The Northeast Ohio EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

The Northeast Ohio Foundation for Patriotism (NEOPAT) has partnered with the Folds of Honor Foundation to distribute \$100,000 in scholarships to eligible spouses and children of current and former military service members in Northeast Ohio.

These scholarships are awarded to subsidize the costs of tuition and fees, school books, room and board, special tools and equipment necessary for coursework, school-approved tutoring, and any other expense the student's school may deem appropriate. These unique scholarships can be applied to current educational expenses, or held by the Foundation on behalf of infants and young children until needed at their time of enrollment.

GENERAL ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES

- The spouse or child of any service member of any branch, active duty or reserves, killed in action or in the line of duty
- The spouse or child of a current service member of any branch, active duty or reserves, wounded in action or wounded in the line of duty and awarded a Purple Heart medal
- The spouse or child of a military veteran of any branch who has a service-connected disability rated by the Veterans Administration
- The spouse or child of a military veteran of any branch who dies of any cause after being classified as having a service-connected disability rated by the Veterans Administration
- Must live in one of the 20 counties covered by NEOPAT: Sandusky, Ottawa, Erie, Huron, Richland, Lorain, Ashland, Holmes, Wayne, Medina, Cuyahoga, Lake, Geauga, Summit, Stark, Portage, Columbiana, Mahoning, Trumbull, and Ashtabula

If you know anyone who meets these criteria, please have them contact NEOPAT and Ryan Pittinger so we can help them apply for the scholarships. Ryan Pittinger, NEOPAT Scholarship Coordinator rpittinger@cbiz.com 216-520-6163



