

AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF AERONAUTICS AND ASTRONAUTICS

HAMPTON ROADS SECTION

"FUTURES IN AEROSPACE" SCHOLARSHIP

Applications Due: March 21, 2025

The "Futures in Aerospace" Scholarship is open to all high school seniors who intend to pursue a curriculum in engineering or the physical or applied sciences pertinent to aerospace. At least two \$4,000 scholarships will be awarded, and will be one-time, nonrenewable awards.

Eligibility:

An applicant must be either a dependent of a member of the Hampton Roads Section of the AIAA (irrespective of domicile), or a resident of the counties or cities comprising the AIAA Hampton Roads Section listed below:

- Eligible Counties: Accomack, Amelia, Brunswick, Charles City, Chesterfield, Cumberland, Dinwiddie, Gloucester, Goochland, Greenville, Hanover, Henrico, Isle of Wight, James City, King and Queen, King William, Lancaster, Lunenburg, Mathews, Mecklenburg, Middlesex, New Kent, Northampton, Northumberland, Nottoway, Powhatan, Prince Edward, Prince George, Southampton, Surry, Sussex and York;
- Eligible Cities: Chesapeake, Hampton, Newport News, Norfolk, Poquoson, Portsmouth, Richmond, Suffolk, Virginia Beach and Williamsburg

Application Material:

The Selection Committee will determine the winners of the scholarships on the basis of the following items:

- An essay, no more than 1200 words, on the proposed area of study in engineering, physical science, or applied science and its relation to aerospace. The motivation for the choice, any special interests, and expected accomplishments should be stated.
- Scholastic achievement as determined by high school grade point average (converted to a scale 0.0 to 4.0)
- A letter of recommendation by a high school faculty member with personal classroom knowledge of the applicant's abilities.
- Potential for leadership as indicated by the applicant's record of extracurricular activities.
- Optionally scores on the Scholastic Aptitude or other college entrance tests may be included

Application Procedure:

Complete the attached application form and submit with your essay, transcript, college entrance test scores, a letter of recommendation and list of extracurricular activities by **March 21, 2025**. Applications may be submitted via mail, email or via online webform. For online webform (requires google login) you may either submit the application and supporting documents as a pdf or jpg in one file or submit a weblink to your document as hosted on a cloud service such as Dropbox, Google Docs, etc. All correspondence must be postmarked or submitted online on or before this date. Be sure to use sufficient postage. You will receive an email confirmation after receipt and review to confirm a complete application by any of the above methods. Be sure to include a valid and legible email in your application. The winners will be notified by email in April 2025 and honored at the annual Awards Banquet of the AIAA Hampton Roads Section in May 2025.

Additional copies of this form can be downloaded from:

<https://engage.aiaa.org/hamptonroads/scholarships>



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Hampton Roads Section
"Futures In Aerospace" Scholarship Application Form - 2025

(Please Print Legibly)

NAME: _____
Last First Middle

ADDRESS: _____
Number and Street City State Zip

PHONE: _____ E-MAIL: _____

CELL: _____

ELIGIBILITY: (Check appropriate Box)

☐ Resident of Counties or Cities covered by AIAA HRS (Refer to the previous page)

☐ Dependent of a Member of AIAA HRS

Member Name and AIAA membership number _____

HIGH SCHOOL: _____ CLASS RANK: _____ of _____

GRADE POINT AVERAGE _____ (CONVERTED TO A 0.0 TO 4.0 SCALE)

SAT: MATH _____ READING/WRITING _____ ACT: _____ OTHER: _____

FACULTY MEMBER WRITING LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION: _____

INTENDED COLLEGE MAJOR: _____

SCHOOL PLANNING TO ATTEND: _____

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES: On a separate sheet please list club memberships, offices held, projects, awards, etc.

Date

Signature of Applicant

Applications may be submitted online at: <https://tinyurl.com/AIAAHRSScholarship2025> (online submission requires google login)

Applications and reference letters may also be emailed to: AIAA.HRS.Scholarship@gmail.com

If submitting by US mail, please return completed application with essay, transcript, college entrance test scores, and letter of recommendation (all in a single envelope – **please do not staple documents**) to:

AIAA HRS "Futures in Aerospace" Scholarship 2025

Attn: Jeffrey Flamm

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