



## Dutchess County Counseling Association

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### 2025 DCCA Scholarship Application Cover Sheet Form

Please attach this form to your essay

**Applicant Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**High School:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Counselor who will be submitting letter of recommendation:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Name of colleges you are applying to:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Essay:** In a well-developed 500 word essay, discuss a mentor you connected with during high school, and how that mentor inspired and supported you through achieving your personal and academic goals.

**Please attach this cover sheet to your essay and return by April 25 2025.**

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**Purpose of Award:** To assist a high-achieving Dutchess County high school senior with the cost of attending college.

**Eligibility:** Applicants must be college-bound high school seniors who have at least a 90 average or better. Students must complete this application with essay and have their counselor submit a high school transcript and letter of recommendation.

**Deadline:** All application materials must be received by April 25, 2025.

**Award Amount:** There will be two \$1,000 scholarships awarded (funds to be paid directly to the college). Students must graduate in June 2025 and be enrolled in college prior to disbursement of funds.

**Number of Awards:** Two non-renewable scholarships will be awarded. Only one recipient will be selected per school district.

### **How to Apply**

- ▶ The applicant should attach this application to the essay—see back side of this form.
- ▶ The guidance counselor should submit a letter of recommendation and transcript on behalf of the student.
- ▶ All materials should be sent via mail, or emailed to the following contact person by **April 25, 2025**.

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