



State Officer Application

Name:

Office Sought::

School:

Chapter #:

Parents/Guardians:

Home Address:

Home Phone #:

School Phone #:

Accomplishments as a
DECA Member:

Present Class (grade)
in School:

Statement of Qualifications: (Extra-curricular activities, part-time jobs, honors received, business subjects completed or enrolled in this year, etc.) Attach a separate sheet if necessary.

As a candidate for this office, I have read the duties of this office and the guidelines for office (found on the state website) . I understand that I am required to attend the activities listed on the second page of this application, and I will complete my duties as directed by the State advisor. If I do not, I understand that I will be asked to resign.

Candidate Signature:

PARENTAL CONSENT:

As parents of this officer applicant, I will see that he/she attends ALL the required meetings as follows:

(Note: Conferences can conflict with other school activities such as Boys' and Girls' State or sporting activities. Please be aware of this as you make a commitment to DECA. All dates and times are subject to change.)

1. International Conference
2. Officer Training
2. Fall Regional Conference
3. State Career and Technical Student Organization (CTSO) Day – Little Rock – TBA
4. Other Meetings/activities as called or planned (as much notice will be given as possible before meetings)

If your child is elected and is not in attendance during the FULL time of the above-required activities, he/she will be asked to resign. (the only exception would be #4) The newly-elected officer will get the complete benefit of being a leader in our organization and will be trained to become an outstanding leader.

It should be understood that some meetings could take place during school hours and with the State Advisor in attendance as the sole facilitator. It is also expected that officer meetings will be held where only the officers are in attendance. This is done to help build the autonomy of the officer team and help to build individual leadership skills.

I also understand that, if elected, my child will be issued an official officer e-mail address and access to social media accounts related to their position. These accounts will be maintained and monitored by the Arkansas State DECA staff.

Signature of Parent/
Guardian

Advisor Name:

Home Address:

Home Phone/Cell:

School Phone:

E-Mail Address:

As advisor, I ACCEPT the responsibility of traveling with this student to all meetings and conferences at the district, state, and national levels that would be required if my student is elected.

Signature of Advisor

The administration of this school supports the student candidate and chapter advisor. It is understood that if the student is elected, there will be a certain amount of travel required by both the student and the advisor; and the two will be allowed to participate in the above-listed DECA activities.

Signature of
Administrator:

NOTE: Attach letters of recommendation from advisors and school officials stating credentials and qualifications of candidate and evidence of support by school and chapter. (2 minimum)