THE VIRGINIA SHE SERVED BUSINESS BUILDER INITIATIVE APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

The VS2B2 Initiative is only for qualified participants (see qualification requirements page). Applications from other nonqualified individuals will not be considered.

- 1. Check if you qualify on the VS2B2 qualification requirements page.
- 2. Download the application from the VS2B2 webpage.
- 3. Once you complete the application, save it as follows "VS2B2 Application FIRSTLAST".
- 4. If you do not own a business, you are required to submit an essay with your application.
- 5. Download the essay questions form from the VS2B2 website.
- 6. Once you complete the essay application, save it as follows "VS2B2 Essay Application FIRSTLAST".
- 7. Email the application and the essay (if required) to <u>vetsupport@sbsd.virginia.gov</u>.

If you qualify but need help with documentation, send an email with a summary of the issue at vetsupport@sbsd.virginia.gov.

Once all applications are reviewed, those selected will receive an "Accepted into the VS2B2 Initiative" email with additional instructions regarding next steps. Those not selected will receive a "Not Accepted into the VS2B2 Initiative" email.