**Society of American Military Engineers  
Buffalo Post   
2024 Scholarships - Application**

**Application Instructions**

* Complete the attached form, prepare two (2) essay question responses, obtain a copy of school transcripts, and submit the combined package via e-mail to [SAMEBuffaloScholarship@gmail.com](mailto:SAMEBuffaloScholarship@gmail.com). Guidance counselors or transcript request services may submit transcripts separately from the rest of the application package, via e-mail.
* **Application is due no later than April 30, 2024**
* **$1,500 scholarships will be awarded** to each scholarship category shown on the form. More than one scholarship may be awarded per category.

**Eligibility Criteria**

1. Applicant must be a high school senior/high school graduate or student enrolled at an accredited college or university.
2. Applicant must submit an official Society of American Military Engineers Application for Scholarship.
3. Applicant must submit:
   1. An official transcript; or
   2. An unofficial transcript and confirmation of transcript by guidance counselor or other school official.
4. Applicant must be enrolled in or planning to enroll in an accredited college or university in Fall 2024.
5. Applicant must meet one of the criteria below:
   1. Relative of a Society of American Military Engineers (SAME) Buffalo Post Member or SAME Sustaining Member
   2. Applicant must be a current senior at or graduate from the Buffalo Public or Buffalo Charter Schools or Niagara Falls Public Schools or Lackawanna Schools that will be enrolled in or is currently enrolled in a science, technology, engineering, or math (STEM) or related study program at an accredited college or university.

**Award Criteria**

Scholarships will be awarded based on the following criteria:

1. High school or college academic record and the nature of the course load
2. Applicant’s extra-curricular activities, community service, and employment history
3. Responses to the two selected essay questions

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**Application Form**

First Name: Click or tap here to enter text. Last Name: Click or tap here to enter text.

Street Address:Click or tap here to enter text.

City: Click or tap here to enter text. State: Click or tap here to enter text.   
Zip Code:Click or tap here to enter text.

E-mail Address: Click or tap here to enter text.

Phone Number: Click or tap here to enter text.

Scholarship Category Applying for:

SAME Buffalo Post Relative

Buffalo Public or Charter Schools Student/Graduate – Majoring in STEM or related field

Niagara Falls Public School Student/Graduate – Majoring in STEM or related field

Lackawanna Public School Student/Graduate – Majoring in STEM or related field

High School:Click or tap here to enter text.

Graduation Year: Click or tap here to enter text.

College/University at which you have been accepted or now attend: Click or tap here to enter text.

Location: Click or tap here to enter text.

Major: Click or tap here to enter text. Expected Graduation Year: Click or tap here to enter text.

Cumulative Grade Point Average at Current School/College/University: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
For unofficial transcripts, please have a school official verify the above is correct by signing below. If selected for a scholarship, we will contact this official to confirm their signature below.  
  
I verify that the above cumulative GPA is accurate as of the date signed below.   
  
Signature:

Name: Click or tap here to enter text.

Title:Click or tap here to enter text.

Phone Number: Click or tap here to enter text. Email: Click or tap here to enter text.

1. **Please summarize your past community service efforts and approximate number of hours supporting each organization (attach extra sheets as needed):**

Organization: Click or tap here to enter text.  
Volunteer Hours: Click or tap here to enter text.  
Type of service (e.g., stream cleanup, mentoring): Click or tap here to enter text.

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1. **Employment/Self-Employment (if additional space is needed, please list employer, position, duration, and duties on another sheet of paper)**

Employer: Click or tap here to enter text.

Position: Click or tap here to enter text. Duration: Click or tap here to enter text.

Duties: Click or tap here to enter text.

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1. **Extra-curricular activities, societies, organizations, committees, or activities in which you have participated within the last 3 years, and any positions of leadership you have held or now hold (e.g., student council, school clubs, sports, boy/girl scouts, church/youth groups). Attach extra sheets as needed.**

Activity Name: Click or tap here to enter text.  
Position/Role: Click or tap here to enter text.  
Dates involved (Month Year to Month Year): Click or tap here to enter text. to Click or tap here to enter text.

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1. **Prepare typed responses to two (2) of the following short questions (limit 1 page per question):**
   1. Pick an experience from your own life and explain how it has influenced your development.

Click or tap here to enter text.

* 1. Choose a person or persons you admire and explain why.

Click or tap here to enter text.

* 1. What is a cause or charitable group you support and why do you support it?

Click or tap here to enter text.

* 1. What else do you think we should know about you (e.g., leadership, service, interests, etc.)?

Click or tap here to enter text.

**Submit the Application Package via e-mail to:** [**SAMEBuffaloScholarship@gmail.com**](mailto:SAMEBuffaloScholarship@gmail.com)

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