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Albert Yanni

SCHOLARSHIP

2018

PURPOSE: The Albert Yanni Scholarship provides high quality career and technical education (CTE) students an opportunity to pursue advanced education and/or training related to their career aspirations.

GENERAL INFORMATION: Scholarships of \$2,000.00 each will be awarded to students selected by a committee of West Virginia Department of Education (WVDE) personnel. Applicants selected must present proof that they maintained their eligibility requirements before the awards are presented.

HIGH SCHOOL APPLICANT MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

1. Each applicant must be a secondary student currently enrolled in a public school in the state of West Virginia who will have completed all graduation requirements by the end of the current school year.
2. Each applicant must have a cumulative (9-12) attendance rate of 85% **AND** a cumulative (9-12) minimum GPA of 3.0.
3. No applicant may have a final semester grade below a "C" in grades 9-12.
4. Each applicant must have completed or be on track to complete no less than the four required courses for a state approved CTE program of study in accordance with WVBE Policy 2520.13.
5. Each applicant must be planning to pursue a postsecondary education in a field related to his/her secondary career technical program of study.

Each applicant must be registered with, or accepted by, an accredited postsecondary institution or technical center in a technical certificate or degree program.

HOME SCHOOLED APPLICANT MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

1. Each applicant must have completed at least four units in a single, approved career technical program of study.
2. Each applicant must be planning to pursue postsecondary education in a career field related to his/her secondary career technical program of study.
3. Each applicant must be registered with, or accepted by, an accredited postsecondary institution or technical center in a technical certificate or degree program.
4. Each applicant must have taken the TASC and passed with minimum score of 550 **AND** provide a copy of said score.

SELECTION PROCESS:

All eligible applicants will be rated by the WVDE committee in the following areas:

1. Personal information Form completion (5 points possible)
2. Eligibility Form completion (5 points possible)
3. Consent Form completion (5 points possible)
4. Recommendations from an academic teacher (12 points possible), a career technical teacher (12 points possible), and a peer (12 points possible).
5. Awards, honors and school community involvement (18 points possible).
6. Scores on a 500-word essay (31 points possible).
7. Ties will be broken by class rank or GPA.

The applicants with the highest numerical scores will not automatically be selected. An effort will be made to distribute the awards geographically and across program areas.

APPLICATION PROCESS:

1. Forms 1, 2, 7 and 8 of the application packet must be **typed**.
2. **The application must be completed in its entirety.** If an item or question does not pertain, please enter N/A.
3. Application is to be stapled in the upper left hand corner.
4. Do not submit the application in a folder or with a report cover.
5. Do **NOT** include transcripts, resumes, copies of awards, news articles, thank you letters, or any materials other than forms 1 through 8 plus one extra sheet, if necessary for the essay.
6. Application must be postmarked no later than **March 30, 2018**. Application may be mailed, faxed, emailed or hand delivered to :
 - a. Eydie Payne
Office of Career Technical Education
WV Department of Education
1900 Kanawha Boulevard, East
Building 6, Room 221
Charleston, WV 25305
Fax: 304-558-3946 (Subject: Albert Yanni Scholarship)
Email: econner@k12.wv.us or rgillman@k12.wv.us
(Subject: Albert Yanni Scholarship)
7. For additional questions, contact:
 - a. Rick Gillman at 304-558-2348 or Eydie Payne at 304-558-3703 or email questions to Rick at rgillman@k12.wv.us or Eydie at econner@k12.wv.us
8. Letters or emails of notification will be mailed on or before May 1, 2017.
9. Completed application packet may be submitted by a school official **OR** the applicant.

Yanni Scholarship Form 1

Personal Information

FORM MUST BE COMPLETED IN ITS ENTIRETY TO BE ELIGIBLE

To be completed by the applicant

Student Information		
Name:	Student (WVEIS) #:	
Street Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Home Phone #:	Email Address:	
Birth Date:	CTE Program of Study:	
CTSO Affiliation		
<input type="checkbox"/> DECA	<input type="checkbox"/> TSA	
<input type="checkbox"/> FBLA	<input type="checkbox"/> FCCLA	
<input type="checkbox"/> SkillsUSA	<input type="checkbox"/> FFA	
<input type="checkbox"/> HOSA	<input type="checkbox"/> ER	
<input type="checkbox"/> JROTC		
Parent/Guardian Information		
Name of Parent(s)/Legal Guardian(s):		
Street Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Home Phone #:	Email Address:	
School Information		
School Name <i>(where CTE courses are taught)</i> :		
County Name <i>(where CTE courses are taught)</i> :		
School Street Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:

