



**2026 Westfield Post 124 American Legion
Scholarship**

\$500 AWARD

SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS:

1. A high school senior or academy senior accepted by a college, university, or accredited post-secondary school.
2. Proof of acceptance or enrollment must accompany application.
3. Enrolled in college and scheduled to enter sophomore, junior or senior year.
4. Candidate will request secondary school, college or university to provide "Official Transcript" of most recently completed educational year and submit to Post 124 Scholarship Committee (address on reverse).
5. All candidates will be required to submit a 150 word or less essay describing your plans as they relate to your education and career (typed and double-spaced).

***Notes:**

1. Post 124 may grant up to three \$ 500.00 scholarships to be used towards the expenses of education of the spouse, child/grandchild of a **current** member in good standing or a deceased former member of American Legion Post 124 within the Department of Massachusetts.
2. **College students:** Candidate must not be utilizing GI Bill Educational Benefits, Post 9/11 GI Bill either earned or transferred from parent or using Tuition Assistance

STUDENT:

PERMANENT ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: _____ E-Mail Address: _____

HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDED: _____

DATE OF GRADUATION: _____

COLLEGE OR SCHOOL TO WHICH YOU HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED or ATTENDING:

DEGREE OR MAJOR FIELD: _____

STUDENT WILL LIVE ON CAMPUS LIVE OFF CAMPUS COMMUTE

ESTIMATED EXPENSES FOR YEAR: _____

TUITION: _____ ROOM/BOARD: _____

List any special circumstances you may consider pertinent for this award: _____

(OVER)

List all school activities in which you have participated during the last four years (e.g. student government, music, sports, etc.).

School Activities	Years	Special Awards

List all community activities in which you have participated during the past four years (e.g., Red Cross, church work, volunteer work, etc.) (Estimated hours per activity example: Red Cross 2wks x 2 hrs)

HOBBIES: _____

CANDIDATE'S SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

MEMBERS NAME _____

AMERICAN LEGION MEMBERSHIP # _____

MEMBER'S SIGNATURE _____ DATE: _____

DECEASED: (Yes) (No)

SPOUSE SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

Scholarships will be known as:

- 1. American Legion Post 124 Past Commanders Scholarship**
- 2. American Legion Post 124 Christopher Olsen Members Scholarship**
- 3. American Legion Post 124 Al Drega Memorial Scholarship**

Scholarship application and supporting documentation must be postmarked NLT 1 May 2026.

SEND APPLICATION TO

**AMERICAN LEGION POST 124
ATTN: SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE
38 BROAD STREET
WESTFIELD, MA 01085**