Appendix C

2018-2019

New Jersey State Scholarship Application
NEW JERSEY DECA STATE SCHOLARSHIP

The State Association of New Jersey DECA has instituted educational to be awarded to any high school senior (graduating) member of New Jersey DECA. The amounts awarded are $1,500 (the Loris Lorenzi Scholarship), $1,000 (the Val Durkacz Scholarship), and $500 (NJ DECA Foundation Scholarship). The purpose is to help further the education of worthy members of New Jersey DECA in any accredited two year or four-year institution (including students who enter the US Armed Forces) in marketing, management, hospitality, finance or entrepreneurship, or to prepare for careers in the teaching of marketing or business education. However, students need not apply to college as Marketing Education majors.

Applicants who are first year DECA students do not qualify to apply for these scholarships. DECA students will be considered if they have demonstrated a deep commitment to the organization during their time as a member.

State officers may not apply for any state or District scholarships.

The scholarship is awarded based on need, participation in DECA and other activities, and character. In addition, each applicant is required to submit an essay. Applications and supporting materials will be reviewed and rated by a committee established by the New Jersey DECA State Advisor. If there is missing or incomplete information you will NOT be considered for the scholarship(s).

There is a maximum limit of 2 eligible students that may apply for the scholarship from any local New Jersey DECA Chapter. Send all applications and required materials by January 13, 2018 (received in NJ DECA State Office) to:

New Jersey DECA State Advisor
Kean University
Willis Hall Office 402B
1000 Morris Avenue
PO Box 411
Union, New Jersey 07083-0411

Late entries will not be considered.

Note: It is the responsibility of the scholarship winner to notify, in writing to the New Jersey DECA State Advisor, the legal name and address where the scholarship is to be sent, provide a current W-9 form and the social security number of the winner. The scholarship check will be sent directly to the student at their home address. A letter will be given to each scholarship recipient at the state career development conference detailing the required information and deadline date. The scholarship will be awarded when the state DECA office receives the recipient’s post-secondary first semester grades in the form of an official sealed transcript. Checks will not be released unless both a signed and complete W-9 form and an official sealed transcript have been submitted.
NEW JERSEY DECA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Academic Year: 2018-2019  Date of Application: ________________

Please read the application carefully. Answer all questions on the application. All of the information given in the application, including academic performance records, is strictly confidential.

Please Type:

Applicant’s Name ________________________________________________

Address _______________________________________________________

______________________________________________________________

Phone: (____) _________________________________________________

Date of Birth: __________________________________________________

School: ____________________________________________________________________

Graduation Date: ____________________________________________________________________

Marketing & Business Education Information

What business and/or marketing courses are you enrolled in: __________________________

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Employment or positions held while enrolled in the Marketing/Business Education program (include school store employment):

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College or Institutions where student has applied:

First Choice __________________________ Accepted ___ Rejected ___ No Reply Yet _________

Second Choice ________________________ Accepted ___ Rejected ___ No Reply Yet _________

Third Choice _________________________ Accepted ___ Rejected ___ No Reply Yet _________

Prospective Major ______________________ Expected Course Duration __________
SCHOLARSHIP AND FINANCIAL AID APPLIED FOR:
List all other scholarships applied for and indicate if received:
1. 
2. 
3. 
4. 

DECA Information
Name of Chapter: 
Number of years in DECA: _____ *Applicant must be a Senior and been a member for at least 2 years
Offices held in DECA: 

List the DECA activities in which you have been involved:
1. 
2. 
3. 
4. 
5. 
6. 
(You may give more details on a separate sheet.)

DECA Competitions
List the areas in which you have entered in competition.
1. 
2. 
3. 
4. 
5. 
6. 
(You may give more details on a separate sheet.)

DECA Awards and Honors
1. 
2. 
3. 
4. 
5. 
6. 
(You may give more details on a separate sheet.)

Other activities (school, church or social)
1. 
2. 
3. 
4. 
(You may give more details on a separate sheet.)
Offices held in these organizations:  

I attest that all the information in this application is true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Applicant ___________________________ Date ______________________

Signature of Parent/Guardian ______________________ Date ______________________

Signature of School Administrator ____________________ Title ___________________

CHARACTER & BACKUP INFORMATION -
There are Two Parts to the Evaluation on Character:

1. An essay that covers the following points:
   • Explanation of college and career choice
   • Indication of your need for this scholarship.
   • Your interests, hobbies, abilities, etc.
   • How you feel DECA activities have helped you.
   • Anything else of interest about yourself that may support your application.

2. Letters of recommendation from your DECA Advisor and two of the following sources:
a) Guidance Counselor
b) Teacher, other than another DECA Advisor
c) High School Administrator

The Screening Committee relies completely on the application and the materials provided in the application packet. A parent or guardian as well as a school administrator must sign this application, after reading it, to verify that all information is true to the best of their knowledge.