

Cameron Scholarship

The Cameron Scholarship is a merit based scholarship for young men and women from the city of Wilmington NC, New Hanover County NC, and surrounding communities who wish to pursue their college education in a demanding academic and extracurricular environment. The scholarship is awarded on the basis of academic achievement, individual character, and demonstrated leadership potential.

military college. All 1500 students at the college are members of the cadet corps and participate in a rigorous program of academics and extracurricular pursuits. VMI offers the baccalaureate in 14 majors, 3 in engineering, 5 in sciences, and 6 in liberal arts. There is a detachment of the Reserve Officers Training Corps (ROTC) from the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps on campus, and all cadets participate in the ROTC branch of their choice. Although participation in ROTC is mandatory commissioning is not mandatory; approximately 50% of a graduating class receives a commission in the armed services. The additional 50% enter into a variety of professional careers or continue further academic pursuits at the graduate level.

The Cameron Scholarship has been established at VMI through the generosity of Bruce B. Cameron Jr., VMI Class of 1938, and the late Daniel D. Cameron, VMI Class of 1942.

Application Procedures

Students interested in applying must submit a complete application for admission to VMI in addition to the scholarship application found on the reverse of this page. To receive full consideration both applications must be submitted to the VMI Office of Admissions prior to 1 February.

A committee that consists, of but may not be limited to, members of the VMI admissions staff, faculty, coaches, and selected alumni will review applications for scholarship awards.

Scholarship Terms

Cameron Scholarships are awarded in various financial amounts depending on the competitiveness of the candid

Scholarships are renewable each year for four years subject to satisfactory academic and military performance by the cadet. Scholars are expected to maintain high academic and personal standards while striving to attain leadership positions in the Corps of Cadets.

Scholarship Application

Application for the _____ (Year) Scholarship

1. Full Name _____

2. Home Address _____

Telephone Number _____

3. Social Security Number _____ Age _____ Sex _____ Height _____ Weight _____

4. Choice of Major _____ ROTC Choice _____

5. Intercollegiate sports or extra-curricular activities in which you plan to participate _____

6. Are you a U.S. citizen? No — Country of citizenship? _____

Yes — State of legal residence? _____

If Virginia, name county _____ or city _____ of legal domicile.

7. Hometown Newspaper _____

8. Name, class, and relationship of relatives, if any, who have attended VMI:

9. I am applying for _____ I am applying for _____

10. Name of secondary school from which you will graduate or were graduated _____

Year of graduation _____ School Address _____

Estimated GPA _____ Rank and number in class _____

SAT/ACT scores: highest verbal _____ highest math _____ composite _____

List your senior year classes _____

11. Name of any colleges attended and dates of attendance: _____

Signature of applicant _____ Date _____

12. Supply a resume which lists achievements, activities, clubs, organizations, community service etc.

13. Essay: On a separate piece of paper write a brief essay (500 words or fewer) on one of the following topics:

1. _____ (_____)

2. _____ ?