



THE CONGRESSIONAL AWARD MILITARY YOUTH WEBINAR

Frequently Asked Questions:

Can I count the service I do on base or at school?

- Yes! Service goals you achieve on your military base, DoDEA or public school are allowed. To count for the Voluntary Public Service area, the activity should be open and benefit the base community as a whole.

What happens if I change my address or advisor?

- A significant benefit of the program is the independence and flexibility. Your advisor does not have to be in the same location. If you change your address or advisor along the way, the national office can easily update your information.

What happens if I move before I completed a goal?

- The Award lets participants take their journey with them wherever they go. If you move, you can either continue your previous goals and find a new activity validator, or start a new goal entirely. If you are moving, taking a short break from goals is allowed.

Can I participate in earning the Congressional Award if I live abroad?

- Yes! Military youth who live abroad are encouraged to take the challenge and earn the Award. The Congressional Award is able to mail materials abroad and you can register with your APO or other military-connected address. If you live abroad, please select the "South" as your region when registering.

Contact the Award:

If you have any questions, please email information@congressionalaward.org or the Military Program Manager, Katie McCool, at mccool@congressionalaward.org.

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