



UNIT 298 HIGHER EDUCATION AWARD

Merit Award Amount \$1000
Application Deadline: May 4, 2018

The Unit 298 Higher Education Merit Award is to be awarded to any senior or graduate of Marion High School, Linn-Mar High School or Home School Program who is interested in pursuing his or her education beyond the high school level and may include college, trade, technical or professional training in such areas as nursing, electronics, auto mechanics, or other occupations requiring post-secondary education. Two \$1,000 awards are available.

Procedures

1. All application forms and support information must be submitted, all at one time, to the Unit 298 Education Committee in care of the Marion High School Student Services Office, 675 S. 15th St, Marion, Iowa 52302.
2. Applicants must apply and be admitted to a post-secondary educational program.
3. Submit three (3) letters of recommendations. Letters should discuss character and citizenship of applicant.
4. Applicants must submit a high school transcript (updated end of Term 2) or college transcript to the Selection Committee.
5. The recipient must be enrolled as a full-time post-secondary student.
6. This scholarship is not automatically renewable but the student can apply for this award as long as the student is currently enrolled in a post-secondary program. Application must be done through the normal procedures as stated above.

DEADLINE: 3:00 PM on Friday, May 4, 2018
Partial applications will not be accepted.



**Unit 298 Higher Education Award
American Legion Auxiliary**

Name _____ Birthdate _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____

Parent/Guardian Address _____

Number of Brothers/Sisters _____ Younger _____ Older

Number of brothers/sisters in college next year _____

Occupation/Employment of Parent/Guardian
Father/Stepfather/Guardian _____

Mother/Stepmother/Guardian _____

High School Applicants Class Rank _____ in class of _____
Grade Point Average _____

College(s) you have applied to _____

Field of Study _____

COLLEGE APPLICANTS Grade Point Average _____

College you are attending _____

Field of study _____

List participation in and honors received in extra-curricular activities

List participation in volunteer programs

Do you have any physical or health disabilities? _____

If so, please explain _____

Please list THREE (3) REFERENCES and have them provide a letter of recommendation to the committee. (At least one must not be in the field of education)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Please provide a brief statement as to why you would like to go on to school and how this scholarship may help you to do so.

The above questions have been answered to the best of my ability and I certify them as being correct.

Signature of Applicant

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

Date