

Reference # : _____ Year: 2021



Career Development Awards

Scholarship Application

The Career Development Awards Program grants scholarships to high school seniors and high school graduates. This program helps students begin their higher education as they enroll in accredited two-year training programs in the technical and vocational professions of their choice. These awards are based on the candidates' financial need, academic achievement and work experience. CDA will provide the opportunity to renew the scholarship for a second academic year based on the academic performance and financial need of the student.

CDA is supported by contributions of local organizations and businesses. One hundred percent of the funds donated to CDA are given to students in the form of scholarships. During the last three years, over 60 scholarships were awarded.

Application Deadline is March 29, 2021. Applications must be post marked by March 29, 2021.

Return the application to your high school counselor for mailing or mail directly to:

CDA C/O
Kip Higgins
PO Box C
Belle Mead, NJ 08502

If you have any questions or would like to email your completed application, please contact Kip Higgins at kpbmg@earthlink.net.

Application Check List:

List the School/Vocational Center extra-curricular activities in which you have participated (clubs, teams, musical organizations, student government, etc.) Indicate any offices held:

What kind of activities, if any, have you been involved in outside of school? These may be formally organized clubs or informal groups of friends with special interests.

List below any jobs you have held in the past three years. Include each job and the kind of work, employer, dates, and approximate number of hours per week. (Include summer jobs.)

Employer	Type of Work	Dates	Hours/Week

Financial Worksheet:

In addition to a copy of your most recent tax return and/or your parents' or legal guardian's tax return, please indicate:

Student Savings: _____

Amount Student will contribute: _____

Amount Parent will contribute: _____

Any unusual financial or family circumstances:

School Choice # 1	School Choice # 2
Tuition:	Tuition:
Other Expenses:	Other Expenses:

Every item on this application must be completed or it will not be considered.

Applicant's signature: permission for applicant's photographs and/or statements to be used for news articles, website, and/or publications.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent's Signature: (if applicant is under the age of 18):

_____ Date: _____

Write a brief statement in the area below (no longer than 400 words) describing your future goals and how further education would help you achieve these goals. (You may also attach a separate page to this application, but be sure to put your name and complete address on it if you do.)