

Iowa Society DAR Scholarship  
Amelia Jenks Bloomer Scholarship

Iowa Society Daughters of the American Revolution provides two college scholarships for graduating high school students who plan to attend a U.S. Department of Education accredited school of post-secondary education. Each scholarship is in the amount of \$1000.

Criteria:

- Must be an American citizen and an Iowa resident and be of good character
- Plan on attending a U.S. Department of Education accredited school of post-secondary education
- Have a minimum grade point average of 3.0 based on a 4.0 scale
- Show merit and financial need
- Be recommended by the Chapter Regent; each ISDAR chapter is entitled to 1 nomination per scholarship
- Be received by January 12, 2024 to the Pilot Rock contact listed below



Applications are available from your school counselor or  
Sue Nielsen, DAR Scholarship Chair, Pilot Rock Chapter DAR  
[nielsensue@q.com](mailto:nielsensue@q.com) , 109 Russell Street, Storm Lake, IA 50588



## Iowa Society Daughters of the American Revolution Scholarship Application

Check one or both:  Amelia Jenks Bloomer Scholarship  ISDAR Scholarship

Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent address \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Name of parents/guardian \_\_\_\_\_

High school currently attending \_\_\_\_\_

High school address \_\_\_\_\_

H.S. graduation year \_\_\_\_\_ Class rank \_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_ G.P.A. \_\_\_\_ on a \_\_\_\_ scale

List other financial aid, grants, and/or scholarships you expect to receive. \_\_\_\_\_

### Attach the following:

- Two letters of personal reference, other than family, and an optional letter from the DAR chapter sponsor
- High school transcript, including courses completed through the 7<sup>th</sup> semester and ACT or SAT scores
- Paragraph describing your financial need (including tuition cost) or any extraordinary circumstances
- List of jobs, including summer employment held over the past three years and the average number of hours worked during the school year and during the summer
- Brief biographical sketch, not to exceed two typed single-spaced, one-sided pages including:
  - School activities and honors earned in grades 9-12
  - Volunteer projects and/or activities
  - Reasons for the selection of this particular college or university
  - Your intended course of studies and future career goals
- Do not submit a personal photograph. Scholarships are awarded without regard to race, religion, sex or national origin.

You must be sponsored by a local DAR chapter. A list of chapters can be found at <https://isdar.org/chapters.htm>

Sponsoring Chapter: Pilot Rock Chapter City: Cherokee

Chapter Scholarship Chair: Sue Nielsen Phone: (712) 732-2939

Email Address: nielsensue@q.com

Chapter Regent's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Completion of this application authorizes the Iowa Society Daughters of the American Revolution (ISDAR) to publish my name and photograph as a recipient of an ISDAR scholarship.

For minors only:

Parent or Guardian name \_\_\_\_\_ Parent or Guardian signature \_\_\_\_\_

Completed applications (all in one mailing) must be received by the Scholarship Chair by **February 1**. Email to [isdarscholarship@gmail.com](mailto:isdarscholarship@gmail.com) or via paper mail to:

Gail J. Bonath • DAR Scholarship Committee Chair • 1503 Main St • Grinnell, Iowa 50112-1427 • 641-990-6467

### Iowa Society Daughters of the American Revolution

Edith Harris Brunia • State Regent • 11179 Elk Horn St • Norwalk, IA 50211-9566 • 515-771-3024 • [edehhb@gmail.com](mailto:edehhb@gmail.com)

**Local Deadline: January 12, 2024**

**Return to: Sue Nielsen, 109 Russell Street, Storm Lake, IA 50588-2668**



## Iowa Society Daughters of the American Revolution Scholarship Application

ISDAR Scholarship Fund Regulations  
Recommendation Adopted by the Executive committee, March 21, 2001  
Amended April 23, 2022

I. OBJECT: This Scholarship Fund is intended to assist worthy young men and women to complete a higher education. They must be American citizens of good character and Iowa residents.

### II. ELIGIBILITY:

- The applicant must be planning to attend a U.S. Department of Education accredited school of post-secondary education.
- He or she must have a minimum of a 3.0 grade point average based on a 4.0 scale, or equivalent.
- The scholarship shall be awarded based upon merit and financial need.
- Each Chapter is entitled to ONE nomination for the Scholarship. The Chapter's nomination advances on to the State level for judging. (Only the ISDAR Scholarship recipients will be notified.)
- The Chapter Regent must sign the application form of the advancing entry. (The Chapter may include a letter of endorsement with the applicant's entry.)
- The Chapter's complete entry, including all required enclosures, must be postmarked no later than FEBRUARY 1. Please note, separate mailings will not be considered. No records will be returned.
- Payment contingent on receipt by the State Scholarship Chairman of first semester transcript from postsecondary institution.
- Should the scholarship winner fail to provide a first semester transcript within 90 days of completion of said semester, the scholarship shall be withdrawn and awarded to the next best eligible candidate.

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