



## **MPVA SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

### **Scholarship Award Process**

1. **Eligibility:**
  - a. Member's Spouse, Children, and Grandchildren are eligible to apply for MPVA Scholarships.
  - b. Sponsors of applicants must have been MPVA members as of January 1st of the Scholarship year requested.
2. **New Application:**
  - a. Applications may be downloaded from this website, requested in writing or requested by phone from (386) 760-1048.
  - b. **Applications must be complete, and will only be accepted August 1st thru September 30th, and must be postmarked no later than September 30th.**
3. **Continuing Application:**
  - a. Applicants that have received a previous MPVA Scholarship need only submit:
    - i. A written request to be considered for a continuation of MPVA Scholarship.
    - ii. A transcript of passing grades for the previous awarded Scholarship semester.
    - iii. An Official class schedule/registration for the requested Scholarship semester.
    - iv. Must be received postmarked no later then September 30th.
4. **Award:**
  - a. Scholarships will be awarded on an annual basis, the monetary amount will be governed by the annual voluntary donations from the MPVA membership.
  - b. MPVA Scholarships will be awarded annually in October. Award checks should be mailed out by the 15th of October.

# MIAMI POLICE VETERANS ASSOCIATION

## Scholarship Award Application Instructions

The following must be submitted, via U.S. Mail to:

**MVPA Scholarship Award**  
**PO Box 291121**  
**Port Orange, FL 32129**

1. **Application Form.** Printed or legibly handwritten by the applicant who is applying for the scholarship unless the applicant is physically incapable of filling out the application.
2. **Biographical Statement.** Printed or legibly handwritten by the applicant. A brief single page statement about yourself, your accomplishments both academically and on a community level. Be sure to include any volunteer activities in which you have participated.
3. **Personal Statement.** Printed or legibly handwritten by applicant. Please tell the MPVA Scholarship Committee what goal(s) you expect to achieve by attending this school/institution.
4. **Proof of Acceptance.** A copy of the Letter of Acceptance from the institution or program to which the scholarship will apply must be submitted.
5. **Transcript of Records.** A transcript of your School Record must be submitted. If you are applying to this school or program for the first time, a transcript of your high-school record will suffice.
6. **Letter from School Official.** An official from the institution you plan to attend must submit to the MPVA Scholarship Committee a letter of endorsement. It should be on school stationary and sent directly to the MPVA Scholarship Committee from the educational institution.

**Items #5 & #6 should be sent by the school, under separate cover, directly to the address at the top of this page.**

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## Scholarship Award Application Form

*(Must be printed or legibly handwritten)*

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone ( \_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Name of MPVA member to whom you are related, your relationship to that MPVA Member, and his/her dates of service \_\_\_\_\_

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Please Tell the Scholarship Committee how being a family member of a Miami Police Department employee influenced your life. \_\_\_\_\_

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Institution you plan to attend \_\_\_\_\_

Location (City & State) \_\_\_\_\_

Date you will begin attending (Month & Year) \_\_\_\_\_

Program or Course of Study \_\_\_\_\_

*I declare that the information reported is true, correct and complete.*

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## MPVA Scholarship Agreement

1. I have read and understand the requirements for awarding of this scholarship.
2. The decision of the Scholarship Committee is final
3. Scholarship funding is to defray the cost of all or part of tuition, books and living expenses associated with my stated educational goal.
4. Continuance of Scholarship Award (re-application) will require proof of passing grades for the previously funded semester and proof of continued enrollment in the institution.

*I have read and clearly understand the above agreement.*

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### MPVA Scholarship Agreement Checklist

- \_\_\_\_\_ Scholarship Award Application Form – *Signed and Dated*
- \_\_\_\_\_ Biographical Statement – *included with Application Form*
- \_\_\_\_\_ Personal Statement of my Educational Goals – *included with Application Form*
- \_\_\_\_\_ Proof of Acceptance into Institution – *included with Application Form*
- \_\_\_\_\_ Transcript of Records (*sent by the school to the Scholarship Committee*)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Letter from School Official (*sent by the school to the Scholarship Committee*)