



Elks National Foundation Scholarship Fact Sheet

Emergency Educational Grants

Purpose

The EEG program provides financial assistance to children of deceased or totally disabled Elks, who wish to obtain or further their college education.

Eligibility/Requirements

The Elk parent or stepparent must have been a member in good standing for at least one year at the time of his or her death. In the case of a child or stepchild of a totally disabled Elk, the parent or stepparent must have been a member in good standing for at least one year before he or she became totally disabled and must continue to be an Elk in good standing when application for assistance is made.

Students must demonstrate financial need to qualify for a grant under this program. In addition, the applicant must be unmarried, under the age of 23 as of Dec. 31 in the year of application, and attending a U.S. college or university as a full-time (12 semester hours) undergraduate student. The grant is for educational assistance only and not intended to cover the entire cost of a college education. Assistance cannot be extended beyond four years.

Amount and Number Awarded

The amount of the grant is based on the information submitted in the application and can range up to \$4,000. The grant is for one year only; however, students may submit up to three annual renewal applications for succeeding years as long as they meet all other eligibility requirements.

Applications

Students may request applications at the local Lodge or from the ENF Chicago office. All applications—new and renewal—must be submitted to, and processed by, the Lodge where the Elk parent or stepparent is or was a member.

Evaluation

The Lodge Special Scholarship Committee reviews the application and, upon a Lodge vote, submits it to the ENF Chicago office for evaluation.

Important Dates

- July 1 to December 31 of academic year assistance desired—new applications filed.
- October 31 of academic year assistance desired—deadline for filing renewal application.

For additional information, contact: 

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