

2025-2026 Edward T. and Mary A. Conroy & Jean B. Cryor Memorial Scholarship

To be eligible for the Edward T. and Mary A. Conroy & Jean B. Cryor Memorial Scholarship, a student must:

A. Be a resident of Maryland at the time of the application or have been a resident of Maryland when an event described in §C of this regulation occurred; and parents must also be Maryland Residents (some exceptions apply);

B. Be accepted for admission or enrolled in the regular undergraduate, graduate, or professional program at a Maryland postsecondary institution, or in a 2-year terminal certificate program in which the course work is acceptable for transfer credit for an accredited baccalaureate program in an eligible institution; and be enrolled for at least 6 credit hours; and

- C. (1) Be at least 16 years old and the child of a member of the armed forces or be the surviving spouse (who has not remarried) who:
 - (a) Died as a result of military service after December 7, 1941; or
 - (b) Suffered a service connected 100 percent permanent disability after December 7, 1942; or

(c) Was declared to be a prisoner of war or missing in action, if that occurred on or after January 1, 1960, as a result of the Vietnam conflict, and if the child was born prior to or while the parent was a prisoner of war or missing in action.

- (2) Be a prisoner of war or missing in action if that occurred on or after January 1, 1960, as a result of the Vietnam conflict, and a resident of this State at the time the person was declared to be a prisoner of war or missing in action;
- (3) Be either:
 - (a) At least 16 years old and the child of any State or local public safety employee killed in the line of duty; or
 - (b) The surviving spouse of any State or local public safety employee killed in the line of duty;
- (4) Be either:
 - (a) A disabled public safety employee;

(b) At least 16 years old and the child of a disabled public safety employee who sustained an injury in the line of duty that renders the public safety employee 100(%) percent disabled; or

(c) The surviving spouse of a disabled public safety employee who sustains an injury in the line of duty that renders the public safety employee 100(%) percent disabled;

- (5) Be a veteran, as defined under State Government Article, §9–901, Annotated Code of Maryland, who:
 - (a) Suffers a service connected disability of 25 percent(%) or greater; and
 - (b) Has exhausted or is no longer eligible for federal veterans' educational benefits;
- (6) Be the surviving spouse of a member of the armed forces who suffered a service connected 100(%) percent permanent disability;
- (7) Be at least 16 years old and the child of or the surviving spouse of a victim of the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks;
- (8) Be at least 16 years old and the child of a school employee who, as a result of an act of violence:
 - (a) Died in the line of duty; or
 - (b) Sustained an injury in the line of duty that rendered the school employee 100(%) percent disabled; or
- (9) Be the surviving spouse who has not remarried of a school employee who, as a result of an act of violence:
 - (a) Died in the line of duty; or
 - (b) Sustained an injury in the line of duty that rendered the school employee 100(%) percent disabled.

ImportantReminder: to be considered for all other MD State scholarships be sure to submit your FAFSA at studentaid.gov by the March 1, 2025 deadline. Submit all application materials by July 15, 2025 to:

Office of Student Financial Aid - Allegany College of Maryland

301-784-5010 (FAX)