



# The Cost of Courage Foundation 2025 Gold Star Scholarship Application

\$1,000 Scholarship

**Deadline: October 1, 2025**

Nominee Information	
Date	
Name	
Date of Birth	
Address	
Phone Number	
E-Mail Address	
School	
If awarded the scholarship, what educational program would you pursue? (Please answer below)	
Service Member Information	
Name of Service Member/First Responder	
Relationship to Applicant	
Branch of Service/Agency/Dept	
Service Member's Rank	
KIA Date/End of Watch	
Please tell us about your loved one. You may provide a description of your loved one below.	
Parent / Legal Guardian Information (if applicant is under 18 years of age)	
Name of Parent / Legal Guardian	
Relationship to Nominee	
Address	
Phone Number	
E-Mail Address	

Signature of Parent / Legal Guardian	Date:
Please write a 500 word essay in response to the following question:	
surviving family member, how would this educational opportunity impact your	

**\*\* Please attach your 500 word essay to this application\*\***  
**You may send your application using either of the following methods:**

- 1) E-Mail: Send a PDF version of the application and your **typed** essay to  
kelly@thecostofcouragefoundation.org
- 2) Mail: Send a **typed** version of your essay along with your completed application to  
1315 Piedmont Road #32909, San Jose, CA 95132

The scholarship will be awarded in November 2025.



