

BOYS STATE PRE-SESSION NEWSLETTER: SAMSUNG & EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S SCHOLARSHIP



At Boys State of Kansas there are two opportunities for stater's to earn scholarships based on their attendance. The two scholarships offered are the Samsung American Legion Scholarship and the Executive Directors Scholarship.

Samsung American Legion Scholarship - Deadline to apply is May 31

This scholarship is only eligible to Boys State attendees and it is limited to students between their junior and senior years of high school who attend the current session and are a direct descendant (i.e. child, grandchild, great grandchild, etc.) of a wartime U.S. military veteran who served on active duty during at least of the period of war officially designated as eligibility dates for American Legion Membership. Stepchildren and legally adopted children are considered direct descendants.

- Ten National Scholars receive \$10,000 each (two from each region)
- Ten National Runners-Up receive \$5,000 each (two from each region)
- Remaining Department Finalists receive \$1,250 each guaranteed.

Executive Directors Scholarship

Kansas Boys State offers a \$1,000 award to students who participated in the program and demonstrated exceptional understanding of its principles. The scholarship is designed to recognize students who are committed to applying the knowledge and leadership skills gained from their week at Boys State in their schools and communities.

To apply, candidates must submit a 500-word essay discussing the impact of their experience at Boys State and how they plan to use the knowledge and skills learned during their week to benefit their school and community. In addition, a recommendation from a Boys State Staff Member is required for this application in addition to participating in the program.

- Application Deadline: June 30
- Recipient Announcement: July 31



For all scholarship information visit: <https://ksbstate.org/scholarships/>

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