

CALIFORNIA DECA CHAPTER GRANT OVERVIEW 2022-23

CTE Initiative Funds are only available to DECA chapters at public high schools in the State of California (including charter schools). Private schools are not eligible for CDE chapter grant funds.

LEVEL 1 Award Amount: \$250

Requirements (*Do all of the following*):

- ◆ Complete the annual Chapter Affiliation process by submitting the online Chapter Affiliation Form and receiving an email from the California Department of Education (CDE) certifying your chapter's affiliation for the year (if additional information is needed your chapter will be notified by CDE).
- ◆ Comply with the California Department of Education CTE Requirements as outlined on the Chapter Affiliation Agreement which each DECA Advisor must sign as part of the annual Chapter Affiliation process.
- ◆ Register DECA students and faculty advisor in the official DECA Chapter Affiliation system by November 15 and submit Chapter Affiliation/Curriculum fee to DECA.
- ◆ Submit Chapter Constitution (*if not submitted in a previous year*).

LEVEL 2 Award Amount: \$750

Requirements (*Do all of the following*):

- ◆ Complete all requirements from Level 1
- ◆ Attend any official California DECA sponsored event during the school year. Eligible events are:
 - Advisor Conference, Fall Leadership Development Conferences, District Career Development Conferences, State Career Development Conference.
 - Western Region Leadership Conference, when held in California, also qualifies.

LEVEL 3 Award Amount: Based on Membership*

*Remaining Chapter Grant Funds Divided by Eligible Chapters on the Basis of Membership

Requirements (*Do all of the following*):

- ◆ Complete Levels 1 & 2
- ◆ Remaining Chapter Grant funds divided among all chapters who have completed Level 1 and Level 2 based on total DECA membership for the chapters who completed Level 1 and Level 2.
- ◆ *Total funds available will be divided by total number of DECA members in the chapters who completed Level 1 and Level 2. For example, if there were 5,000 members among the chapters who completed Level 1 and Level 2 and there is \$25,000 in funds remaining, a chapter qualifying at Level 3 with 50 members would receive \$5 per member or \$250.00 in Level 3 funds.*

NEW CHAPTER STARTER GRANTS Award Amount: \$500

Requirements (*Do all of the following*):

- ◆ Complete the annual Chapter Affiliation process by submitting the online Chapter Affiliation Form and receiving an email from the California Department of Education (CDE) certifying your chapter's affiliation for the year (if additional information is needed your chapter will be notified by CDE).
- ◆ Comply with the California Department of Education CTE Requirements as outlined on the Chapter Affiliation Agreement which each DECA Advisor must sign as part of the annual Chapter Affiliation process.
- ◆ Register DECA students and faculty advisor in the official DECA Chapter Affiliation system and submit Chapter Affiliation/Curriculum fee to DECA.
- ◆ Submit Chapter Constitution.
- ◆ Attend any official California DECA sponsored event during the school year (Level 2 above lists eligible events).