MASSACHUSETTS DECA SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

- \$2000 worth of MA DECA scholarships will be awarded.
- State awards will be recognized at the State Career Development Conference.
- Deadline for application is February 7, 2024.
- Save your application and supporting documentation as a pdf and email to dmcfadden@bhcc.edu

Any active member of the High School Division of MASS-DECA who intends to pursue a full-time (2-year or 4-year) course of study in marketing, management, hospitality, entrepreneurship, finance, retailing, or marketing education and shows evidence of scholastic ability is eligible to apply. The applicant may select any accredited post-secondary institution or four-year college offering majors in finance, hospitality, marketing, management, and/or entrepreneurship.

The following item:	s must be included in your application:
1.	Application form (complete in every detail).
2.	Official transcript of high school grades.
3.	Evidence of financial need. (The applicant will provide
	adequate expense and income information.)
4.	Three letters of recommendation.
5.	Any supplemental information that you believe would be
	useful to the Scholarship Selection Committee.
	(Documentation of DECA participation and accomplishments.)

The completed application form and the necessary substantiating information will be submitted to the local DECA Chapter Advisor for approval and emailed to the State DECA Advisor. The State DECA Scholarship Selection Committee is composed of business partners and retired advisors. The committee will rank the applications in order of merit. Applications and all supporting data must be received by your State Advisor by February 7.

Awards will be paid directly to the college or school in January of the following year. A copy of your first term grades verifying your major must be received at the MASS-DECA office before the award will be paid. Awards not used/claimed within one (1) year of the date awarded will revert to MASS-DECA.

Amount: \$1000

MASS DECA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Please print neatly or type.	

NAME:

HOME ADDRESS: (Include street, city, zip)

Request for school year:

DATE OF BIRTH:

DATE OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION:

ARE YOU LIVING WITH YOUR PARENTS? WITH A GUARDIAN? OTHER (explain):

NUMBER OF MEMBERS IN HOUSEHOLD:

COMBINED INCOME RANGE OF PARENTS/GUARDIANS:(circle one)

\$0-9,999	\$10,000-\$19,999	\$20,000-29,999
\$30,000-39,999	\$40,000-49,999	\$50,000-59,999
\$60,000-69,999	\$70,000-79,999	\$80,000-89.999

\$90,000-\$99,999 \$100,000 or higher

NAME OF DECA CHAPTER:

NAME OF DECA CHAPTER ADVISOR:

INCLUSIVE YEARS IN DECA:

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Student's estimated college budget:

Resources

Personal savings:	\$
Earnings during vacations/summer:	\$
Part-time earnings during school year:	\$
Aid from parent/guardian/other relatives	\$
scholarships/other awards	\$
Loans/grants	\$
other benefits/sources of income	\$
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$
<u>Costs</u>	
College fees and tuition	\$
Books, instructional materials etc.	\$
Room/Board	\$
Clothing, commuter fares, lunches	\$
Personal expenses	\$
Other(specify)	\$
TOTAL COSTS	\$

I certify that the information given on this application is correct. Should I be awarded a MASS-DECA scholarship I agree to give strict attention to my studies and regulations of the college. If I should fail to maintain my academic record, change my coursework from marketing, merchandising and/or management, or willfully violate college regulations, I agree to surrender all rights of ownership to the unused portion of the scholarship.

DATE

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

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If needed, please use a separate sheet for the following:

A)	DECA ACTIVITIES: offices held, committees, honors, conferences attended, etc.
B)	How do you plan to continue your involvement in DECA after graduating?
C)	Explain your current/past involvement with other student, social, civil, school, or religious groups or organizations.
D)	What is the name and address of the college you plan to attend? Also include an explanation of your admission status. Have you applied? Have you been accepted?
E)	Explain your career objective(s).
F)	How has DECA helped you in attaining your career objectives?