



NORMA KERKOW FEMALE

VETERAN SCHOLARSHIP



Norma Kerkow Female Veterans Scholarships are awarded annually to Honorable Discharged Female Veterans residing in Florida.

Four (4) year University grants are not to exceed \$2,000.00 per year and Junior College and Technical Vocational school grants are not to exceed \$1,000.00 per year. All awards are to be made to fulltime or part-time students, (which is defined as 12 earned credit hours for full-time or 6 earned credit hours for part-time students in a semester). Scholarship awards shall be paid directly to the institution, payable in two equal payments, by the Department Treasurer, second payment contingent on meeting credit hour and GPA minimum requirements. Two scholarships to be awarded annually. All scholarships will be renewed annually in an undergraduate school provided the student needs further financial assistance and has maintained at least a 2.5 GPA. Renewal contracts to be sent by Department Headquarters to recipients and reviewed by the Department Secretary and Education Committee. Sponsoring Units will be notified of scholarship renewal approvals for students that they have previously sponsored. Cover page of application contains all rules. All scholarship applications are to be submitted to Department Headquarters either directly or via a sponsoring Unit. Applications can be obtained from the Department Headquarters. Deadline for receipt of completed applications by the Department Chairman for grants shall be March 1.

Who is Norma Kerkow?

Mrs. Norma Kerkow became a member of the American Legion Auxiliary in 1935 and was a member until 2012. She was a member at Unit 98 in Coral Gables, FL. She worked for the Army Map Service. Mrs. Kerkow and her husband had a passion for education. She graduated from FSU in 1943. She passed away in 2017 at the age of 96.



FOR MORE INFO

Contact your local American Legion Auxiliary Unit or email the Department Education Chairman at education@alafl.org

