

Membership Agreement Form 2020-2021

Welcome to Flanagan DECA!

Becoming a member of this awesome organization is your first step towards future college and career success! By being an active member of DECA, you will learn networking skills, become academically competitive, improve your career awareness, and participate in service projects that can all be used for job, college and scholarship applications!

Membership dues cover the district, state, and national member dues and also include a chapter t-shirt specifically designed for this year's theme, "Next Level". Along with this, membership dues will also cover the costs of chapter socials and activities, which all dues-paying members are welcomed to participate in. Included in these chapter activities is our biggest event of the year, our annual DECA chapter picnic. During these unprecedented times we hope to host a virtual kick-off picnic to continue to give our members a great DECA experience. All information regarding the picnic will be shared during class or through remind. All members are invited and welcome to attend. As we receive more updates from the district and the school, we hope to be able to host more events in person or virtually for all of our members.

Listed below are what we consider the minimum level of participation to be considered "active". Doing more than the minimum will only increase your own personal DECA experience.

- ◇ Pay \$32 DECA dues by October 24th, 2020
- ◇ Participate, at minimum, in district competition (testing mandatory for all members)
- ◇ Participate in chapter fundraisers (restaurant and sales fundraiser)
- ◇ Participate in chapter events throughout the year

As part of your commitment to become a Flanagan DECA member for the 2020-2021 school year, all members are required to participate in our chapter fundraisers. Chapter fundraisers (like snack sales are required for every member; participation in all other fundraisers throughout the year are voluntary (unless specified), but encouraged as an excellent way to defray member expenses. All members are also required to participate, at minimum, at the district level of competition by participating in a testing event. Members are allowed to also participate in a written event for competition, but all Flanagan DECA members are required to compete in at least one testing event; this will only enhance your chances to reach state and national level competition. Don't worry we are here to help you prepare!

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