

## Virginia Sports Information Directors (VaSID) Rich Murray Journalism Scholarship 2016-17 Application

The Rich Murray Journalism Scholarship is presented annually to a graduating Virginia high school student who excels in the area of sports journalism and must be pursuing a college degree in journalism, communication, video, media or a related field with intentions of pursuing a career in sports. Please fill in the application form as complete as possible and be sure to include the requested attachments. Please type directly in this document or print and scan. Email all requested documents to VaSID representative Kevin Warner ([warnerka@jmu.edu](mailto:warnerka@jmu.edu)) no later than March 31, 2017.

### Personal Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' Names \_\_\_\_\_

### College Information

College/University to Attend \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Though not required, preference given to applicants attending a college or university in Virginia)*

Intended College Major \_\_\_\_\_

Career Aspirations \_\_\_\_\_

### High School Experience and Activities

HS Cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

Journalism Experience \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Other Extra-Curricular Activities \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Community/Volunteer Activities \_\_\_\_\_

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Other Awards/Honors/Leadership Positions \_\_\_\_\_

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### Please include the following as attachments:

- Brief statement (one page maximum) why student is interested in journalism and/or communication
- At least one sample of journalistic work
- At least one letter of recommendation (teacher, guidance counselor, principal, coach, etc.)

**Deadline:** March 31, 2017. Email to Kevin Warner ([warnerka@jmu.edu](mailto:warnerka@jmu.edu)).