

(b) There is a program of scholarships that are awarded under this section.

(c) The Program is the Edward T. Conroy Memorial Scholarship Program.

(d) A person may apply to the Office for a scholarship under this section if the person:

(1) [Is] EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN ITEM (3)(III) OF THIS SUBSECTION, IS a resident of Maryland;

(2) (i) Is accepted for admission or enrolled in the regular undergraduate, graduate or professional program at an eligible institution; or

(ii) Is enrolled 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

(3) (i) Is at least 16 years old and a son or daughter of a member of the armed forces who:

1. Died as a result of military service after December 7, 1941;

2. Suffered a service connected 100% permanent disability after December 7, 1941; or

3. 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;

(ii) Was a prisoner of war on or after January 1, 1960 as a result of the Vietnam conflict and was a resident of this State at the time the person was declared to be a prisoner of war or missing in action;

(iii) 1. A. Is at least 16 years old and a son or daughter of any State or local public safety employee killed in the line of duty; or

[2.] B. Is the surviving spouse of any State or local public safety employee killed in the line of duty; AND

2. IS A RESIDENT OF ANY STATE;

(iv) 1. Is a disabled public safety employee;