

Ohio Society Daughters of the American Revolution

Susan Leininger, State Regent

DAR Scholarship Committee-Mary Chase, State Chairman <u>mechase1960@gmail.com</u> (216) 406-1564 OSDAR Wings of Eagles Scholarship Application Due January 31st, 2024

OSDAR awards scholarships to graduating high school seniors. Including those completing a certified home school program, in the amount of \$1,000 each. Awards are based on academic excellence and character. All applicants must be citizens of the United States, legal residents of the state of Ohio and will be attending an accredited college or university in the United States. Awards are placed on deposit with the college or university, and any unused portion shall be returned to OSDAR. No affiliation or relationship with DAR is necessary, however all applicants must obtain a letter of sponsorship from their local DAR chapter. Only applications completed correctly and submitted in one entry will be considered. Applications must be submitted through the sponsoring chapter. Scholarships are awarded without regard to race, religion, sex, national origin, or disability. Only winners will be notified.

Instructions: All certified transcripts, letters of recommendation and other required documents must be received by the state chairman by the deadline in one online submission. Do not submit a personal photograph!

List of required documents:

- 1. Letter from sponsoring chapter. You can find a local Ohio chapter online by visiting the chapter locator at https://www.dar.org/national-society/become-member/chapter-locations.
- 2. Official certified transcript of high school grade which also indicates class rank/size and test scores unless home schooled. Home schooled students include grade transcripts for grade 9 through current year and documented test scores.
- An essay of 500 words or less. Topic: If you were asked to "Continue the Legacy of our American Patriots" what would that mean to you and how would you do that? (Word count must show on essay.) <u>Essay must be</u> <u>submitted in Arial 11 font.</u>
- 4. A statement of 200 words or less describing what makes you an outstanding candidate for the scholarship. (Word count must show on statement.) Statement must be submitted in Arial 11 font.
- A list of extra-curricular activities, honors received, scholastic achievements, or other significant accomplishments (Max, length one page, one column, one side equivalent to an 8 ½ x 11 page). <u>Must be submitted in Arial 11 font.</u>
- 6. Dated and signed letters of recommendation from at least three but not more than four people in authority from the **high school or college** the applicant currently attends, who are familiar with the applicant's work. Letter may cover the applicant's ability, work habits, integrity, character, potential and activities. Each letter must include the title, address and telephone number of the person giving the recommendation for possible contact or verification.
- 7. Proof of United States Citizenship: birth certificate or naturalization papers. NOTE: cover the photograph when photocopying naturalization papers.
- 8. Application must be submitted to your local DAR chapter no later than 11:59PM January 31, 2024.
- 9. LOCAL DAR CHAPTER MUST SUBMIT APPLICATION TO <u>mechase1960@gmail.com</u> Application and supporting paperwork MUST be submitted in one scan/attachment, NOT individually.



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Name of Student			
Permanent Address			
City	State	Zip	
E-mail address	Phone #		
Cumulative GPA/Scale	Class Rank/Size	ACT score	SAT score
College or University you plan to attend			



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THIS FORM FOR CHAPTER USE ONLY - INCLUDE WITH SUBMISSION TO STATE CHAIR

NOTE: SPONSORING CHAPTER MUST SUBMIT APPLICATION AND ALL ATTACHMENTS IN A SINGLE EMAIL TO mechase1960@gmail.com NO LATER THAN FEBRUARY 4, 2024 BY 11:59pm

Sponsoring Chapter:

Chapter Contact and Phone Number:

Alternate Chapter Contact and Phone Number:

Number of pages submitted:

Name of applicant:

High School/College student currently attends:

Chapter Completion Checklist

- Letter from sponsoring chapter
- Scholarship Application
- Official certified transcript of high school grades which also indicates class rank/size and test scores; home-schooled students include grade transcripts for grade 9 through current year and documented test scores.
- An essay of 500 words or less on "Continue the Legacy of our American Patriots". Explain your answer. **Must be in Arial 11 font with Word Count showing on essay.**
- A Statement of 200 words or less describing what makes you an outstanding candidate for the scholarship. **Must be in Arial 11 font with Word Count showing on essay.**
- List of extra-curricular activities, honors received, scholastic achievements, or other significant accomplishments. (One page, one column, one side 8 1/2 x 11 page). Must be in Arial 11 font.
- Dated and signed letters of recommendation from at least three (3) or four (4) authorities from **high school or college**, including title, address, and telephone number of recommenders.
- Proof of United Citizenship: birth certificate or naturalization papers without photos.
- Applicant package should not exceed sixteen pages.
- Completed application must be received electronically to the State Chairman by February 4th, as listed on the top of this page.