



Michigan Department VFW Auxiliary Scholarships – August/September 2025

www.vfwauxmi.org

Facebook Page: Scholarships-Michigan

National Theme: *From Sea to Shining Sea Honoring Veterans Who Keep Us Free*

Department Theme: *We Don't Know Them All, But We Owe Them All*

Welcome to the 2nd quarter. I hope everyone is well.

I can't believe I am going to say Summer is almost over. It seems like it just began. Summer break is almost over for the kids. If you haven't given the schools the 25-26 theme, now is a great time to contact the schools. The Department VFW Auxiliary website has not been updated with all the necessary forms yet. You can locate everything on www.vfwmi.org under Programs. Click on Voice of Democracy or Patriot's Pen. Everything a chairman would need is available there. The themes are the same for both Voice of Democracy and Patriot's Pen contests.

"How Are You Showing Patriotism and Support for Our Country?"

You can pass out information at your events or have the brochures laying around your clubroom. Every VFW Post and Auxiliary should be able to submit at least one entry to their District. I would love to hear about other creative ideas Auxiliaries are spreading the word about the Voice of Democracy and Patriot's Pen contests. Send in a quarterly report or post Scholarships-Michigan Facebook page.

National Award

Most creative and/or unique activity and/or event educating their community about the scholarship opportunities in the VFW and the VFW Auxiliary. • Citation and \$25 to one VFW Auxiliary in each of the 10 Program Divisions that hosts the most creative and/or unique activity and/or event educating their community about the scholarship opportunities in the VFW and the VFW Auxiliary.

Did you know National President Lois Callahan's special project is the Continuing Education Scholarship? Donations can be made through Malta under Make a Gift. Donations can also be made by sending a check to National Headquarters earmarked National President's 2025-2026 Special Project. Let's support this worthwhile cause.

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