



Frank M Friedeck VFW Post 7232 in Eau Claire, Wisconsin has developed two high school scholarships for seniors with an average GPA who attend any school within the border communities of Eau Claire. To qualify for this scholarship, a senior must interview a combat veteran and write an essay based on that interview of the veteran's experience and the student's understanding of the conflict they were involved with. The student should also consider what patriotism means and how that plays out in their community and country.

Preference will be given to graduating seniors related to VFW Post 7232 members first, followed by any senior who meets the criteria of interviewing a combat veteran, composing their essay following all elements of correct structure, grammar, and spelling, as well as submitting a teacher or mentor recommendation along with their application. Please note, if a student does not know of any combat veterans, there are plenty of VFW Post 7232 members who would be willing to be interviewed for this process.

Graduating seniors may attend any accredited school, in or out of state, for any field of study; this includes those who wish to attend a trade school as well. We would hope the student would explain how their interview has affected them and their sense of what Americanism and Patriotism means to them as they become adults and the future of their communities and country.

For 2024 submissions must be received by April 1st 2024 for consideration of the current calendar year. Only school counselors of winning applicants will be notified, and arrangements made to present the winners with their awards at their school's Scholarship Award Program. Scholarship will be paid once a full semester has been completed with proof of transcript required from their college or trade school. Transcripts should be submitted to our scholarship committee chair. He may be contacted via our address below or his phone number 715-495-5783, with any questions, request a Post member for interview, or submission or application, essay, interviewed veteran and teacher/mentor recommendation form.

Thank you for your interest and Good Luck!

Membership of VFW Post 7232

Frank M Freideck VFW Post 7232
ATTN: Scholarship Committee
2900 W Folsom St.
Eau Claire, WI 54703



Teacher/Mentor Evaluation Form

This Teacher/Mentor evaluation form should be completed and returned separately from the student's scholarship application. If you have been asked for a recommendation and do not feel capable of fulfilling this request, please inform the student so they may reach out to someone else. We appreciate a candid assessment of the applicant and your comments. Please feel free to comment on the back of this page or by attaching a separate piece of paper, and submit to our post address below, or please contact James Nugent at 715-495-5783.

Applicant's Name _____

How long have you known this applicant? _____

In what capacity have you interacted with this applicant? _____

Please rate the applicant's qualifications:

Academic Achievement _____

(Please note our scholarship is for those with an average GPA, who will be able to achieve success at an institution of higher learning or trade school.)

Extra-Curricular Activities _____

Career Potential _____

Applicant's Strengths _____

Comments _____

Signature _____ Title _____

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Veteran Information Form

I, _____ served in the _____
(Branch of Service, Guard, Reserve)

From _____ to _____

DD214 copy attached _____

Date of student interview _____

Signature _____

(I hereby authorize the release of the above information for identification purposes only.)

I am a member of Frank M Freideck VFW Post 7232 in Eau Claire, WI _____

If DD214 is NOT attached, please have your CVSO verify your above stated service.

Signature _____

County _____

Date _____

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