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### **Purpose**

Education has always been a cornerstone for our Vue family. We believe that access to higher education plays a crucial role in improving the well-being of individuals, families, and communities. It empowers us to build stronger networks, share knowledge, and provide the necessary support to foster collective growth and success. To help achieve these objectives, Vue National Association (VNA) will award scholarships in 2025 and 2027 to Vue college students to assist with their educational expenses. These scholarships are available to students who are currently enrolled in a two-year or four-year college/university, or graduate school.

#### **Application Process**

Four scholarships will be given in 2025. Applications will be reviewed by an impartial selective committee and award scholarships based on established criteria. The amount of each scholarship is \$1000 for 2025. Two scholarships will be awarded to undergraduate and two for graduate students.

The minimum requirements are:

- 1) Be a member of the Vue Family (niam, txiv, tub, ntxhais tsis tau yuav txiv, or nyab Hmoob Vwj)
- 2) Currently live in the United States
- 3) Currently enrolled in 2-4 year college/university with a minimum of 1 completed semester, or in graduate school at the time of application.
- Complete the attached application and email it to <u>info@vuenational.org</u>, Attention to Choua Vu. <u>Deadline by 11:59PM Central on 6/1/2025</u>. <u>Note:</u> Do not mail to the address listed in the header section. Email applications are preferred.
- 5) Write an essay responding to the following questions (minimum 1 page):
  - Tell VNA about yourself.
  - Why do you need this scholarship? How can it benefit you?
  - What does Education mean to you?
  - What can you do to help promote the importance of education to future Vue generations?
- 6) Attach two (2) letters of recommendation to the application from someone not related to you
- 7) Attach an official transcript to the application form showing cumulative GPA (minimum GPA: 2.5)



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- 8) Once you have been selected to receive a scholarship, you must submit proof from the registrar's office stating that you are currently enrolled as a student in order for VNA to release the scholarship award to you.
- 9) If selected, the recipient must stay in contact with VNA.
- 10) Recipients must update VNA about their current education and/or career status by August 1, 2026.
- 11) Attach a copy of your Identification card (ID)

#### Awards ceremony

The scholarships will be awarded at the Vue Unity Conference held in MN on August 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025 at the Banquets of Minnesota, 6310 Hwy 65 NE, Fridley, MN 55432. Scholarships winners are encouraged to attend this conference. If not able to attend, a check will be mailed to the recipient after the conference.



## **VNA EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2025**

#### PERSONAL INFORMATION

First Name:	Middle Name:	Last Name:
Date of Birth:	Gender:	
Parents Name:		
Mailing Address:		
Email Address:		Phone Number:
SCHOOL/EDUCATION		
Current Name and address of Sch	<u>ool:</u>	
<u>Major:</u>	Year in College:	Anticipated Date of Graduation:

#### ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS/COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT/OTHER ACTIVITIES

Please list any academic distinctions you have earned in High School and College (if none then mark N/A):

List any community or family volunteer activities you have been a part of (if none then mark N/A):

Signature:

Date:



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# **Checklist for Completion of Application**

Have you attached the following documentations? Check mark the boxes if attached. Application deadline is 11:59PM Central on June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025. Application will not be considered if not submitted before the deadline.

**Note:** This page does not have to be filed with the following documents. It is only a reminder checklist for your application.

- □ Filled out and signed Application Form (page 3)
- $\Box$  Essay (1 page minimum).
- $\Box$  Two (2) letters of recommendation
- Latest official school transcript showing cumulative GPA (Minimum requirement: 2.5)
- $\Box$  Copy of your ID