

# Braxton Perkins Legion Post 25 Scholarship Application

These American Legion Post 25 scholarships are available for annual award to all senior year high school and home-schooled students that are American Legion Post 25 family members or attend one of the following high schools: Hampton Roads Academy, Heritage, Menchville, Peninsula Catholic, and Warwick. See General Instructions below for additional information about completing this application. You can also find information about American Legion state and national sponsored scholarships at [www.valegion25.org](http://www.valegion25.org).

**PLEASE NOTE: This application form must be submitted for the scholarships that you desire consideration. You may apply for more than one scholarship. Place a check in the box next to the scholarship(s) you desire consideration:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Braxton Perkins Nursing Scholarship</b><br>\$2,000.00                              | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Braxton Perkins Jr. ROTC Scholarship</b><br>\$750.00 per scholarship, 2 available |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Braxton Perkins Scholastic Scholarship</b><br>\$2,000.00                           | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>The Society of 40 &amp; 8 Nursing Scholarship</b><br>\$600.00 per scholarship     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Braxton Perkins General Scholarship</b><br>\$1,500.00 per scholarship, 3 available |   |

## General Instructions to Applicant

1. Review the application thoroughly and complete all requested information.
2. Review the scholarship-specific requirements at:  
[www.valegion25.org/files/Scholarship-Specific\\_Requirements.pdf](http://www.valegion25.org/files/Scholarship-Specific_Requirements.pdf)
3. Return a typed or neatly printed application no later than May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2025, to:  
Scholarship Committee  
Braxton Perkins American Legion Post 25  
P.O. Box 5085  
7609 Marshall Avenue  
Newport News, VA 23605
4. As appropriate, check with your guidance counselor for any assistance you may need completing the application.
5. This application is the first impression you will make for a scholarship award consideration.
6. **In addition to your application, a certified grade transcript and the completion of a Scholarship Essay (your story) is required.** See the guidelines located at [http://www.valegion25.org/files/American\\_Legion\\_Post\\_25\\_Scholarship\\_Essay\\_Guidelines.pdf](http://www.valegion25.org/files/American_Legion_Post_25_Scholarship_Essay_Guidelines.pdf).
7. **Only one application, one grade transcript, and one essay is required. Your essay and a certified grade transcript are due with the application submission.**
8. **Incomplete applications, applications that are not properly signed with all required signatures, or applications that do not meet eligibility criteria will not be considered for award.**

## 1. Personal Information

Full name of applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact cell phone number \_\_\_\_\_  
Email address \_\_\_\_\_  
Home address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

## 2. Family Information

Is your parent or legal guardian a member of the American Legion Family (Legion, Sons of the Legion, or Auxiliary)? \_\_\_\_\_  
(yes or no)

Mother's name \_\_\_\_\_  
Occupation \_\_\_\_\_  
Street address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_  
State and Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Father's name \_\_\_\_\_  
Occupation \_\_\_\_\_  
Street address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_  
State and Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

## 3. Education

**a. Name all secondary and/or technical schools you have attended in the last five years. List the school you are presently attending first.**

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**b. How many years do you plan to attend college and what course of study would you like to pursue?**

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**c. What future business or educational career will you likely pursue after finishing college?**

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**d. What college(s) would you most like to attend? Please explain your reason.**

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**e. What colleges have you applied to for admission? Please indicate acceptance status.**

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**4. Academic, athletic, service, and extra activities. Use additional pages or attach a resume for sections 4a, 4b, and 4c.**

a. List academic awards, achievements, and dates.

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b. List participation in athletic activities.

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c. List participation in community service and extra-curricular activities.

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**5. Transcript History**

**This section is to be completed by your principal or guidance counselor. Attach a certified grade transcript of the student's high school record to this sheet. Note: If the student is applying for more than one scholarship, only one certified grade transcript is required.**

If applicable, ranking in senior class: \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ on a \_\_\_\_\_ scale; Weighted GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ on a \_\_\_\_\_ scale

Best Combined SAT Score: Verbal \_\_\_\_\_ Math \_\_\_\_\_ Writing \_\_\_\_\_

Best ACT Score: Date \_\_\_\_\_ Score \_\_\_\_\_

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**Printed name of principal or guidance counselor**

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**Signature of principal or guidance counselor**

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**Date**

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**I affirm that the above information is accurate to the best of my knowledge.**

**Signature of Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Date**