

During the presentation of the Daedalian JROTC Achievement Award the following should be read:

“THE ORDER OF DAEDALIANS IS A FRATERNITY OF COMMISSIONED MILITARY AVIATORS FROM ALL MILITARY SERVICES. IT IS NAMED AFTER THE LEGENDARY FIGURE, DAEDALUS, AND WAS ORGANIZED BY WORLD WAR I COMMISSIONED MILITARY PILOTS WHO SOUGHT TO PERPETUATE THE SPIRIT OF PATRIOTISM, LOVE OF COUNTRY AND THOSE HIGH IDEALS OF SELF-SACRIFICE WHICH PLACE SERVICE TO THE NATION ABOVE PERSONAL SAFETY AND POSITION. THIS AWARD IS OFFERED TO ENCOURAGE THE DEVELOPMENT OF THESE TRAITS IN JUNIOR ROTC CADETS.”

The certificate and/or medal is awarded to an outstanding cadet from the second year in a three-year program or from the third year in a four-year program who:

- Has demonstrated patriotism, love of country and service to our nation.
- Has indicated the potential and desire to pursue a military career.
- Ranks in the upper ten percent of his or her JROTC class.
- Ranks in the upper twenty percent of his or her high school class.