

# THE AMERICAN LEGION, DEPARTMENT OF ILLINOIS WOOD BADGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

## GUIDELINES:

1. This scholarship program covers the following Wood Badge courses:  
*Scout Leader Wood Badge* - an in-depth course of leadership skills. Common to all leadership roles.
2. There shall be awarded annually **ONE** scholarship up to \$150.00.
3. Scholarships will cover tuition fee only. The recipient must furnish transportation to and from Wood Badge course locations.
4. Applicants must satisfy all Wood Badge course prerequisites.
5. Applicants must be a member of The American Legion, American Legion Ladies Auxiliary or Sons of The American Legion in good standing.

## INSTRUCTIONS:

Complete this application and secure official approvals and authorization from The American Legion Post Commander and the local council Scout executive. From your local council Scout executive, obtain the dates and location of Wood Badge courses and enter dates and location of course selected.

## RETURN TO:

THE AMERICAN LEGION, DEPARTMENT OF ILLINOIS  
DEPARTMENT BOY SCOUT COMMITTEE  
P.O. BOX 2910  
BLOOMINGTON, ILLINOIS 61702-2910



**POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN APRIL 15TH**

I wish to be considered for a scholarship to attend the following Wood Badge training:

Name of course \_\_\_\_\_ Dates \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_

Location \_\_\_\_\_ BSA Council \_\_\_\_\_

Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## CANDIDATE

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Marital Status \_\_\_\_\_ Children \_\_\_\_\_ Ages \_\_\_\_\_

Membership in other organizations \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
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# OTHER INFORMATION

\*Current member of Legion Post No. \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Legion Offices held \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Legion Post Commander Certification \_\_\_\_\_  
(Commander's Signature Required)

# SCOUTING BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Number of years Scouting experience: Youth \_\_\_\_\_ Adult \_\_\_\_\_

Scouting positions held: Current \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Past \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Training experiences and awards received \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

*If awarded this Wood Badge scholarship, I will furnish my own transportation and participate in the Wood Badge experience indicated on this application and further agree to aid my council with its leadership training program through instruction and coaching of others upon my return from the Wood Badge course.*

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



## FOR LOCAL COUNCIL USE ONLY

***(MUST BE COMPETED AND SIGNED BY SCOUT EXECUTIVE)***

*Statement by local council stating why this application should be considered for scholarship and that the applicant has satisfactorily completed the prerequisites for the course selected.*

Council No. \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Scout Executive \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Legion members in good standing only can apply. (PLEASE MAKE SURE TO INCLUDE POST NUMBER)**

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