A Brief History Of DSF

Dolphin Scholarship Foundation was established in 1960 and granted the first award of $350 in 1961 to John L. Haines, Jr.

As the cost of education continues to skyrocket, so does the need for the Foundation to assist students. Scholarships are available, on a competitive basis, to the children, stepchildren, and spouses of current or former members of the Submarine Force or Navy members who have served in submarine support activities. Today, DSF sponsors over 100 ongoing scholarships with annual awards ranging from $3,000 to $4,500 per student.

Scholarships are available for two and four year degrees for full-time undergraduate studies as well as trade/vocational certifications. Approximately 30-35 new scholarships are awarded each year.

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Dolphin Scholarship Application Information

Sponsor Requirements

Sponsor must be qualified in submarines and served on active duty in the U.S. Submarine Force for a minimum of 6 years.
OR
Sponsor must have served on active duty in submarine support activities for a minimum of 8 years.

Application

In addition to proof of dependency and sponsor qualifications, applications require an essay, work history/extracurricular activities, high school and/or college transcripts, and three recommendations, All documents must be received by March 15.

Administered Scholarships

DSF also administers the following scholarships with their own eligibility requirements: USS Bowfin Memorial Scholarship, Laura W. Bush USS Texas, USS Colorado, USS Delaware, USS Hampton, USS Idaho, USS Indiana Diane Donald, USS Massachusetts, USS Montana, USS Nautilus, USS Oregon, and USS Washington.

Applications Open October 1
Submission Deadline March 15

"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
Founder
Dolphin Scholarship Foundation

Turning Dreams into Reality, One Scholarship at a Time

The Dolphin Scholarship Foundation believes that enhancement of both human potential and quality of life is achievable through education. Many sons, daughters, and spouses of U.S. Navy submariners face financial obstacles while pursuing undergraduate and vocational education. DSF is committed to minimizing those obstacles by assisting them in reaching their fullest potential.

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