Yanni Scholarship Form 2

Verification of Eligibility

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FORM MUST BE COMPLETED IN ITS ENTIRETY TO BE ELIGIBLE

To be completed by a school official

Student Information

Name:		GPA (<i>cumulative 9-12</i>):	
Expected Graduation Date:		Attendance Rate % (<i>cumulative 9-12</i>):	
Lowest final semester letter grade (<i>9-12</i>):		Total Number of Days Absent (<i>cumulative 9-12</i>):	
CTE Program of Study/Cluster # (<i>select one or more state-approved programs of study the student is enrolled in or completed</i>):			
<input type="checkbox"/> Accounting-BM1410 <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced Manufacturing (AC)-MA2235 <input type="checkbox"/> Aerospace Engineering (AC)-ST2200 <input type="checkbox"/> Aesthetics-HU2315 <input type="checkbox"/> Agribusiness Systems-AG0120 <input type="checkbox"/> Allied Health-HE0715 <input type="checkbox"/> Animal Processing-AG0230 <input type="checkbox"/> Animal Systems-AG0220 <input type="checkbox"/> Automotive Tech-TR1620 <input type="checkbox"/> Baking and Pastry-HO1015 <input type="checkbox"/> Barbering-HU2305 <input type="checkbox"/> Barbering Apprenticeship-HU2050 <input type="checkbox"/> Biomedical Science (PLTW)-HE0780 <input type="checkbox"/> Broadcast Journalism-AV1682 <input type="checkbox"/> Broadcasting Technology-AV1680 <input type="checkbox"/> Building Maintenance and Operations-AR1800 <input type="checkbox"/> Business Finance-FI1430 <input type="checkbox"/> Career and Work Skills Training (CWST)-BM0510 <input type="checkbox"/> Careers in Education-ED1300 <input type="checkbox"/> Carpentry-AR1820 <input type="checkbox"/> CASE Animal Science-AG0221 <input type="checkbox"/> CASE Plant Science-AG0215 <input type="checkbox"/> Chemical Energy and Mechanical Technologies-AG2185 <input type="checkbox"/> Cisco Networking Academies-IT1640 <input type="checkbox"/> Clean Energy (AC)-ST2225 <input type="checkbox"/> Coding, App and Game Design-IT1442	<input type="checkbox"/> Collision Repair Tech-TR1670 <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Science (PLTW)-IT2215 <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Systems Repair Technology-IT1680 <input type="checkbox"/> Diagnostics Services-HE0718 <input type="checkbox"/> Diesel Equipment Tech-TR1740 <input type="checkbox"/> Drafting-AR1720 <input type="checkbox"/> Early Childhood Education-HU1000 <input type="checkbox"/> Electrical Technician-AR1760 <input type="checkbox"/> Electronics Technician-MA1780 <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency and Firefighting Management Services-LA2200 <input type="checkbox"/> Energy, Power and Engineered Systems (AC)-ST2175 <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Technology and Management-AG2190 <input type="checkbox"/> Food Science and Nutrition-HE1215 <input type="checkbox"/> Forest Industry-AG0130 <input type="checkbox"/> Global Logistics and Supply Chain Management (AC)-TR2215 <input type="checkbox"/> Graphic Communications-AV1830 <input type="checkbox"/> Graphic Design-AV1850 <input type="checkbox"/> Hair Stylist-HU2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Health and Safety Leadership-HU2320 <input type="checkbox"/> Health Informatics (AC)-HE2220 <input type="checkbox"/> Health Informatics-HE0742 <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality and Tourism-HO1210 <input type="checkbox"/> HVAC Technician-AR1600 <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial Equipment Maintenance-MA1870 <input type="checkbox"/> Informatics (AC)-IT2210	<input type="checkbox"/> Information Management/Microsoft Computer Applications Specialist-IT1450 <input type="checkbox"/> Innovations in Science and Technology (AC)-ST2205 <input type="checkbox"/> JROTC-GO1070 <input type="checkbox"/> Law and Public Safety-LA1020 <input type="checkbox"/> Machine Tool Technology-MA1900 <input type="checkbox"/> Management and Administrative Support-BM1465 <input type="checkbox"/> Marketing Management-MK0420 <input type="checkbox"/> Masonry-AR1910 <input type="checkbox"/> Metals Technology-MA2110 <input type="checkbox"/> Millwork and Cabinetmaking-MA2120 <input type="checkbox"/> Multimedia Publishing-AV1684 <input type="checkbox"/> Nail Technology-HU2055 <input type="checkbox"/> Natural Resources Management-AG0170 <input type="checkbox"/> Paralegal Assistant-LA1490 <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Fitness and Wellness Training-HE1095 <input type="checkbox"/> Pet Grooming-AG0223 <input type="checkbox"/> Plant Systems-AG0210 <input type="checkbox"/> Plumbing-AR2140 <input type="checkbox"/> Power Equipment Systems-TR1960 <input type="checkbox"/> Power, Structural and Technical Systems-AG0110 <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Engineering – Project Lead the Way-ST2460 <input type="checkbox"/> Prevention Support Specialist-HU1015 <input type="checkbox"/> ProStart-HO1010	<input type="checkbox"/> Rehabilitation Specialist-HU1080 <input type="checkbox"/> Robotics-MA1630 <input type="checkbox"/> Social Services Assistant-HU1025 <input type="checkbox"/> STEM-ST1790 <input type="checkbox"/> Support Services-HE0728 <input type="checkbox"/> Taxidermy-AG0224 <input type="checkbox"/> Therapeutic Services-HE0723 <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation Tech-TR1625 <input type="checkbox"/> Turf and Landscape Systems-AG0214 <input type="checkbox"/> Virtual Accounting-BM1410 <input type="checkbox"/> Virtual Animal Science-AG0222 <input type="checkbox"/> Virtual Childcare-HU2322 <input type="checkbox"/> Virtual Counseling and Mental Health-HU2323 <input type="checkbox"/> Virtual Criminology-LA1021 <input type="checkbox"/> Virtual Family Services-HU2321 <input type="checkbox"/> Virtual Health and Safety Leadership-HU2320 <input type="checkbox"/> Virtual Management and Administrative Support-BM1465 <input type="checkbox"/> Virtual Personal Fitness and Wellness Training-HE1095 <input type="checkbox"/> Virtual Prevention Support Specialist-HU1015 <input type="checkbox"/> Virtual Simulation and Game Development-IT1445 <input type="checkbox"/> Virtual Support Services-HE0728 <input type="checkbox"/> Virtual Wellness Coaching-HU1016 <input type="checkbox"/> Welding-MA1980

