Children of Veterans Tuition Grant Fact Sheet
Academic Year 2017-18

Description
The Children of Veterans Tuition Grant Act is designed to provide undergraduate tuition assistance to certain children older than 16 and less than 26 years of age who have been Michigan residents for the 12 months prior to application. To be eligible a student must be the natural or adopted child of a Michigan veteran. Stepchildren or grandchildren of the veteran are not eligible. The veteran must have been a legal resident of Michigan immediately before entering military service and did not later reside outside of Michigan for more than two years; or the veteran must have established legal residency in Michigan after entering military service.

Application
The application can be downloaded from the Student Scholarships and Grants (SSG) Web site at www.michigan.gov/mistudentaid or a student can request an application be mailed by calling SSG toll free at 888-447-2687. The student is responsible for notifying SSG of a change of address or college choice.

Program Limits
Students may receive scholarship assistance for up to four academic years and a total of up to $11,200. Awards are for an academic year with the amount determined by the student’s enrollment status. Full-time students can receive up to a maximum of $2,800 per academic year, three-quarter time students up to $2,100, and half-time students up to $1,400 or an amount equal to all of the student’s eligible tuition in that academic year, whichever is less. Future awards are subject to available and approved funding.

Eligibility

Veteran must:
• Have been killed in action or died from another cause while serving in a war or war condition in which the United States of America was or is participating; or,
• Have died or become totally and permanently disabled as a result of a service-connected illness or injury as determined by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs; or,
• Have been totally and permanently disabled as a result of a service-connected illness or injury prior to death and has now died; or,
• Be listed as MIA (missing in action) in a foreign country as determined by the U.S. government.

Student must:
• Enroll at least half-time at an approved Michigan community college, public university or independent, degree-granting college or university (see page 2).
• Be a Michigan resident for one year prior to program application.
• Be a U.S. citizen, permanent resident, or approved refugee.
• Not have been convicted of a felony involving an assault, physical injury, or death.
• For renewal, maintain a minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.25.
• For renewal, must meet institution’s Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) policy.
• Must not be in default on Federal/State student loan.

For More Information
Visit www.michigan.gov/mistudentaid. Contact the Children of Veterans Tuition Grant Program, Student Scholarships and Grants, toll free at 888-447-2687, e-mail mistudentaid@michigan.gov, or fax 517-241-5835.
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Participating Institutions

Adrian College
Albion College
Alma College
Alpena Community College
Andrews University
Aquinas College
Baker College
Bay de Noc Community College
Bay Mills Community College
Calvin College
Central Michigan University
Clarey University
College for Creative Studies
Compass College of Cinematic Arts
Concordia University
Cornerstone University
Davenport University
Delta College
Eastern Michigan University
Ferris State University
Finlandia University
Glen Oaks Community College
Gogebic Community College
Grace Bible College
Grand Rapids Community College
Grand Valley State University
Great Lakes Christian College
Henry Ford College
Hope College
Jackson College
Kalamazoo College
Kalamazoo Valley Community College
Kellogg Community College
Kettering University
Kirtland Community College
Kuyper College
Lake Michigan College
Lake Superior State University
Lansing Community College
Lawrence Technological University
Macomb Community College
Madonna University
Marygrove College
Michigan State University
Michigan Technological University
Mid Michigan Community College
Monroe County Community College
Montcalm Community College
Mott Community College
Muskegon Community College
North Central Michigan College
Northern Michigan University
Northwestern Michigan College
Northwood University
Oakland Community College
Oakland University
Olivet College
Rochester College
Sacred Heart Major Seminary
Saginaw Valley State University
Saint Clair County Community College
Schoolcraft College
Siena Heights University
Southwestern Michigan College
Spring Arbor University
University of Detroit Mercy
University of Michigan - Ann Arbor
University of Michigan - Dearborn
University of Michigan - Flint
Walsh College
Washtenaw Community College
Wayne County Community College
Wayne State University
West Shore Community College
Western Michigan University