**2015Decatur Township Scholarship Association (DTSA) *– RENEWAL APPLICATION***

DTSA Application Number **R15** -

*Formerly Decatur Township Dollars for Scholars*

This application is a **RENEWAL** APPLICATION – For a full time undergraduate College or Vocational/Technical (Vo-Tech) student. Students who have previously received a DTSA or Decatur Township Dollars for Scholars (DTDFS) Scholarship**. Please note:** If you are a High School Senior or if you graduated from high school but did NOT receive a Scholarship from DTSA or DTDFS this is **NOT** the correct application. The Alumni or Honor Scholarship must 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 accurate 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 a renewal scholarship, as long as I maintain a **2.75** (out of 4.0), and am doing undergraduate work as a full time student.

I agree to attach to this application in an envelope a **wallet sized photo**, which I agree to allow the 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 DTSA 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 completed online then printed or legible if done by hand.

[ ]  Application agreement (above) signed by applicant.

[ ]  Small photo included for publicity purposes.

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

[ ]  Return application by the END of the SCHOOL DAY, **February 13, 2015.** If no school on Feb13th, 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.

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

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

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Last Name       First Name       MI       School E-mail Address

*Permanent Street Address of Applicant*

City       State       Zip Code

Applicant’s phone#       Date of Birth: (mm/dd/yyyy)       Male/Female

*Current School Address of Applicant*

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

City       State       Zip Code

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

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

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       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

Type: [ ]  4-Year College/Univ. [ ]  Vo-Tech School [ ]  2 Yr Jr. College [ ]  Other

Student Enrolled: [ ]  Full-time

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

Anticipated year and month of post-secondary graduation

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

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.

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

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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.

Students currently enrolled in a college or vocational-technical school must include the most recent college or vocational-technical original transcript of grades. **Report cards, photocopies, or faxed 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.

**TRANSCRIPT INFORMATION SECTION** (**Section worth 120 points**)

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

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

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

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