

2020 Annual Shreveport-Bossier Military Affairs Council Scholarship Application Undergraduate Degree

Application due date: Friday, 8 May 2020

Do you have questions?
Please email maceagle@shreve.net

PURPOSE

The Shreveport-Bossier Military Affairs Council (MAC) Scholarship Fund was established in 2013. **The mission of the scholarship is to provide financial assistance to individuals enrolled for undergraduate study in community colleges, colleges, and universities.** The MAC Scholarship principally targets Active Duty Air Force members stationed at Barksdale AFB, but the program is also open to Air Force Reserve members assigned to Barksdale AFB. Scholarships are awarded annually provided funds are available.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

The Shreveport-Bossier MAC awards scholarships on the basis of a comprehensive process. Scholarship recipients are selected based on the following criteria: Academic Accomplishments, Academic & Professional Goals, Community Service, Demonstrated Leadership Potential, and Financial Need. The Shreveport-Bossier MAC pays \$1,000 scholarship funds directly to the recipient upon proof of enrollment in an accredited community college or university. Scholarships are awarded each year in June. The Shreveport-Bossier MAC scholarships are awarded without regard to race, color, ethnicity, gender or sexual orientation. The number of scholarships awarded is based upon the availability of funds and additional qualifying criteria.

PREREQUISITES

- Applicants must have completed high school successfully with a minimum unweighted GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale.
- Applicants must complete and submit a Scholarship Application by **Friday, 8 May 2020**.
- Scholarship recipients will receive their check upon proof of enrollment in a post-secondary program at an accredited community college or university.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. If any question does not apply to you in this application please put N/A in the space.
2. Type or print **legibly**. Illegible applications will be returned to you.
3. Applications must be mailed by the deadline. Emailed applications will not be accepted.
4. You will be notified by phone, email or mail in late May regarding the status of your application.
5. If you have any questions about the application, please email maceagle@shreve.net.

Application Process

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANTS MUST PROVIDE:

- Completed application form.
- Proof of acceptance at an accredited community college or university for post-secondary studies.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

- Award notification will be given by end of May 2020.
- Award amounts will be distributed in June 2020 at the Barksdale Club. Further details TBD.

Please mail applications to:

**Shreveport-Bossier Military Affairs Council
Attn: Scholarship Program
PO Box 1661
Shreveport, LA 71165**



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(4 page application form—to be filled out by nominee)

A. BIOGRAPHICAL QUESTIONNAIRE

Please **type** or **print** your answers below. If application is illegible it will be returned to you.

1	Last Name: _____	First Name, M.I.: _____
2	Squadron: _____ Rank: _____ Work Telephone Number: () _____ Work Email address (ie: john.doe.17@us.af.mil): _____ Marital Status: S M D W Number of Children (if applicable): _____	
3	Home of Record: Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____	
4	Mailing Address: Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____	
5	Primary Telephone Number: () _____ Email address: _____	

6	High School:	Number of years attended HS:
7	I will be attending the following school in the _____ (semester): _____ (Year) Address/ Phone	
8	What year are you entering? Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior	
9	Area of Study: What do you want to study and why?	
10	High School Grade Point Average (GPA): _____ (On a 4.0 scale)	
11	List the name of any college you have attended and current GPA (On a 4.0 scale):	

B. YOUR ASPIRATIONS

1. In a few sentences, describe your educational goal(s):

2. What are your professional aspirations? How will your academic program and your overall educational plans assist you in achieving your goals?

C. YOUR PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES

1. List any programs, public service and community activities in which you have participated (i.e., clubs, student government, internships, volunteer activities etc.)

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Description/Role</u>	<u>Dates Participated</u>
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2. Recognitions: Please list any awards and recognition received

<u>Award</u>	<u>Organization Presenting Honor</u>	<u>Date</u>
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3. Describe a leadership experience in which you made a difference in the Air Force or in your community.

4. What additional information (not already addressed in the application) do you wish to share with the Shreveport-Bossier Military Affairs Council Scholarship Committee?

STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me to the Shreveport-Bossier Military Affairs Council Scholarship Committee is true and correct.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, according to Shreveport-Bossier scholarship policy, **I must provide evidence of enrollment/registration at the accredited post-secondary institution of my choice** before scholarship funds can be awarded.

Signature of scholarship applicant: _____ Date: _____

Signature of First Sergeant: _____ Date: _____

The deadline for this application to be received by the Shreveport-Bossier Military Affairs Council is Friday, 8 May 2020 at 1630. No exceptions!!