DTSA Application Number **A15** -

2015 Decatur Township Scholarship Association (DTSA) – ALUMNI APPLICATION

*Formally Decatur Township Dollars for Scholars*

This application is an **ALUMNI** APPLICATION – For a Graduate from a Metropolitan School District of Decatur Township High School who is applying to be or who currently is a full time undergraduate College or Vocational/Technical (Vo-Tech) Student who has **NOT** previously received a DTSA or a Dollars for Scholars (DTDFS)Scholarship.

**Please note:** If you are a High School Senior or if you have already received a Scholarship from DTDFS or DTSA this is **NOT** the correct application. The Honor or Renewal Scholarships should be used.

**Please enter application information in highlighted fields on all pages.**

**Handwritten copies will not be accepted.**

**Be sure to save a copy, print and sign before forwarding to the address below.**

AGREEMENT: (**Void without required signature**)

In submitting this application, I certify that the information provided is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. Falsification of information may result in termination of any scholarship granted.

I understand that I am eligible to apply for an alumni scholarship, as long as I maintain a **2.75** (out of 4.0), and am doing undergraduate work as a full time student or I am applying for undergraduate Studies.

I agree to attach to this application in an envelope a **wallet sized photo**, which I agree to allow DTSA to use for publicity purposes. Do not submit a copyrighted photo unless permission has been granted from the photographer to reproduce the image.

I understand that I will be notified, when selections have been made, prior to the Decatur Township Scholarship Association Afternoon of Recognition to be held on Sunday, May 17, 2015, which **I agree to attend** or send a representative, if I am granted an award.

I understand that scholarship recipients will be posted on the MSD Decatur Township website at <http://tinyurl.com/DecTwpSA> on or about April 17, 2015.

I understand checks not cashed within 90 days will be forfeited and returned to the general fund, unless prior arrangements are made. Special exceptions will be given under unusual circumstances such as being called back into active military service. Those not continuing in school the second semester as full time undergraduate or vocational students forfeit the remainder of their scholarship.

If I change schools, it is my responsibility to notify the Treasurer of DTSA.

Applicant’s Full Name:

Applicant’s Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

CHECKLIST:

[ ]  All sections of application filled out completely then printed.

[ ]  Application agreement (above) signed by applicant.

[ ]  Small photo included for publicity purposes, including Afternoon of Recognition Presentation.

[ ]  If attending school, need to have an **ORIGINAL TRANSCRIPT** - Report Card, photocopies or online copies are **NOT** acceptable. If you have a problem obtaining an original transcript in time, call 317-856-6327 Awards Selection Chair Sandy Owens.

[ ]  Return application to DCHS by the END of the SCHOOL DAY, **February 13, 2015.** If no school on

Feb. 13th, by the end of the next school day. Mail to: Decatur Township Scholarship Association, 5251 Kentucky Avenue, Indianapolis, IN 46221.

[ ]  Applicant may view a list of applications received online: **http://tinyurl.com/DecTwpSA** or call 317-856-6327 to verify application has been received.

[ ]  Call 317-856-6327 if you have any questions.

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**APPLICANT DATA SECTION** (Section not scored – **0** points)

Last Name       First Name       MI

*Permanent Street Address of Applicant*

City       State       Zip Code

Telephone       Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)       Male/Female

Ethnicity [ ]  Amer. Indian/Alaska Native [ ]  Black/African Amer. [ ]  Asian [ ]  Hispanic/Latino

 [ ]  White/Caucasian [ ]  Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander [ ]  Multi-Racial [ ]  Other

*Current School Address of* ***Applicant***

(If NOT the same as permanent address above – THIS IS NOT THE SCHOOL ADDRESS)

City       State       Zip Code

Current School Telephone       E-mail Address at school

Names of Parents/Guardians

*(Use names you wish read at the scholarship presentation, or printed for public relation purposes.)*

