

# New Mexico Higher Education

## Vietnam Veterans' Scholarship

### Scholarship purpose:

A state scholarship for resident undergraduate and graduate students that provides tuition, fees, and book allowances to Vietnam Veterans certified by the New Mexico Department of Veterans' Services.

### Eligible Applicants Must:

- Student must be a resident of New Mexico;
- Vietnam Veteran as reviewed and certified by the NM Veterans Service Commission;
- Honorably discharged from the armed forces of the United States, who was a resident of New Mexico at original time of entry into the armed forces or who has lived in New Mexico for 10 years or more;
- Been awarded the Vietnam campaign medal for services in the armed forces of this country in Vietnam during the period of August 5, 1964 to the official termination of the Vietnam conflict as designated by executive order of the President of the United States, is eligible for certification.

### **Link for further information:**

<https://hed.nm.gov/financial-aid/scholarships/vietnam-veterans>

# UNM- Gallup Student scholarships

### Scholarship:

These scholarships are not veteran specific but can still prove financial relief. UNM- Gallup scholarships are based off need and merit-based scholarships for students. Scholarships are funded from many different sources and therefore every application would need to different based of the scholarship.

### Eligible Applicants Must:

- Endowment scholarship- This is a scholarship that can be submitted once every semester, one application is submitted, and student may be selected to receive one of the endowment scholarships they have the most eligibility for.
- NM scholarships- Bridge scholarship, lottery scholarship, opportunity scholarship - Student will be selected based on eligibility, no application needed
- Tribal Scholarships- Those who are Native American are able to meet the criteria for Tribal scholarships
- UNM- G scholarships- Eligibility requirements are different based of scholarship
- External scholarships- Offered through external association- based of degree program specifications

### **Link for further information:**

<https://www.gallup.unm.edu/scholarships/index.html>



# UNM- Gallup VA Students Scholarship options

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# Veterans of foreign wars scholarship

## **Scholarship purpose:**

VFW's started the "Sport Clips Help A Hero Scholarship" as a way to say "thank you to those who fought for our freedoms". This scholarship provides service members and veterans with the financial assistance they need to complete their educational goals without incurring excessive student loan debt. It's just another way for us to say

## **Eligible Applicants Must:**

- Be a citizen of the United States.
- Be retired, honorably discharged, active duty, or a member of the National Guard or Reserve.
- Have completed Basic Training and follow-on training (Advanced Individual Training, technical school, etc.).
- Separated with or currently hold a military rank of E-5 or below.
- Demonstrate a need for financial assistance.
- Participate in, be accepted to or currently enrolled in a VA-approved program or school at an accredited post-secondary institution.

## **Link for further information:**

<https://www.vfw.org/assistance/student-veterans-support>

# Enlisted Association of the New Mexico National Guard

## **Scholarship purpose:**

*Two \$1,000 yearly scholarships*

*These scholarships are the traditional scholarships provided by Enlisted Association of the NM National Guard and are supported by our association sponsors, including \$1,000 that is provided by USAA each year.*

*Typically, the association awards three \$1,000 scholarships each year, with the potential to add additional scholarships or award individuals larger scholarships depending on the number of applicants.*

## **Eligible Applicants Must:**

- To be eligible, the applicant or sponsor of the applicant **MUST** be a New Mexico Guardsperson whether active or retired or a dependent of a New Mexico Guardsperson. Applicant or sponsor **MUST** be a paid member of the Enlisted Association.
- Applicants must be entering a College, University, or Vocations School of higher learning within the year in which the award is made.
- Applicants should be no less than a (C) average student.
- It is the particular desire of the Enlisted Association that this program focus toward the average student rather than the gifted exceptional student and that the course of study be professional, technical, or vocational in nature.

## **Link for further information:**

<https://eanmng.org/eanmng-state-scholarship-application/#>

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## **Wartime Veterans' Scholarship**

## **Scholarship purpose:**

A state scholarship for resident undergraduate and graduate students that provides tuition, fees, and book allowances to Military War Veterans certified by the New Mexico Department of Veterans' Services.

## **Eligible Applicants Must:**

- Student must be a resident of New Mexico;
- A military war veteran must submit a scholarship application to the New Mexico Department of Veterans' Services (NMDVS);
- Applicants must provide a certified copy of their DD Form 214, Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty, showing a combat campaign or service medal and an honorable discharge;
- Applications will be approved on a first come, first served basis;
- Scholarship applies to tuition costs, required student fees and books directly associated with undergraduate, master's or doctoral degree work;
- The amount of tuition to be covered by the scholarship shall not exceed the highest full time undergraduate tuition charged at an educational institution.

## **Link for further information:**

<https://hed.nm.gov/financial-aid/scholarships/vietnam-veterans>