



Application Preparation Acknowledgment Form

Welcome! Thank you for your interest in joining the DAR. Before we get started with assisting you in the application process, there are a few things you need to know.

- ★ There are costs associated with joining the DAR.
 - An application fee of \$75.00 must accompany each application. This fee is non-refundable.
 - National, state and chapter dues, which are refundable, will also be collected initially and applied to your first year of membership once your application is verified. Annual national dues are \$42.00. State and chapter dues vary by location.
 - DAR standards may require copies of government-issued vital records be provided to document your lineage. There may be fees associated with requests for these documents from state or local government agencies.
- ★ The process begins with you. You will need to fully document the first three generations.
 - You will be asked to provide primary source documentation which includes your full name, date and place of birth, and the names of your parents (a birth certificate is acceptable). If you are married, you may be asked to provide the same documentation for your spouse, along with your marriage certificate.
 - You will need to provide complete primary source documentation for your parents, which will be generation 2 of your application.
 - You will need to provide complete primary source documentation for your grandparents, which will be generation 3 on your application.
- ★ Accurately documenting lineage isn't always easy. Sometimes it can be very difficult.
 - DAR volunteers will assist you in joining through the patriot with the easiest provable lineage. In cases where a lineage or patriot cannot be verified, you agree to use an alternate patriot for membership in DAR. If recommended, you will be asked to notify the verifying genealogist by email that you agree to the substitution.
 - By signing below, you grant permission for your personal lineage information to be shared with DAR volunteers for the sole purpose of documenting your lineage to a patriot of the American Revolution.

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