National Society Daughters of the American Revolution



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#### SIERRA NEVADA CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIP CHECKLIST AND APPLICATION

#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

The Sierra Nevada Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) is pleased to announce its fourth annual chapter scholarship program for students in the Washoe County School District. The Sierra Nevada Chapter DAR Scholarship Committee direct URL link to the application packet is: www.sierranevadadar.com/scholarship. Please review the following information and use the application checklist to organize and prepare your scholarship application:

• Scholarship applications for the 2023 academic year will be accepted if postmarked between Saturday, October 1, 2022 through Wednesday, February 15, 2023. Students will mail all the required scholarship application material to:

### Laura Miceli 9613 Lunaspar Rd. Reno, NV 89521

- Please direct any specific scholarship-related questions to darscholarshipcommittee@gmail.com.
- Scholarships are judged and awarded without regard to gender, race, color, religion, national origin or disability.
- If you are selected as a scholarship recipient, you will be notified by April 2023.
- Additional information about National DAR scholarships and a link to their online application process can be found on the DAR website at: https://www.dar.org/national-society/scholarship.

#### **APPLICATION CHECKLIST:**

- Scholarship application.
- Student essay of 1,000 words or less.
- Most recent copy of your high school transcript (must indicate class rank, size, and test scores, if available).
- This scholarship requires a minimum unweighted grade point average (GPA) of 3.25 based on a 4.0 scale.
- Two letters of recommendation. Letters should convey your ability, work habits, integrity, character, potential and volunteer activities.
- List of your extracurricular activities, honors received and scholastic achievements (one side of a 8-1/2 inch x 11 inch piece of paper).
- Proof of acceptance/enrollment at college/university,technical school/trade school.
- Photocopy of your United States citizenship: birth certificate, naturalization papers, or information page of United States Passport. If listed, please blackout social security numbers.
- Financial aid form.





Purpose: To provide a one-time scholarship of \$2,000 to eligible seniors in Washoe County School District.

*Award:* At least (5) non-renewable scholarships will be awarded to (5) persons selected by the Sierra Nevada Chapter DAR Scholarship Committee.

## Eligibility:

- 1. Applicant must be a senior at a Washoe County High School.
- 2. Applicant must have at least a 3.25 GPA (unweighted).
- 3. Applicant must demonstrate involvement within the school and community.
- 4. Applicant must be graduating from a Washoe County High School in June 2023.
- 5. Applicant must show proof of enrollment from the college, university, or vocational/technical school they plan to attend in Fall 2023.
- 6. Applicant must submit ALL completed materials postmarked by the Wednesday, February 15, 2023.

### Application: Please submit the following documents in a sealed envelope.

- 1. Scholarship application
- 2. Student essay
- 3. Two (2) letters of recommendations
- 4. Proof of acceptance/enrollment to college/university/vocational/technical school
- 5. Current high school transcript
- 6. Sierra Nevada Chapter DAR Financial aid form
- 7. Proof of citizenship
- 8. List of extracurricular activities

**ESSAY REQUIREMENTS:** Essays **must be typed**, double-spaced, in 12-point Times New Roman or an equivalent font, with numbered pages and one-inch margins.

#### ESSAY PROMPT:

What course of study do you intend to pursue in college or vocational/technical school? What has motivated you to choose this career path? What do you intend to accomplish with your degree? What do you envision yourself doing ten years from now?

Please submit the completed application and materials in a sealed envelope to Laura Miceli, 9613 Lunaspar Rd., Reno, NV 89521 postmarked no later than <u>Wednesday, February 15, 2023</u>. (Late applications will not be considered)

Any questions may be sent to <u>darscholarshipcommittee@gmail.com</u>



# Sierra Nevada Chapter DAR Scholarship Application Washoe County School District

Submission deadline: February 15, 2023

Once completed, mail application and all requested materials to address listed in the instructions.

Note: Required fields are marked with an asterisk.

# **GENERAL APPLICATION QUESTIONS**

\*High School

\*First name

\*Last name

\*Address

\*Phone number

\*Email address

\*Check any of the following statements which apply to you.

Member of NSDAR

Eligible to become a member of NSDAR

Descendent of NSDAR member

My mother/stepmother is an active dues paying member of the NSDAR

None of the above

\*If you or your mother is a dues paying member, please enter the member number.

\*Check which type of post-secondary institution will you attend.

College/University

Vocational/Technical

\*Please list your most recent unweighted GPA:

\*Please list your most recent weighted GPA:

\*Please provide the name and email address of two people (not relatives) who can serve as a reference for you (examples: teacher, counselor, coach, mentor, spiritual leader, administrator, employer).

Name

**Email address** 

\*In 100 words or less, explain what financial arrangements you have made to fund your higher education.

### \*Authorize and Release Statement

\*1. I hereby request and authorize the release of information contained in my student records to the appropriate scholarship selection committee for the purpose of evaluation and scholarship award selection.

I agree with the above statement.

\*2. Full name

\*3. Last four digits of your SSN

\*4. Authorize date



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# SIERRA NEVADA CHAPTER DAR SCHOLARSHIP FINANCIAL NEED FORM

Please note: Non-married applicants independent of their parents or guardians should mark "self" and provide their information in place of parent or guardian. Married applicants should mark "self" and "spouse" and provide their information in place of parent or guardian.

PARENT 🗆	GUARDIAN 🗆	SELF 🗆	PARENT	GUARDIAN 🗆	SPOUSE
Name			Name		
Address			Address		
Employer			_ Employer		
Position			Position		
Annual income <u>\$</u>			Annual income <u>\$</u>		
Other sources of incon	ne or financial aid:				

Please provide the ages of dependent children and include those who may be attending college at the same time as the applicant:

The parent/guardian or applicant (if independent or married) shall provide a brief statement summarizing financial obligations and resources. The statement needs to illustrate the applicant's need for financial assistance. Please do not submit additional supporting information or documents. Statement follows:

I attest that all information on this DAR Scholarship Financial Need Form is true and accurate:

Signature of applicant

Signature of parent/guardian/spouse