



St. Vrain Valley Schools EDUCATION FOUNDATION

Scholarship Name: American Legion Auxiliary Unit 1985 Scholarship

Award: One (1) award of \$1,000 and Two (2) awards of \$500 each

Background: American Legion Auxiliary Unit 1985 is based in the Carbon Valley area. Their mission is to support veterans, active duty military and promote Americanism. The funds for the scholarships are raised at the St. Patrick's Day Dinner and a car show held in September.

Eligibility Requirements:

- Be a high school senior at Frederick High School or Mead High School
- Be planning to enroll as a full-time student at a **trade/vocational institution, two-year or four-year college/university** located in the United States beginning the fall of 2023.

Application Process:

Step 1: Complete the general scholarship application on the St. Vrain Valley Schools Education Foundation (SVVSEF) website (www.stvrainfoundation.org/scholarships). You will be required to submit the following information:

- **Application Information** to include name, address, phone number, email address, high school, GPA, high school transcript, graduation date and name of college, university or trade school the student will be attending.
- **Financial Need** including the EFC from the FAFSA, the FAFSA SAR report and one – two paragraphs explaining the students financial aid situation or financial need.
- **Volunteer and Community Service Record**
- **High School Honors and Awards**
- **High School Activities**
- **Leadership Positions**
- **Paid Work Experience** (if applicable)
- **Letters of Recommendation** to include one from a teacher, administrator or counselor and one from a community member who is not a family member.

Step 2: Complete the **American Legion Auxiliary Unit 1985 Scholarship** application via SVVSEF scholarship platform on Kaleidoscope.

- **Personal Essay** that is 500 words or less explaining the meaning of Americanism, Active Duty Military or Veterans.
- **Personal Question** – Do you have a relative or friend that is a veteran or is currently active duty military? If yes, please provide their name, share a little bit about this person and what they mean to you.