORM, ensuring digital or embossed seal is visible and all fields completed.

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☐ Essay, ensure five hundred words are met. Use spell check and grammar check to ensure you receive the most possible points. Ensure you use the correct essay topic.

☐ Admission letter to the accredited College/University/Trade School. Clearly able to see the applicant's name and the name of the College/University/Trade School.

If questions are not completed or are incomplete, the application is incomplete and will not be considered. The committee receives many applications, and applicants who follow the directions should be given preference.

The amount of each scholarship awarded is determined by the amount of funds raised during the year and the number of eligible applicants. You may still be eligible if the previous award was given for a different major and/or school.

Keep this for your records.