



82D AIRBORNE DIVISION ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM PROCEDURE



ELIGIBILITY:

- a. Any dependent child of a trooper killed in combat while serving with the 82d Airborne Division may apply to the Fund.
- b. Any dependent child of a voting member of the 82d Airborne Division Association, Inc., may apply to the Fund.
- c. Any dependent child of a deceased Life or All American or of the 82d Airborne Division Association, Inc., may apply to the Fund.
- d. Any former active duty 82d Airborne Division trooper, who is an Association member of a veteran chapter, within two years of honorable discharge, having served no more than two enlistments, may apply to the Fund,

CRITERIA:

- a. Financial need and academic excellence constitute primary criteria; other factors may be considered by the Committee.
- b. Grants will be made for the second semester only and will be paid directly to the college or university.
- c. Grants will not exceed \$1,500 each, per year.
- d. Applicant must be enrolled in an accredited university or college {two (2) or four (4) years}, except for US Military Academies.
- e. Applicant must be intent an pursuing a course toward a baccalaureate degree, and must gain at least 12 semester hours per semester toward that degree.
- f. Applicant and supporting documents must be received, by the Educational Fund President not later than 1 November of the academic year, for consideration. No exception is authorized.
- g. Former troopers who have received an Initial Grant may reapply the succeeding year for one additional grant.

As an incentive to encourage academic excellence, and to honor the first Commander of the 82d Airborne Division, the general Matthew B. Ridgway Scholarship (\$1,500) has been established. This beloved d General set the pace and established the criteria for excellence in the Airborne community.

- a. Candidates whose grades warrant will be automatically considered; no separate application need be submitted.
- b. The General Matthew B. Ridgway Scholarship will not necessarily be awarded every year.



**82D AIRBORNE DIVISION ASSOCIATION
EDUCATIONAL, FUND, INC.
FORMER TROOPER SCHOLARSHIP GRANT APPLICATION**



I, The undersigned, do hereby make application for a grant to the 82d Airborne Division Association Educational Fund, Inc. Application is for the academic year beginning_____

CIRCLE APPROPRIATE REQUEST INITIAL APPLICATION RENEWAL APPLICATION

APPLICANT INFORMATION:

Name: _____ SSN: _____
Last , First MI

Home Address: _____ (____) _____
Complete Street Address Apt. Telephone No.

City State ZIP+4

Date of Birth: _____ Place of Birth: _____ Age: _____

Name of College and Address To Which Grant Should Be Mailed:

Course of study Contemplated/Enrolled : _____

Unit(s) Assigned When in 82s Airborne Division: _____

Time In Service: _____ Date of Discharge: _____

Association Card Number (All American or Annual Veteran): _____

Year Issued: _____ How Long An Association Member: _____

If Employed, Occupation: _____

Employer Name and Address: _____

City State ZIP+4

REQUIRED BUDGET DATA AND CHECK LIST OF DOCUMENTS - on page 2

**FORMER TROOPER SCHOLARSHIP GRANT APPLICATION
APPLICANT'S BUDGET**

Give and estimate of your expenses and income for this year. Be exact when figures are know.

| YOUR EXPENSES | | YOUR INCOME | |
|------------------|-----------------|--|-----------------|
| Tuition | \$ _____ | Personal Financial Support (I.e) Savings, Insurance | \$ _____ |
| Room | \$ _____ | | |
| Board | \$ _____ | Amount you expect to earn during school year/summer | \$ _____ |
| Books & Supplies | \$ _____ | | |
| Clothing | \$ _____ | Other Sources | |
| Laundry | \$ _____ | _____ | \$ _____ |
| Transportation | \$ _____ | _____ | \$ _____ |
| Incidentals | \$ _____ | _____ | \$ _____ |
| Other (Specify) | \$ _____ | | |
| _____ | \$ _____ | | |
| _____ | \$ _____ | | |
| TOTAL | \$ _____ | TOTAL | \$ _____ |

Signature of Application: _____ Date: _____

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED WITH FORMER TROOPER APPLICATION:

- _____ a. Proof of admission to university/college (Initial Application only).
- _____ b. Most recent transcript from college or high school.
- _____ c. Personal letter from application.
- _____ d. Photograph, head and shoulders (Passport type minimum size).
- _____ e. Copy of University/College Catalogue (Initial application only).
- _____ f. Notarized Copies of Honorable Discharge and DD Form 214.
- _____ g. Copy of Assn Membership Card (Annual Veteran or All American) NOT ETS Card.
- _____ h. Letters of recommendation from any two: Most recent Battalion Command Sergeant Major, First Sergeant, Platoon Sergeant, Squad Leader (Initial Application).

APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE EDUCATIONAL FUND AT THE BELOW ADDRESS NO-LATER-THAN 5:00 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, NOVEMBER 1ST OF THE YEAR APPLICATION IS SUBMITTED:

82d Abn Div Assn Educational Fund
PO Box 65089
Fayetteville, NC 28306-5089