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Raleigh DAR Chapter Announces 2021 Scholarship Opportunities

Micajah Bullock Chapter, NSDAR promotes 29 scholarships for Wake County students

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RALEIGH, NC: Each year the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) awards multiple scholarships to students showing dedication to the pursuit of higher education in diverse areas of study including history, economics, law, political science, medicine, nursing, occupational and physical therapy, elementary and secondary education, chemistry, math, science, and English. DAR's scholarships are awarded and judged without regard to gender, race, color, religion, national origin, or disability.

Interested students may check out information on the [National DAR Society Scholarship website](#). Questions may be directed to scholarships@nsdar.org. Applications must be submitted through the online portal and will be accepted through January 31, 2021 at 11:59 pm (EST).

In addition, three scholarships are available through the [North Carolina Society NSDAR](#). All scholarship applications are due by January 31, 2021 and must be accompanied by a letter of recommendation from a NCSDAR chapter. If the prospective student lives in Wake County, please email the Micajah Bullock Chapter at mbchapter@gmail.com for more information.

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Graduating high school seniors, college, and graduate students in specific areas of study.

Scholarship applications are accepted: November 1, 2020 – January 31, 2021 at 11:59 pm (EST)
Applicants must be citizens of the United States of America (USA).

Applicants must attend or plan to attend an accredited college or university in the USA.

Merit Scholarship

- Richard and Elizabeth Dean Scholarship: A \$5,000 award to two graduating high school seniors majoring in American studies, must have a minimum 4.0 GPA; renewable up to 4 years.

Political Science, History, Government & Economics Scholarships

- Dr. Aura-lee A. and James Hobbs Pittenger American History Scholarship: A \$2,000 award to a graduating high school senior pursuing study in American history or American government; renewable up to 4 years.
- Estel Hall Griswold Memorial Scholarship: A one-time \$1,000 award to two juniors or seniors majoring in political science, history, government, or economics in college.
- DAR Centennial Scholarship: A one-time \$2,000 award to two students pursuing post-graduate studies in historic preservation.
- Lucinda Benevent Findley History Scholarship: A one-time \$2,000 award to two graduating high school seniors with a demonstrated interest or planning to major in history.

Medical and Nursing Scholarships

- Alice W. Reoke Scholarship: A one-time \$5,000 award to one medical or osteopathic student (no pre-med or physician assistant [PA]). Students may reapply. Preference to females.
- Irene and Daisy McGregor Memorial Scholarship: A one-time \$5,000 award to two medical or osteopathic student (no pre-med or PA); renewable up to 4 years. Preference to females.
- Dr. Francis Anthony Benevent Medical Scholarship: A one-time \$5,000 award to one medical or osteopathic student (no pre-med or PA). Students may reapply.
- Leslie Andrea Hanes Medical Scholarship: A one-time preferred amount of \$5,000 award to one female medical or osteopathic student (no pre-med or PA). Students may reapply.
- Madeline Pickett (Halbert) Cogswell Nursing Scholarship: A one-time \$2,500 award to two nursing students who are DAR members or descendants.
- Caroline E. Holt Nursing Scholarship: A one-time \$2,500 award to three nursing students who have financial need.
- Mildred Nutting Nursing Scholarship: A one-time \$2,000 award to two nursing students who have financial need.
- Occupational/Physical Therapy Scholarship: A one-time \$2,000 award to two OT, PT, art therapy or music therapy students who have financial need.

Specific Area of Study Scholarships

- Lillian and Arthur Dunn Scholarship: A \$2,000 award to daughter or son of a DAR member; renewable up to 4 years.
- Arthur Lockwood Benevent Law Scholarship: A one-time \$2,000 award for a student enrolled in law school. Student may reapply.
- Edward G. and Helen A. Borgens Elementary and Secondary Teacher Education: A one-time award up to \$1,500 to two students 25 years of age or older studying to teach (one in elementary and one in secondary education). Students may reapply.
- Mary Elizabeth Lockwood Benevent MBA Scholarship: A one-time award up to \$2,000 to a full-time graduate student majoring in business administration. Student may reapply.
- Margaret Howell Hamilton Scholarship: A \$1,000 award to a graduating high school senior with disabilities accepted into the Harway and Berrico Jones Learning Center at the University of the Ozarks; renewable up to 4 years.
- Michael T. and Mary L. Cloyd Scholarship: A one-time \$3,000 award to two students either a junior undergraduate or graduate level studying library science.
- Nellie Love Butcher Music Scholarship: A one-time award of up to \$5,000 to a music student pursuing an education in voice or piano. A performance piece to be submitted with the application.
- Robert Hunter Swadley Horticulture Scholarship: (California residents only): A scholarship for a graduating high school senior majoring in horticulture. Award amount is determined each year and may cover partial or up to full tuition, room and board, and expenses.
- William Robert Findley Graduate Chemistry Scholarship: A one-time award to a graduate student majoring in chemistry. The amount is determined each year. Students may reapply.
- Leo W. and Alberta V. Utz Scholarship (English, Math, Science): A \$4,000 award to three students (one in English, one in math, one in science); renewable up to 4 years.

Additional information available at:

www.dar.org/national-society/scholarships
DAR Scholarships: scholarships@nsdar.org
Barbara L. Grant, National Chair

Local Contact Information:

To apply for DAR's Scholarships:
Visit the online application portal found on the DAR website at: <https://dar.academicworks.com/>

The National Society Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) is a women's service organization whose members can trace their lineage to an individual who contributed to securing American independence during the Revolutionary War. Today's DAR is dynamic and diverse, with over 185,000 members in 3,000 chapters in the United States and abroad. DAR members annually provide millions of hours of volunteer service to their local communities across the country and world. DAR chapters participate in projects to promote historic preservation, education, and patriotism. Over one million members have joined the organization since its founding in 1890.

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