The American Legion established the Legacy Scholarship Fund immediately after 9/11 to provide a higher education for children of fallen military heroes. Servicemembers injured in the line of duty while serving on active duty also sacrificed for their nation. Nearly 683,000 post-9/11 veterans have been assigned a combined disability rating of 50 percent or greater by the Department of Veterans Affairs.

WHO
Children of U.S. military members who died while on active duty on or after Sept. 11, 2001.

Children of post-9/11 veterans having been assigned a combined disability rating of 50 percent or greater by the Department of Veterans Affairs also qualify.

WHAT
Each needs-based scholarship provides up to $20,000 in aid for undergraduate or post-graduate college. Recipients may reapply up to six times for additional annual awards.

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