



MARYLAND DECA IS OFFERING THE LOUIS T. KAMINSKI SCHOLARSHIP TO AN EXCEPTIONAL HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR AND DECA MEMBER.

To be eligible for this scholarship, the student:

- Must be currently enrolled at a Maryland public or private, secondary education school
- Must be a high school senior
- Must have at least a 3.0 overall GPA (unweighted)
- Must be a paid DECA member
- Must have attended at least one DECA conference
- Must be accepted to a four-year, accredited college or university
- Must be a leader at school, DECA, and in the community



Submit your application beginning January 1, 2019.

Application packets must be emailed by 11:59pm EST February 13, 2019.

Interested students are required to submit an application, resume, unofficial transcript, letter of recommendation, and short essay.

Eligible candidates will be emailed by February 15, 2019 confirming receipt of their application. Failure to comply with submission instructions will disqualify a candidate from consideration.

Questions? Email info@marylanddeca.org

Learn more & download an application at marylanddeca.org/scholarship.

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2019 LOUIS T. KAMINSKI SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

PARENT OR GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Name _____

Overall GPA (unweighted) _____ Grad Month/Year _____

How did you learn about the Louis T. Kaminski Scholarship? _____

SAT Score _____ ACT Score _____

Math _____ Reading _____ Writing _____ Composite _____

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Name _____

Major/Minor _____ Term Start Month/Year _____

ESSAY REQUIREMENTS

An essay is required as part of the application process. The essay should answer the question: “Share a time you experienced a temporary failure of some kind, had a setback, or fell short of goal. How did you take personal responsibility and overcome that situation?” It must be 600 – 1,200 words, typed using an easy-to-read font and double-spaced.

LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

A letter of recommendation from a DECA Advisor is required as part of the application process. The letter should be written on official school letterhead with appropriate signatures. Additional letters of recommendation may be submitted.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I, the undersigned, understand that the Louis T. Kaminski Scholarship is given based upon academic achievement, experience, and school or community involvement. I ascertain that I meet the academic requirements of at least a 3.0 overall GPA (unweighted), and that all submitted information is true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that scholarship money is to be used entirely for school-related expenses. By signing this acknowledgement, I agree to allow Maryland DECA to contact my parents or guardian about any award that I receive, and to allow Maryland DECA to use my name, school, and hometown in future press releases.

Signature _____ Date _____

To be considered for the Louis T. Kaminski Scholarship, please scan all materials (completed application, resume, essay, unofficial transcript, letter of recommendation) into one PDF file, then email the PDF file to info@marylanddeca.org.

Please include 2019 Louis T. Kaminski Scholarship Application in the subject line of your email.



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