

Dear Boys' State Delegate:

SUBJECT: Samsung American Legion Scholarship

If you are a direct descendant i.e. child, grandchild, great grandchild, etc. of a US wartime veteran and participate in The American Legion Boys State program, then you are eligible to apply for the Samsung American Legion Scholarship.

The Samsung American Legion Scholarship application may be found on The American Legion's website at [www.legion.org](http://www.legion.org). Under "Useful Links" click on "Scholarship Information." If you do not have access to a computer for downloading, please contact Department Headquarters at 919-832-7506 and one will be mailed to you. **Be aware this must be typewritten.** Please see additional tips on reverse of this letter.

If eligible, complete the application, attach the required veteran's Certificate of Release or Discharge From Active Duty (Form DD-214) or other government document showing time served on active military duty and **submit your application to your counselor at registration upon arrival at Catawba College for the Boys' State Program on June 22, 2008. Applications will not be accepted before Boys' State registration or after Boys' State registration, June 22, 2008. Please DO NOT mail your Samsung application with your Boys' State application.**

If you need assistance in obtaining a copy of the veteran's DD-214, call the Veterans Administration at 1-800-827-1000 or check with you county register of deeds office. The government website for applying for DD-214 online is: as follows: [www.archives.gov/research\\_room/vetrecs/](http://www.archives.gov/research_room/vetrecs/). You may also obtain a list of allowable documents for the purpose of establishing honorable active duty service on the Internet at [www.cem.va.gov/dischdocs.htm](http://www.cem.va.gov/dischdocs.htm).

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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Tar Heel Boys' State Director