



Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States of America
A Fraternal Organization



**Florida State Elks Association
JROTC Scholarship
GENERAL INFORMATION**

Eligibility:

To be eligible to apply for a scholarship award from the Florida Elks JROTC Scholarship Fund, you must:

1. Must be a high school senior with a 3.0 GPA or higher.
2. Be a resident of the state of Florida.
3. Be a United States citizen.

Students Targeted:

The Florida Elks JROTC Scholarship is open to JROTC Cadets who have maintained an un-weighted GPA of 3.0 or higher. We are looking for students who have demonstrated leadership through participation in school activities, community service, and citizenship.

Competition:

Boys and girls will compete for identical awards.

Awards and Amounts:

This scholarship is available to one (1) Cadet in each of our 14 Districts. The District Leader will choose the best candidate to represent the District and will turn in their choice to the Committee at the Quarterly Meeting in February. The Committee will choose the TOP Cadet from ALL entries, and a \$5,000 scholarship will be awarded to the recipient. The other Cadets will receive a \$3,000 scholarship.

The Scholarship:

The scholarship is presented with the understanding that the recipient will enroll in a 4-year undergraduate program of study at an accredited American college or university, a junior college, an accredited vocational or technical training program, or a First Responders academy. Upon receipt of verification of enrollment and proof of class attendance from the proper school officials, the FSEA will issue a check in the amount of the award which will be forwarded to the college, university, or community college to establish a credit in the name of the recipient.

Restrictions on Use of Scholarship:

There is no restriction for the use of the scholarship. It may be utilized for tuition, books, lab fees, tutoring, room & board, transportation, food, uniforms, etc.

Unacceptable Conduct:

All scholarship recipients are expected to be good citizens of their community. These principles of law and order and morality are supported by the Benevolent and Protective Order of the Elks. Therefore, unexpended credit is subject to withdrawal by the FSEA if the conduct of the student is contrary to these principles.

Applications Become Property of the FSEA:

After completing this application, please save a copy for your records. All applications become the property of the Florida State Elks Association.



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2026 Academic Year Application
Florida Elks JROTC Scholarship

A Scholarship Program of the Florida State Elks Association

Applicant's Full Name _____

Applicant's Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Place of Birth: _____

High Schools Attended: (9th through 12th grades)

Name of School: _____ From/To: ____/____

Name of School: _____ From/To: ____/____

Name of School: _____ From/To: ____/____

Date you will graduate: ____/____/____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Local Elks Lodge Name: _____ Lodge Number: _____

Are you related to a Florida Elk? ____Yes ____No

If Yes, their Full Name: _____

Their Relation to You: _____

The Name & Number of the Lodge they are a Member of: _____

Their Member No. (from their Membership Card) _____



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Scholarship Requirements:

- **Must be a high school senior with a 3.0 GPA or higher.** (Please provide proof of GPA with most recent data available – copy of report card).
- **Must be referred by their commanding instructor.** (Please provide a letter of recommendation from your JROTC instructors(s)).
- **Must work well with those they are in command of.** (Please provide support in letter of recommendation).
- **Must have a great disposition and follow instruction from authority.** (Please provide support in letter of recommendation).
- **Cadet must enroll in an institution of higher education to be eligible to receive the scholarship.** (Please provide support/proof of enrollment in an institution of higher learning).
- **Must be a dedicated volunteer at their local Elks Lodge and/or at Elks functions.**

– Local Elks Lodge Name: _____ Lodge Number: _____

– Volunteer Activities: List volunteer activities you participated in at an Elks lodge and/or at an Elks function.

Elks Lodge/Function	Activity	Date	Approx. Hrs.

- **Must be a dedicated volunteer and supporter of community activities.** (Please provide a brief list of community activities/organizations you have volunteered for or supported – VFW/Habitat for Humanity etc.).

Organization	Years Involved	Leadership Role/Responsibilities	Approx. Hrs./Week



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- **Must have proven leadership skills.** (Please provide a brief list of leadership skills – Company Commander-Battalion Commander/Staff-Drill/Raiders Team Commander-Other Organizations you lead – student govt/clubs/sports teams etc.)

Honors and Awards

Include all scholastic, extracurricular, and civic honors and awards earned during high school and describe each. Please include only significant honors and awards.

Honor/Award

Description

Year Awarded
