



**SOCIETY OF AMERICAN MILITARY ENGINEERS (SAME) NASHVILLE POST (NP)  
SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM DETAILS -- 2026 - 2027 Academic Year**

**SAME Mission:** To promote and facilitate engineering support for national security by developing and enhancing relationships and competencies among uniformed services, public and private sector engineers, and related professionals.

**SAME Vision:** To be a premier global engineering organization leading the professional and personal growth of all members in support of military readiness and development of solutions to national security challenges.

**SAME Values:**

<b>Integrity:</b>	Unwavering commitment to always do what is right, regardless of consequences.
<b>Patriotism:</b>	Support our National ideals and take pride in our country.
<b>Public Service:</b>	Recognize the critical contribution that public servants play in supporting the economic and environmental needs of the Nation.
<b>National Security:</b>	Recognize the dedication of our National Security team comprised of uniform services, civil service and contractors in defending freedom.
<b>Technical Competence:</b>	Deliver high-quality solutions.
<b>Excellence:</b>	Strive for the highest standards of performance in all actions, both personal and professional.
<b>Environmental Stewardship:</b>	Preserve, protect, conserve and restore our National resources through sustainable development.

**SAME-NP Scholarship Purpose:** To encourage and assist qualified students who wish to pursue a college education in the field of engineering, architecture, mathematics, computer science, or related field so that they, in turn, might further the mission, vision, and values of SAME.

**Terms:** Scholarships are for academic year 2026 - 2027, and must be used for tuition, room, board, and/or other fees. The scholarship must be used during the 2026 - 2027 academic year for full-time students. Any excess must be returned to the Society of American Military Engineers Nashville Post.



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**Eligibility Requirements:**

1. Applicant must meet at least one of the following membership requirements:
  - a. A current member of the SAME Nashville Post (SAME-NP), or
  - b. Son/daughter, grandson/granddaughter, or under legal guardianship of an active or deceased member of the SAME-NP (where active member is defined as being a current member who has held membership for one continuous year or longer at the time of the application), or
  - d. Son/daughter, grandson/granddaughter, or under legal guardianship of an employee (or retired employee) of a current SAME-NP sustaining member firm or the Nashville U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, or
  - e. Employee of a current SAME-NP sustaining member firm or Nashville U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
2. Must have a minimum grade point average of a B.
3. Must be accepted by or attending an ABET accredited college or university studying engineering, or accredited college or university studying architecture, mathematics, computer science or related fields of study.

**Selection Criteria to be considered by SAME-NP scholarship committee:**

1. Graduating high school applicants: SAT or ACT test results. If scores are not available please explain why.
2. Grade point average.
3. Recommendation Letters.
4. Required major in engineering, architecture, mathematics, computer science or related field.
5. Evidence of serious scholastic attitude, good character, leadership qualities, and well-rounded personal development.
6. Preference to students with military aspirations as exemplified by enrollment in Officer Training program or previous military service.
7. Studies, volunteerism, activities, and work that represent SAME's mission, vision, and values.

**2026 Schedule:**

- March 1 – April 15: Applications accepted (submitted no later than April 15).
- May: Notification of awards to scholarship recipients.
- June/July: Distribution of scholarship funds (directly to college or university).

**Application:**

The application package including transcripts, two reference forms (submitted separately), and SAT/ACT results/or explanation why test not taken (if you are a H.S. senior) **must be complete and submitted electronically as a PDF by end of day on April 15, 2026,** for the application to be considered. Send completed application packages to:

**SAME Nashville Post Scholarship E-mail at [Brdlong5@gmail.com](mailto:Brdlong5@gmail.com)**



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**1. Applicant Name:**

Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial

**2. Applicant Contact Information:** NOTE: List contact info where SAME can reach you April - August 2026

Address Line 1	
Address Line 2	
City, State, Zip	
Phone Number: 123-456-7890	
Email: J.Q.Doe@email.com	

**3. Parent/Legal Guardian Name:** [Complete if using this individual's SAME affiliation to qualify for the scholarship and/or if the applicant is under the age of 18 years old.]

Parent/Legal Guardian Last Name	Parent/Legal Guardian First Name	Middle Initial
Address Line 1		
Address Line 2		
City, State, Zip		
Phone Number: 123-456-7890		
Email: J.Q.Doe@email.com		

**4. SAME Affiliation:**

Are you a SAME-Nashville Post (NP) member? Yes/No? If yes. Include your SAME member #.	
Is your parent/legal guardian or grandparent a member of SAME-NP? Yes/No? If yes, include their name and SAME member #.	
Are you, your parent/legal guardian or grandparent employed or retired from a SAME-NP Sustaining Member Company or Nashville Corps of Engineers? Yes/No? If yes, include member name and company name, address and phone number.	



