



100th Infantry Battalion  
Legacy Organization  
520 Kamoku Street  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96826

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Dear Principal and Post High School Counselor,

The 100<sup>th</sup> Infantry Battalion Legacy Organization announces its offering of three (3) scholarships to Hawaii graduating seniors who will be pursuing higher education in the Fall of 2024. One scholarship is for \$3,000, and two scholarships of \$1,000 each are in honor of Mr. Kazuo Yamane and Mrs. Frances Okazaki. The latter will be awarded to an island high school senior who will attend a mainland school, in honor of Mrs. Okazaki who was denied that opportunity by the war.

The purpose of these scholarships is to perpetuate knowledge and understanding of the 100<sup>th</sup> Infantry Battalion (Separate), its military accomplishments and their post-war motto of "For Continuing Service." Although academics, extracurricular activities, and leadership are highly regarded, consideration will be given to students whose application demonstrate a continuing commitment during college to perpetuate the legacy of the 100<sup>th</sup> Infantry battalion through community service or active participation in projects that promote the universal values of freedom, duty, honor, integrity, loyalty, personal courage, respect, and self-less service. Note: A student can identify campus activities, groups, projects that they will participate in or create to demonstrate serious commitment.

Attachments to this letter include the scholarship application form and directions for applying. We appreciate your assistance in encouraging students to apply. If you or a student have questions, please feel free to contact the scholarship committee via email: [gail.awakuni12@gmail.com](mailto:gail.awakuni12@gmail.com)

**Students may download all the scholarship information at: [100thLegacy.org](http://100thLegacy.org)**

An application submitted must contain all the information requested on the Application Checklist and **must be received by April 26, 2024** or the application cannot be considered.

Best wishes to all your students, and mahalo for your support.

Respectfully,

Gail Awakuni                      Charlotte Unni                      Warren Yamamoto  
100<sup>th</sup> Infantry Battalion Legacy Organization Scholarship Coordinators

Attachments  
2024 Information Sheet  
2024 Application Form and Application Checklist (includes free response requirements)