



Thank you for your interest in Blue Friday of New York and the AED | Patrol PC Fallen Officer Memorial Scholarship. Blue Friday was established to help to assist the families of law enforcement officers who are killed or seriously injured in the line of duty, as well as the families of officers who have died outside the line of duty if needed and honor all those who protect and serve. This scholarship was created in an effort to assist law enforcement families.

The AED | Patrol PC Fallen Officer Memorial Scholarship Information

Blue Friday of New York will issue a college scholarship of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000), once per year, to one individual. This money will be paid directly to the college of the selected applicant. This information will be confirmed with the selected applicant prior to being awarded. The recipient will be selected from the pool of applicants primarily based on the accuracy and quality of an essay (1,000 words maximum), the topic of which will be determined each year. However, the committee may consider all submitted information.

To be eligible, the applicant **must**:

- Not have been the recipient of the AED | Patrol PC Fallen Officer Memorial Scholarship in the past.
- Be an immediate family member (spouse, child, grandchild, brother, sister, niece, nephew) of a Fallen Law Enforcement Officer from an agency located within the Blue Friday of New York catchment area (New York State, North of the Tappan Zee Bridge to the Canadian Border, and East of Interstate 81 to the borders of Massachusetts, Connecticut, and Vermont.)
- Name of deceased, agency of deceased, end of watch (EOW) and proof of the relationship to the deceased must be submitted with the application.
- Have a minimum overall Grade Point Average (GPA) of C+/75 with a minimum GPA of C/70 for all marking periods within the year prior. A transcript must be submitted with the application.
- Be registered or accepted at an accredited college or university. Proof must be submitted upon selection.
- Academic or professional recommendation.
- Submit a 1,000 word maximum essay on the topic selected by Blue Friday of New York. As the scholarship will be competitive, please remember to check your essay for editorial oversights.

All forms and documents must be submitted by mail to the below address and postmarked by June 1, 2023:

Blue Friday of New York, Inc.

PO Box 38235

Albany, NY 12203

www.bluefridayny.org



2022 Blue Friday of New York Scholarship Topic:

Tell us about a favorite historical figure of yours, why you admire them, and how aspects of this figure are especially relevant today.

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Attachments: This application must be submitted with the following attachments:

- 1) Above mentioned eligibility documents
- 2) Essay (1,000 words maximum) meeting the outlined specifications
- 3) High school transcript
- 4) Proof of college acceptance or enrollment
- 5) Academic *or* professional recommendation

Student Info:

Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone # _____ Alternate/Cell # _____

School(s) to Attend _____ Intended Major _____

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Deceased Info:

Name _____ Relationship _____

Agency Name _____ City/Town & Contact # _____

End of Watch (EOW) _____

I attest that all information included in and with this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and all included work is my own.

Applicant signature _____ Date _____