Marine Gunny Sergeant John David Fry Scholarship:

Eligibility:

- Children of an active duty member of the Armed Forces who has died in the line of duty on or after September 11, 2001.

- The child may be married or over the age of 23 and still be eligible.

Benefits:

- Full tuition and fees paid directly to the school for all public school in-state students. For those attending private or foreign schools, tuition and fees are capped at $17,500 per academic year.

- A monthly housing allowance and a stipend for books and supplies.

Students are entitled to 36 months of benefits at the 100% level and may be used until their 33rd birthday.

Students who are eligible for the Fry Scholarship may also be eligible for DEA- Chapter 35 benefits. Although the benefits cannot be used at the same time, a student may eligible for up to 48 months of benefits between the two programs.

Application Process:

Go to http://www.gibill.va.gov/ and click on “Apply for Benefits.” Paper versions of the form (VA Form 22-5490) may be printed.

For more information on scholarships: http://www.fastweb.com/