

BENEFITS OF USING A COMMUNITY FOUNDATION:

Optimum Investment Return - CCME's Scholarship Endowment Fund has the advantage of being invested in a larger pool of assets that can lead to greater growth, greater income, and lower investment fees. Our investment objective is to maximize total return while minimizing risk.

Planned Giving - CCME's regular members can leave a bequest through the Knox County Community Foundation to benefit the scholarship fund forever. The Community Foundation can facilitate even the most complex planned gifts or gifts of appreciated stock or real estate.

Stable Income - All gifts to the CCME Scholarship Endowment Fund are designated for awarding scholarships from the annual income of the endowment.

Decreased Administrative Burden - The Community Foundation handles investment management and administrative responsibilities related to the endowment so that CCME members' efforts are concentrated on fulfilling our mission.

Tax Benefits - All gifts to the CCME Scholarship Endowment Fund are tax-deductible at the highest levels allowed by law.



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Serving the Military Education Community



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*CCME provides a
forum to improve the
educational opportunities for
the military community.*

WHY THIS ENDOWMENT IS IMPORTANT:

The **CCME Scholarship Endowment Fund** is a safe and simple way for our organization to establish an ongoing scholarship fund. Our donors can be sure that the endowed fund's principal will not be spent and can grow over time, providing a source of lasting support.

The Knox County Community Foundation's economies of scale provide our organization the benefits of a diverse investment portfolio and low investment fees that typically come only with very large funds.

In keeping with our mission to provide educational opportunities for the military community, this fund will ensure that we will be able to continue to provide additional scholarships for service members & their spouses into the future.

HOW IT WORKS:

Contributions will come into the fund in 2 ways:

- ◆ A portion of your membership dues will be deposited into the fund each year.
- ◆ Corporate, Institution, & Individual CCME members may choose to make contributions at any time throughout the year. These gifts may be given in honor or in memory of individuals or organizations.

Your gift is placed in an endowment fund that is invested over time. Earnings from the fund are used as a permanent resource to help us provide the scholarships for service members & their spouses.

CCME receives semiannual reports of personalized account information to help track the growth of the endowment.

Gift acknowledgment is handled by the Foundation with notification of gift receipt sent to CCME for information purposes.

The Community Foundation handles all the administrative details — including investment management.

Council of College and Military Educators

The Council of College and Military Educators (CCME) is a global organization whose mission is to be a bridge facilitating communication between the military community and educational institutions.

Founded in 1982, CCME promotes and encourages the delivery of quality education to all service members.

CCME SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT FUND

Detach and Mail with Check Payable to Knox County Community Foundation, P.O. Box 273, Vincennes, Indiana 47591

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