

# DeCoste Memorial Foundation

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## Hampton Roads Military Scholarship Application

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This scholarship recognizes Hampton Roads military-connected students who have demonstrated resilience, determination, community involvement, and personal growth throughout their high school journey.

### Required Application Materials

- Completed application
- DD-214, DD-1300, or current military command verification
- Minimum 500-word essay
- One letter of recommendation from a teacher, counselor, coach, employer, or community leader

### Applicant Information

Full Name	_____	Date of Birth	_____
Address	_____	Phone Number	_____
Email Address	_____	Parent/Guardian Name	_____

### School Information

High School Name	_____	Expected Graduation Date	_____
Future School/Program	_____	Intended Major/Career Path	_____

### Military Affiliation

Service Member Name	_____	Relationship to Applicant	_____
Branch of Service	_____	Status	_____
Military documentation attached	_____		

### Activities, Volunteer Work, and Employment

Please list school activities, sports, volunteer work, community involvement, employment, leadership roles, or other experiences you would like the committee to consider.

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### Essay Requirement

Please attach a minimum 500-word essay describing a personal or academic challenge you have overcome prior to graduation, how the experience impacted you, what you learned from it, and how you plan to apply those lessons moving forward.

**Scholarship Payment Information**

Scholarship awards will be made payable directly to the scholarship recipient.

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Application Submission Information**

Completed applications and all required supporting documentation may be submitted via email to:  
**[lisa@sdecoste.org](mailto:lisa@sdecoste.org)**