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**5. High School Information:** Fill out this section only if you are a graduating senior in high school.  
 >>>>>If you are a graduating H.S. Senior: attach SAT and/or ACT or explanation of why test not taken  
 and H.S. transcripts to your application. <<<<<<

High School Name and Address	
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High School Year of Graduation	GPA (#.#, 4.0 scale)	Class Rank (#/class size)

SAT Reading/Writing Score	SAT Math Score	SAT Essay Score if you have one

ACT Composite Score	ACT State Rank (%, percentage)	ACT U.S. Rank (%, percentage)

Name of University you plan to attend	
Your proposed major	

**6. College/University Information:** Fill out this section if you have attended at least one semester of college.  
 >>>>> If you have attended at least one semester of college, include ALL transcripts from all colleges. <<<<<<

Current University/ College Name / Location	
Major	GPA (#.#, 4.0 scale)

**Previous college(s)/university(ies):** If you attended previous colleges or universities, complete this section.  
 Attach other pages as needed,

Previous University/ College Name and Location	
Major	Years Attended
GPA (#/#4.0, 4.0 scale)	

7. Are you enrolled full-time or part-time? If part-time how many credits do you plan to take? \_\_\_\_\_

8. What semesters do you plan to take? Fall, Spring, Summer. \_\_\_\_\_



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**9. Work Experience:** List your most recent paid employment positions in the past 2 years. If none, enter N/A.

Employer Name	Position Held	Start Date	End Date	Hrs (avg/wk)

**10. Community Volunteer:** List your 6 most recent without pay service/volunteer positions. If none, enter N/A.

Service/Volunteer Agency	Your Role/ Activity Description	Start Date	End Date	Total Hours

**11. Extracurricular:** List your 6 most recent club, sport, organization, society, activities in the past 4 years. If none, enter N/A.

Club, Sport, Organization Society, Activity, etc.	Position Held	Start Date	End Date



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**12. Academic Honors and Awards:** List your 6 most recent awards and honors in the past 5 years. If none, enter N/A.

Award/Honor Description	Date Award/Honor was Earned

**13. Military Affiliation:**

Are you a Veteran Yes/No?	
Do you have plans for active duty Military? Yes/No? If yes, briefly describe your plans?	
Were you or are you now a member of your H.S. ROTC unit? Yes/No/NA. (NA if there is no ROTC at your H.S.)	
Were you, are you now, or do you plan on becoming a member of your college ROTC unit? Yes/No/NA. (NA if there is no ROTC at your college.)	



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14. **ESSAY QUESTION** (in 250 words, or less, answer the following questions):

Explain one way that AI can be used to advance the mission of the Society of American Military Engineers?



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15. **References:** You must have two reference forms completed and returned with your application. The reference forms are located at the end of the application. The directions for references are as follows:

- Your references shall fill out the form, and submit the form, by the application deadline, as a PDF to the designated email.

16. **Bursar's Office:** List your Student I.D. number. This number will be included on the check to ensure funds are deposited into your account, not someone else with the same or similar name. List the Bursar's Office contact information for where the scholarships funds are to be disbursed, if you were to earn a scholarship:

Your Student ID Number	
Bursar's Office Contact Name	
College/Univ Name	
Bursar's Office Address Line 1	
Bursar's Office Address Line 2	
City, State, Zip	
Bursar's Office Phone Number ex.(123) 456-7890	
Bursar's Office Email ex. Jane.Doe@email.com	

17. **Your Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 I certify that all facts, statements and information provided in the application form are true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I authorize SAME-NP to verify eligibility requirements. I understand that any falsification or misrepresentation of information will render this application ineligible.

**Answers to the following questions do not influence the application review or selection process.**

a. Speaking to SAME Group: If you were to earn a scholarship, would you be willing to speak about your scholarship and what it means to you at a campus, Nashville, or national SAME meeting?

YES  NO

b. Press Release Info: If you were to earn a scholarship, would you be willing to, complete a press release form, or have your name printed on the SAME website?

YES  NO



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**>>>> Incomplete application packages will not be considered for the scholarship. <<<<<**

Application Checklist for graduating seniors:

1. Completed Application (complete and submit pages 3 - 8)
2. **Reference** form #1 submitted electronically by the deadline from your high school guidance counselor.
3. **Reference** form #2 submitted electronically by the deadline from your second reference. Second reference can be from a teacher, coach, or club sponsor.
4. SAT and/or ACT results
5. High School Transcripts

Application Checklist for current college students:

1. Completed Application (complete and submit pages 3 - 8)
2. **Reference** form #1 submitted electronically by the deadline from a current in-major professor, or in-major advisor.
3. **Reference** form #2 submitted electronically by the deadline from a past college professor, college coach, intern supervisor, or other college advisor.
4. All college transcripts, including Community college

**Application Submittal: ALL items in the application checklist, except references must be sent as one PDF to the email below by April 15, 2026. Both references must also be sent by that date separate from the application and directly from the reference.**

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**SAME Statement:** The applicant is applying for a Society of American Military Engineers Nashville Post (SAME-NP) scholarship. Please complete the following information and answer the questions regarding the applicant. Any additional information to assist the SAME-NP scholarship committee in the evaluation of the applicant's technical aptitude, character, leadership qualities, and personal development is welcome. The information submitted will be treated in the strictest confidence.

Applicant Name	
Reference Name	
Reference Title	
Reference Affiliation with Applicant	
Reference Phone Number Ex. (123) 456-7890	
Reference Email Ex. J.Q.Doe@place.edu	

Please check the rating for each characteristic:

Characteristic	1 poor	2	3 average	4	5 out-standing	N/A or Don't know
Scholastic Aptitude						
Personal Character						
Leadership Qualities						
Personal Development						
Community Service						

Please include additional comments about the applicant or rankings, separate letters are permitted.

Reference Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

>>> Email this completed form to the **SAME Nashville Post Scholarship E-mail at [Brdlong5@gmail.com](mailto:Brdlong5@gmail.com)** as a PDF no later than April 15, 2026. References must be received by the deadline of April 15, 2026. Late references will not be accepted. <<<