

Susquehanna County Chapter
Daughters of the American Revolution Annual Scholarship
2026

The **Susquehanna County Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR)** has established a **\$1,000 scholarship** for a Susquehanna County senior who plans to further his or her education after high school graduation. The scholarship is a yearly gift made possible through the generosity of Susquehanna County Chapter members, and is based on character, academic performance, extra-curricular activities, and essays.

STUDENT INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Complete ALL SECTIONS OF THE ATTACHED APPLICATION.
2. Provide a copy of your high school transcript. Include class rank and class size.
3. Include two letters from people in authority who can attest to your character, integrity, ability, work habits, and potential. Specific examples would be appreciated. Letters cannot be from family members. Include the person's relationship to you and their phone number. College entry form letters are not acceptable.
4. Enclose a copy of your birth certificate, naturalization papers, or passport information. All documents will be shredded immediately after review.

STUDENTS: Please submit the completed application and essay to your SCHOOL COUNSELOR by April 1, 2026.

SCHOOL COUNSELOR INSTRUCTIONS:

Remit all completed applications TO THE DAR SCHOLARSHIP CHAIR postmarked NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 2026. See your cover letter for instructions.

SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY CHAPTER DAR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

HIGH SCHOOL: _____

FUTURE PLANS: _____

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN ACCEPTED:

STARTING DATE: _____ MAJOR: _____

A. HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES: (use separate sheet, if necessary)

B. LIST NON-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES: (use separate sheet, if necessary)

C. ESSAY – MAXIMUM 300 WORDS. Choose a signer of the Declaration of Independence and write only one paragraph on each of the following:

1. Explain his importance and why you chose him.
2. Explain the values he demonstrated and duties (or tasks) he undertook which were impactful and important to remember.
3. Explain how YOU are demonstrating patriotism and what actions you are taking to celebrate America250.