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Sample Facebook Posts for VFW Auxiliary and VFW Scholarship Contests

VFW Auxiliary Continuing Education Scholarship

Sample Post 1:

The VFW Auxiliary is proud to offer a \$2,250 Continuing Education scholarship to members, their spouse, and adult children who wish to further their education by pursuing a college degree or career direction at a vocational/technical school.

- VFW Auxiliary member for at least one full year by the application submission deadline of February 15.
- The spouse and the adult children of a VFW Auxiliary member that has been a member at least one full year by the application submission deadline of February 15.
- Applicants must be 21 years of age or older by the application submission deadline of February 15.
- Previous National Continuing Education Scholarship winners are not eligible.
- Essay must be in applicants' own words, using any generative AI content is prohibited.

To download an application and see the official rules and eligibility please see the Scholarships tab in MALTA Member Resources.

Sample Post 2:

Did you know the VFW Auxiliary offers a \$2,250 Continuing Education Scholarship? It's for VFW Auxiliary members and their immediate family members who wish to further their education by pursuing a college degree or career direction at a vocational/technical school. All applications must be submitted to VFW Auxiliary National Headquarters by February 15.

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VFW Auxiliary Young American Creative Patriotic Art Scholarship Contest

Sample Post 1:

Are you a patriotic student in grades 9-12 with a passion for art? If you answered “yes,” we encourage you to enter the VFW Auxiliary Young American Creative Patriotic Art Contest! You will compete with other student artists from across the nation for a chance to win one of twenty-three National scholarships awarded for two-dimensional art entries; the first-place winner receives a \$15,000 scholarship!

Email jdoe@emailaddress.com

Art entries must be submitted to **John Doe at VFW Auxiliary _____** no later than midnight on March 31.

To download an entry form and see the official rules and eligibility please see the Scholarships & Contests tab at <https://vfwauxiliary.org/>

Sample Post 2:

There were **more than 4,000 entries, 50 finalists and 19 National Award Winners** in the 2025-2026 Young American Creative Patriotic Art Contest; the first-place national winner received a \$15,000 scholarship!

Email **John Doe, VFW Auxiliary _____ Scholarships Chairmen at** jdoe@emailaddress.com to find out how a student in grades 9-12 that you know can enter.

Entries of two-dimensional art must be submitted to **John Doe at VFW Auxiliary _____** no later than midnight on March 31.

To download an entry form and see the official rules and eligibility please see the Scholarships & Contests tab at <https://vfwauxiliary.org/>

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VFW Auxiliary 3-Dimensional Patriotic Art Scholarship Contest

Sample Post 1:

The VFW Auxiliary's newest art contest awards scholarships for patriotic, three-dimensional art entries. At the national level, artists in grades 9-12 compete for awards totaling \$6,500. Entries of three-dimensional art must be submitted to **John Doe at VFW Auxiliary _____no** later than midnight on March 31.

Email **John Doe, VFW Auxiliary _____ Scholarships Chairmen at jdoe@emailaddress.com** to find out how students in can enter.

To download an entry form and see the official rules and eligibility please see the Scholarships & Contests tab at <https://vfwauxiliary.org/>

Sample Post 2

Do you know a student in grades 9-12 with a passion for #art who could use a scholarship to advance their educational goals? The VFW Auxiliary now sponsors a scholarship contest wherein students from across the nation compete for one of five national scholarships awarded for three-dimensional art entries. Entries of three-dimensional art must be submitted to **John Doe at VFW Auxiliary _____no** later than midnight on March 31.

Email **John Doe, VFW Auxiliary _____ Scholarships Chairmen at jdoe@emailaddress.com** to find out how students in can enter.

To download an entry form and see the official rules and eligibility please see the Scholarships & Contests tab at <https://vfwauxiliary.org/>

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VFW Patriot's Pen

Sample Post 1:

Do you know a patriotic student in grades 6-8 who could use \$5,000? Encourage them to enter the VFW's Patriot's Pen essay contest. Each year, more than 800,000 middle/junior high school students from across the country compete for national awards totaling \$55,000, with each first-place state winner receiving a minimum of \$500 at the national level. This year's essay theme is _____.

Entries must be submitted to **John Doe at VFW Post _____** no later than midnight on October 31. Email jdoe@emailaddress.com for more information, or click the Youth and Education tab at <https://vfw.org/> for rules, eligibility requirements and an entry form.

Sample Post 2:

More than 800,000 students in grades 6-8 enter the VFW's Patriot's Pen youth essay contest each year. The first-place winner from each state competes for national awards totaling \$55,000, with each first-place state winner receiving a minimum of \$500 at the national level. The national first-place winner wins \$5,000.

This year's essay theme is _____.

Entries must be submitted to **John Doe at VFW Post _____** no later than midnight on October 31. Email jdoe@emailaddress.com for more information, or click the Youth and Education tab at <https://vfw.org/> for rules, eligibility requirements and an entry form.

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VFW Voice of Democracy

Sample Post 1:

Do you know a patriotic student in grades 9-12 who could use up to \$35,000 for college? Encourage them to enter the VFW Voice of Democracy audio-essay scholarship competition. Each year, nearly 28,000 high school students from across the country enter to win a share of the \$1.6 million in educational scholarships and incentives awarded through this program.

This year's audio-essay theme is _____.

Entries must be submitted to **John Doe at VFW Post _____** no later than midnight on October 31. Email jdoe@emailaddress.com for more information, or click the Youth and Education tab at <https://vfw.org/> for rules, eligibility requirements and an entry form.

Sample Post 2:

Nearly 28,000 students in grades 9-12 enter the VFW Voice of Democracy audio essay scholarship contest every year in hopes of winning a share of \$1.6 million in educational scholarships and incentives awarded through this program. This year's theme is _____.

Entries must be submitted to **John Doe at VFW Post _____** no later than midnight on October 31. Email jdoe@emailaddress.com for more information, or click the Youth and Education tab at <https://vfw.org/>

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