

DOLPHIN SCHOLARS IN THEIR OWN WORDS



"By being a Dolphin Scholar, I am able to honor my family members who have served in the Navy. This scholarship is especially important to me because my dad was a submariner. This scholarship makes me more connected with him, along with the children of the other members of the Navy."

- Abigail Costello
Wake Forest University

"Being a Dolphin Scholar will allow me to pursue my dreams of becoming a nuclear engineer at one of the top nuclear programs in the country, as well as help forward the goals and visions of the Nuclear Navy in the civilian sector"

- Riley Fisher
University of Illinois



"It is a blessing that my father's years of service to our nation has resulted in the opportunity to further my education and find a fulfilling career."

- Marietta Barrett

Northwest University

2021 SCHOLAR PROFILE

All Selected 2021 Scholars

Gender:	Female	29	Male	18
Relationship:	Child	47		
	Spouse	0		

Average SAT Score: N/A Due to Covid
Average ACT Score: N/A due to Covid

Sponsors

Active Duty 15 Retired 17 Discharged 14 Deceased: 1
Officer 21 RADM-2 CAPT-8 CDR-5 LCDR-5 LT-1
Enlisted 15 MCPO-4 SCPO-1 CPO-5 PO1-4 PO2-1

High School Applicants: 100 (34 Selected)

Average Weighted GPA 4.2 (Strong academic coursework including AP)
Test Score Ranges— SAT (1160-1570); ACT (23-34)

College Applicants: 29 (13 Selected) (7-Freshmen, 3-Soph 3-Juniors)

Average GPA—3.8 (very strong majors at highly competitive colleges)

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Easing the Financial Burden
of Undergraduate and
Vocational Education for
Eligible Members of the U.S.
Submarine Force and Their
Dependents.

Congratulations to our 2021 Scholars!!



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SIXTY YEARS OF SCHOLARSHIPS

Dolphin Scholarship Foundation was established in 1960 and granted the first award of \$350 in 1961 to John L. Haines, Jr. Funds were raised primarily through the tireless efforts of submarine officers' spouses' organizations throughout the U.S.

As the cost of education continues to skyrocket, so does the need for the Foundation to assist students. Dolphin Scholarship Foundation grants are available, on a competitive basis, to high school or college children/stepchildren and spouses of members or former members of the Submarine Force or Navy members who have served in submarine support activities. Today, Dolphin Scholarship Foundation sponsors 114 ongoing scholarships with an annual grants ranging from \$1,500 to \$3,500 per student for two to four years of full-time undergraduate studies as well as students pursuing trade/vocational certification. DSF also awards scholarships to eligible spouses working toward their first undergraduate degree or trade/vocational certification. Approximately 25-30 new scholarships are awarded each year. Scholars are selected on the basis of academic proficiency, commitment and excellence in school and community activities as well as financial need. Since our founding over 60 years ago, Dolphin Scholarship Foundation has granted over \$14,000,000 to more than 1,400 outstanding students attending fully accredited universities and colleges throughout the U.S.

Donations from submarine spouse fundraising events remain a significant portion of our income. DSF receives additional funding through private, corporate, and memorial donations.

DSF administers the following scholarships:

Laura W. Bush Scholarship, USS Colorado (SSN 788), USS Hampton (SSN 767), USS Indiana (SSN 789), USS Nautilus (SSN 571), USS Washington (SSN 787).

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—Kasey McCarver, Nancy S. Tollefson Scholar

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Scholars

- Child/Step-child or Spouse of member or former member of the U.S. Navy Submarine Force
- Scholars must either attend and be enrolled full-time (or part-time for spouses) at an accredited 2 or 4-year college/university and working toward an Associate or Bachelor degree, **OR** be working toward trade/vocational certification.

Sponsors

Sponsor must meet **one (1)** of the following requirements:

- Sponsor must be qualified in submarines and served on active duty in the Submarine Force for a minimum of 8 years.

OR

- Sponsor must have served on active duty in submarine support activities for a minimum of 10 years.

Additional Criteria

- Years of service need not be consecutive; however, qualifying years **must** have been served on **ACTIVE DUTY**. Time served as a Naval Academy or NROTC midshipman, in "Boot Camp", or as a member of the inactive or Selected Naval Reserve **cannot** be used to establish eligibility.
- Student is eligible if his or her Sponsor died on active duty while serving in the Submarine Force.
- Time in service requirement may be waived by DSF if Sponsor qualified in submarines and was medically discharged or retired due to injury or illness which occurred in the line of duty.

ONLINE APPLICATION

Opens October 1, 2021

Submission Deadline: March 15, 2022

An online application can be accessed at

<https://subforcescholarships.smapply.io/>

Additional information can be found at

www.dolphinscholarship.org.

For questions concerning eligibility of applicants or sponsors, please contact, Scholarship Administrator

Lorraine SantaLucia at

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ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIPS

MRS. ROSEMARY ADKINS
ALOHA (PEARL HARBOR SOSA)
ARLIE MCNEILL (KINGS BAY SOSA)
LCDR ROBERT D. "BEN" BENITES
RADM ARLINGTON F. CAMPBELL
KATY CHILES
RADM JACK DARBY (PEARL HARBOR SOSA)
RADM PHIL, NANCY & TRICIA DAVIS SCHOLARSHIP
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"Nothing could be more exciting today,
in this age of growing complexity,
than to help foster the development
of our best youthful minds
into clear-headed, profound thinkers and doers
for our civilization of tomorrow."

Martha Lindsey Grenfell

SCHOLAR RESOURCES

College Board
www.collegeboard.org

Scholarship Central
www.vbschools.com

Free Application for Federal
Student Aid
www.fafsa.ed.gov

Scholarship Sharing
www.scholarshipsharing.org

The Common Application
www.commonapp.org

Access College Foundation
www.accesscollege.org