

# OCTOBER SCHOLARSHIPS PROGRAM PROMOTION

Kemerley Gondek, Department Chairman

Good Afternoon,

I hope everyone is having a great first day of October and enjoying the fall season so far!



Attached is the **October Scholarship Promotion**. I hope you enjoy it and find it helpful as we continue promoting all of the wonderful scholarship opportunities available.

us **BIG DATE TO REMEMBER THIS MONTH!** us

**OCTOBER 31, 2026**

This is the deadline for **Patriot's Pen and Voice of Democracy entries!**

There is still time to get those last-minute entries in, so let's keep spreading the word and encouraging our students to take advantage of these amazing opportunities!

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to me. I am always happy to help!

Wishing everyone a wonderful October and a fantastic fall season! us

Thank you,

Kemerley Gondek

**Department of California Scholarship Chairman**

**Promotion:**

**ROLL OUT THE RED CARPET... THE SPOTLIGHT IS ON YOU!**

**IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO TAKE YOUR PLACE ON THE RED CARPET!**

**VOICE OF DEMOCRACY & PATRIOT'S PEN**

"What a Veteran Taught Me About America."

Have you been thinking about entering? **Now is your time to step into the spotlight!** There is still time to submit your entry and share your voice.

 **DEADLINE: OCTOBER 31, 2026**

Your voice matters.

Your story matters.

Your opportunity is waiting.

💡 **The spotlight is ready. The red carpet is rolled out. Now it's your turn to shine!** 💡

  **AND THE AWARD FOR "WHAT'S NEXT?" GOES TO... YOU!**  

But wait... **the red carpet doesn't end here!** 

The year is just getting started, and the **world of scholarship and recognition opportunities is growing!**  💡

Coming up, keep your eyes open for:

 **Continuing Education Scholarship**

 **3-D Patriotic Art Contest**

 **Young American Creative Patriotic Art Contest**

 **And MORE opportunities throughout the year!**

 **The cameras are ready.**

 **The spotlight is shining.**

💡 **The red carpet is waiting.**

Whether you're a student, veteran, service member, or military family member, there are opportunities ahead to showcase your **voice, talent, creativity, and dedication.**

 **YOUR STORY. YOUR TALENT. YOUR FUTURE. YOUR OPPORTUNITY.**

 **So step onto the red carpet and make your moment count!**

 **Voice of Democracy & Patriot's Pen deadline: October 31, 2026**

 **The year has only begun... and your next opportunity could be just around the corner!** 💡

#VFW #VFWAuxiliary #Scholarships #VoiceOfDemocracy #PatriotsPen

#ContinuingEducation #PatrioticArt #YoungAmericanPatrioticArt #RedCarpet

#ScholarshipOpportunities #Veterans #MilitaryFamilies #Education #YourMomentToShine