



## Camp Lejeune Officers' Spouses' Club

# 2020

## Scholarship Application for Graduating Seniors

The Camp Lejeune Officers' Spouses' Club awards scholarships to qualified seniors (graduating from high school, in the spring of 2020), based on academic excellence, merit and service. Since part of the OSC's mission is to use our time, talents and energy to enhance the Camp Lejeune community, we award students who are doing the same for their communities.

### Eligibility

The applicant's sponsor (of ANY military rank or service) must meet one of the criteria below:

1. Active duty military personnel assigned to MCB Camp Lejeune, a tenant unit aboard Camp Lejeune, Camp Johnson, Camp Geiger, or MCAS New River.
2. Deceased military personnel whose last active duty station was one of the above locations.

### Qualifications

The applicant must:

- Be applying for full-time admission to an accredited two or four year college/university.
- Have an unweighted GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- Properly complete the application and include all supporting documents. Incomplete, incorrectly completed, or late applications will not be considered.

Scholarship checks will be made payable to the college/university in the student's name and must be used for tuition, books, or housing. If the applicant is receiving scholarships or other financial aid for college expenses, they may still apply for an OSC Scholarship if they have additional costs (housing, books, etc.) that must be directly paid to the college/university/academy. Applicants who receive other scholarships/financial aid equal to or greater than their first year's tuition, housing and books will forfeit their OSC Scholarship and an alternate recipient will then be awarded.

**All applications must be postmarked by March 31, 2020.**

### No Exceptions

Please return completed forms to:

**Camp Lejeune OSC**

**Attn: Scholarship Committee**

**PO Box 8607**

**Camp Lejeune, NC 28547**



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### Application Checklist:

- Completed Applicant, Parent Acknowledgement and Photo Release sections (page 3)
- Completed Applicant, Sponsor, and Educational Data sections (page 4)
- Copy of the sponsor's most current official orders or web orders
- Copy of high school transcript
- Completed Education Information (pages 5-6)
- Completed Extracurricular Sections (pages 6-8)
- Typed essay that does NOT include your name anywhere on the essay page
- Final application packet is submitted in the order of this checklist. Each page is printed on one single side and is NOT stapled.

### Essay Instructions

The applicant must submit one essay. The essay must be typed, double-spaced, in 12-pt Times New Roman font with 1 inch margins. The essay should be a minimum of 350 words, and not exceed 500 words. **Essays that do not follow the instructions or are plagiarized will not be accepted.** Essays will be scored based on content, authenticity, cohesion, organization, and mechanics. **DO NOT INCLUDE YOUR NAME ANYWHERE IN YOUR ESSAYS.**

### Essay Question:

**Pick 1 essay topic from below and write your 350-500 word essay following the guidelines from above.**

- a. Let's go back in time when learning was pure joy. Tell us about your favorite childhood book, and why.
- b. You are required to spend the next year in either the past or future. What year would you travel to, and why?



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**Applicant Acknowledgement**

I attest that I have read and understood the Application Checklist and Essay Instructions. I also attest that the information in this application is true, accurate, and *written in my own words*.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Parent Acknowledgement**

*(All applications must include a parent's/guardian's signature regardless of the student's age.)*

I understand that my son/daughter, \_\_\_\_\_,  
is applying for a Camp Lejeune Officers' Spouses' Club Scholarship. I have read the conditions concerning this award. The information contained in the application is true, accurate, and written in my son's/daughter's own words.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



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**Photo Release**

\_\_\_\_\_ I permit the OSC to post on its social media any pictures taken at the Scholarship Reception to be held in the Spring of 2020.

\_\_\_\_\_ I do not permit the OSC to post on its social media any pictures taken at the Scholarship Reception to be held in the Spring of 2020.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Applicant Information**

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Last* *First* *M.I.*

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Street* *Apt/Unit #*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*City* *State* *Zip Code*

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_



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**Sponsor Information**

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Last* *First* *M.I.*

Rank: \_\_\_\_\_ Unit: \_\_\_\_\_ Base: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(If deceased, list last active duty rank, unit, and base.)*

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Status: \_\_\_\_\_ Active Duty Deceased  
*(Circle one)*

**Educational Data**

To be completed and signed by applicant's counselor:

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative Average GPA (unweighted): \_\_\_\_\_

Name of High School: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Address Phone Number

\_\_\_\_\_ Counselor Signature Date



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**Education Information**

List all high schools and you have attended, starting with the most recent.

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*Name of school*

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*City, State (or Country)*

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*Dates Attended*

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*Name of school*

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*City, State (or Country)*

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*Name of school*

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*City, State (or Country)*

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*Dates Attended*

List the colleges/universities/academies to which you applied OR the college/university/academy you have been accepted to and plan to attend.

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Have you been nominated for, applied for, or accepted a full-tuition scholarship, appointment to a military service academy or full ROTC scholarship? \_\_\_\_\_



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**Extracurricular**

- Be as specific as possible and do not use acronyms.
- List each activity only once and in the most appropriate category. (Ex: Do not list a club soccer team in both Clubs and Athletics.)
- Any volunteer/service hourly estimates for the 19-20 academic year should *only* reflect those completed prior to submitting this application.
- Consider any summer hours as part of the next academic year.

<b><i>Activity and Community Activities</i></b> List any clubs, inside or outside school, you participated in during the past 4 years. (National Honor Society, Girl/Boy Scouts, etc.)	<b><i>Position</i></b>	<b><i>Grades Participated</i></b>





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<i><b>Athletics</b></i> List any athletics, inside or outside school, you participated in during the past 4 years.	<i><b>Position</b></i>	<i><b>Grades Participated</b></i>

<i><b>Award/Honor</b></i> List any significant awards or honors you have earned in the past 4 years. (academic competitions, Eagle/Gold Award, etc.)	<i><b>Received For (brief description)</b></i>	<i><b>Date Awarded</b></i>



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<b><i>Volunteer//Community Service</i></b> List any volunteer experience and community service you have completed during the last 4 years.	<b><i>Brief Description</i></b>	<b><i>Estimated Total Hours/Academic Year</i></b>			
		<b><i>9</i></b>	<b><i>10</i></b>	<b><i>11</i></b>	<b><i>12</i></b>

<b><i>Position (and Company)</i></b> List any work experience/employment you have had during the past 4 years.	<b><i>Job Description</i></b>	<b><i>Estimated Hours/Month</i></b>



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Use the space below to give any additional information about yourself that is relevant to this application, but not covered above.

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In no more than 280 CHARACTERS describe **yourself**, your **accomplishments** and your **future goals**. Remember, like TWITTER this is **characters**; so spaces, commas etc all count towards your total. Be creative. Have fun!

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