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**RECOGNIZING THOSE WHO FIGHT  
AND WIN BATTLES EVERY DAY**

YOUR GUIDE TO BECOMING A SEMPER FIDELIS ALL-AMERICAN



# TAKE WHAT'S INSIDE TO THE NEXT LEVEL

- SHOW US YOUR *FIGHTING SPIRIT*
- APPLY TO BE SELECTED AS ONE OF THE *ELITE*
- EARN THE TITLE *SEMPER FIDELIS ALL-AMERICAN*
- ATTEND THE *BATTLES WON ACADEMY* IN WASHINGTON, D.C.



**SHOW US YOUR  
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Life is a battle. It takes an uncompromising will to achieve, an unwavering commitment to win and a relentless determination to improve the lives of others. In the Marine Corps, we call it the fighting spirit. For you, the daily battles to excel in academics, athletics, and in bettering your community, are all stepping stones to who you'll become.

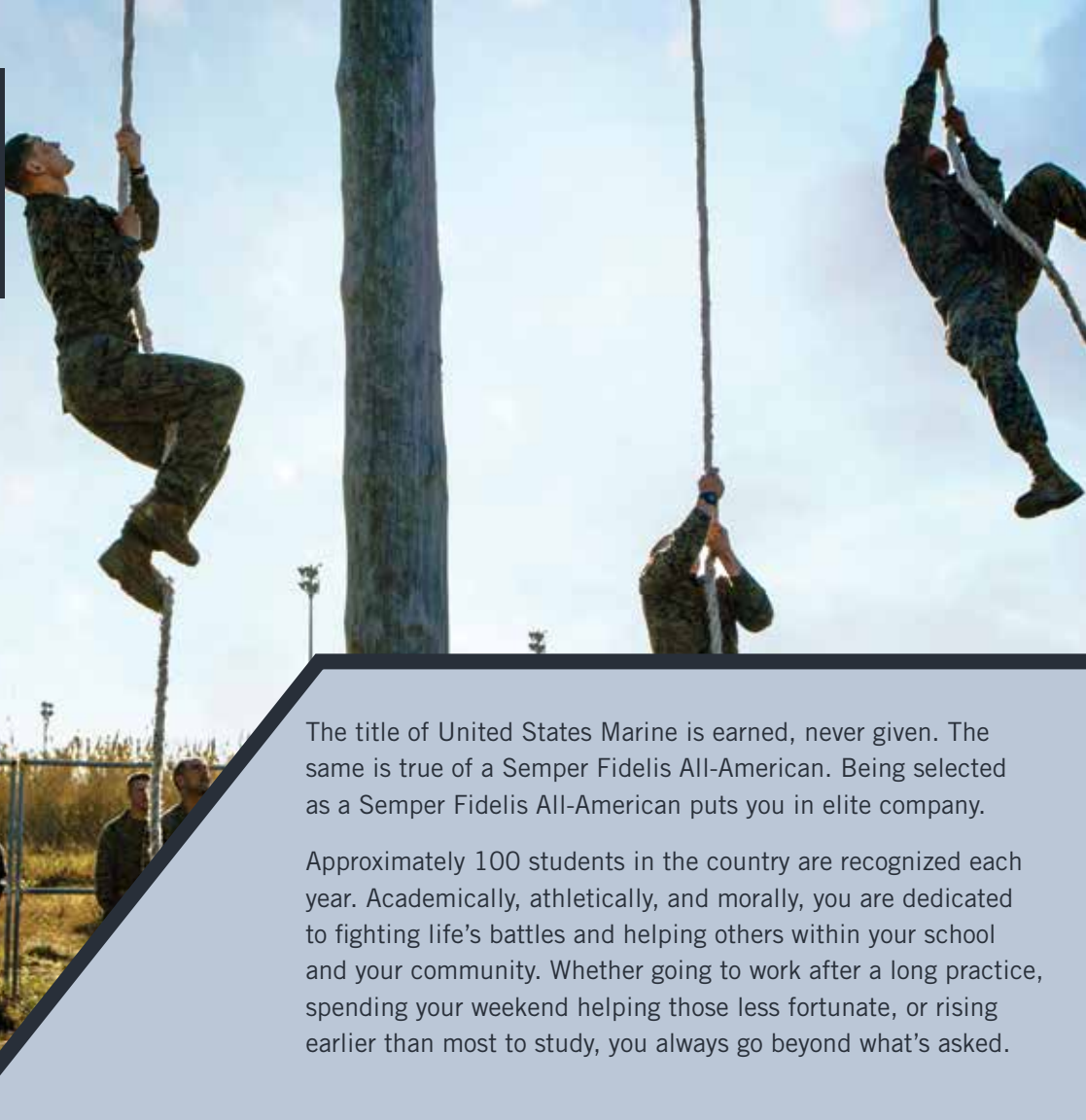
**EARN THE TITLE OF  
SEMPER FIDELIS  
ALL-AMERICAN**



This program is for those who have dedicated themselves to succeeding in every aspect of life. They have turned obstacles into victories through drive and passion.

Marines recognize that every battle won is a marker for future success. The United States Marine Corps is proud to bestow this most prestigious award upon students deemed worthy of the title Semper Fidelis All-American.

## WHAT IT MEANS TO BE A SEMPER FIDELIS ALL-AMERICAN



The title of United States Marine is earned, never given. The same is true of a Semper Fidelis All-American. Being selected as a Semper Fidelis All-American puts you in elite company.

Approximately 100 students in the country are recognized each year. Academically, athletically, and morally, you are dedicated to fighting life's battles and helping others within your school and your community. Whether going to work after a long practice, spending your weekend helping those less fortunate, or rising earlier than most to study, you always go beyond what's asked.

## THE BATTLES WON ACADEMY

Those selected as Semper Fidelis All-Americans will attend the exclusive Battles Won Academy, a 2-3 day celebration of the American Spirit, recognizing the achievements of those who commit themselves to fighting battles worth winning in today's society. You will travel to Washington, D.C. to network with an elite circle of leaders from all walks of life who will share their inspiring stories of fighting and winning battles in their own lives. This unique occasion celebrates those who represent the future of our country and our world. As you are approaching your final year in high school, it is important to make it count. The Semper Fidelis All-American Program and Battles Won Academy can give you the tools to finish your high school career strongly. Push yourself further and be recognized for your success.

As you fight and win battles everyday, you don't do it alone. You have mentors who help you along the way by pushing you to be better and strive for excellence. We want to recognize them as well. So, to celebrate the importance of building a support system to enable the success of the next generation, each All-American recipient will be able to bring a mentor to the event.





## REQUIREMENTS

Students chosen as Semper Fidelis All-Americans must first meet these minimum requirements:

- Be a Junior in High School
- Have GPA of at least a 3.5
- Be active in community service
- Play a competitive team sport for your school
- Hold a student or community leadership position
- Secure a recommendation from a teacher, coach, community leader, etc.



MEET THE NEXT  
CHALLENGE

If you have the fighting spirit of a Semper Fidelis All-American, no battle is too large for you to overcome.

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