*Permanent Address of Parent/Guardian*

City       State       Zip Code

Telephone of parent/guardian       Parent/Guardian E-Mail Address

**SCHOOL DATA SECTION** (Section not scored – 0 points)

High School Attended       Year and Month of High School Graduation

Post-Secondary School the applicant is requesting

Address of Post-Secondary School

City       State       Zip Code

Major Field of study       Anticipated year and month of post-secondary graduation

Type: [ ]  4-Year College/University [ ]  Vo-Tech [ ]  2 Yr Jr College [ ]  Other

Student Enrolled: [ ]  Full-time student

Class Standing Next Year: [ ]  Freshman [ ]  Sophomore [ ]  Junior [ ]  Senior

List the Teacher, Administrator, Coach, Mentor or Adult (Other than a relative) and the position they have held, who has been most influential in your academic achievement.

**PRESENTATION SECTION** (Section not scored – **0** points)

Check **ALL** schools that you’ve attended in Decatur Township.

[ ]  Lynwood [ ]  Stephen Decatur [ ]  Valley Mills [ ]  West Newton [ ]  ECC/Liberty Early Elem

[ ]  DILC Gold [ ]  DILC Blue [ ]  DMS [ ]  Decatur Discovery Academy [ ]  Decatur Enrichment Center

DCHS Communities: [ ]  Choice [ ]  EDGE [ ]  ICE [ ]  Quest & Inquiry [ ]  New Tech

Give a statement of your plans as they relate to your career objectives and future goals.

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**PERSONAL DATA SECTION** (**Section worth 65 points**)

**WORK EXPERIENCE SECTION** (**Section worth 20 of 65 points**)

College or Vocational-technical students describe your work experiences during the **past 2 years.** Indicate dates of employment in each job and approximate number of hours worked each month. If you started work prior to two years ago, use a start date of two years ago.

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| **Position** | **Date From (mo/yr)** | **Date To (mo/yr)** | **Total # of Months Worked** | **Average Hours Worked per Month** |
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**SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT SECTION** (**Section worth 30 of 65 points**)

College or vocational-technical school students list all school activities and all community activities in which you have participated without pay during the **past 2 years** (e.g., student government, music, sports, Red Cross, church work, 4-H, other volunteer work, etc.) Indicate years of participation (out of past 2 years). Indicate all special awards, honors or offices held.

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| **Activities** | **2013-2014** | **2014-2015** | **Special Awards, Honors, Officers** |
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**DTSA INVOLVEMENT SECTION** (**Section worth 5 of 65 points**)

College or vocational-technical school students list all activities with DTSA or Decatur Township Dollars for Scholars in which you have participated during the **past 2 years.** Indicate years of participation.

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| **Activity** | **2013-2014** | **2014-2015** | **Activity** | **2013-2014** | **2014-2015** |
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**UNUSUAL CIRCUMSTANCES SECTION** (**Section worth 10 of 65 points**)

Please report any unusual family or personal circumstances you feel warrant attention.

**COLLEGE or VO-TECH SCHOLASTIC PERFORMANCE SECTION** (**Section worth 120 points**)

Students currently enrolled in a college or vocational-technical school must include the most recent college or vo-tech original transcript of grades. **Report cards, photocopies, or online copies of transcripts are not acceptable.** If an up-to-date transcript is not yet available from your college or vocational-technical school, please attach a note of when the transcript will be available and submit the transcript as soon as possible.

Applicant has a **cumulative** grade point average       /4.0 scale, after       semesters,

**Which is verified by the attached original transcript.**

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# OR

**HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLASTIC PERFORMANCE SECTION** (**Section worth 80 of 120 points**)

If applicant has never been enrolled in college or vocational-technical school, do not submit a transcript;

**rather the High School Counselor will complete the following information.**

Applicant ranks       in a class of     . Cumulative grade point average       / 4.0 scale.

**HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE** (**Section worth 40 of 120 points**)

PSAT Verbal       Math

SAT Verbal       Math       Writing

ACT English       Math

***Be sure to complete all pages of the application.***

***You must enter all data before printing.***

***Be sure to save a copy, print and sign then forward to address on front page.***