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Verification of Eligibility

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CTE Program of Study Information	
Name of Program of Study from above <i>(only have to list one if a dual completer)</i> :	
State Required CTE Courses Completed <i>(these are program of study courses listed in WVBE Policy 2520.13)</i> :	
Course Name:	Course Grade:
1)	
2)	
3)	
4)	
Post-Secondary Information	
Institution that has registered/accepted the student:	
Major/Course of study the student will be pursuing:	
School Official Information	
Name:	
Position:	
Signature:	

Yanni Scholarship Form 3

Consent Form

To be completed by the student and parent/guardian

Please sign here to indicate your consent for your school and teachers to provide confidential information to those involved in the selection process for the Albert Yanni Scholarship.

Student Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

Yanni Scholarship Form 4

Academic Teacher Recommendation

To be completed by a teacher of English, mathematics, science or social studies

Student Name: _____ School: _____

Teacher Name: _____ Subject: _____

You have been asked to make a recommendation for a student applying for the Albert Yanni Scholarship. Compared with other superior students you have taught, please estimate the extent to which the nominee has demonstrated, in your class, the qualities listed below by circling the number which best represents his/her performance.

(2 = exceptional, 1 = average, 0 = below average)

Academic Skills	2	1	0
Leadership	2	1	0
Interpersonal Skills	2	1	0
Self-Management Skills	2	1	0
General Readiness for Postsecondary Education	2	1	0
School Organization Involvement	2	1	0

Total Rating Score _____ out of 12

I recommend this student for the Albert Yanni Scholarship (check one):

- Without Reservation
- With minor Reservations
- With Major Reservations

Comments:

Teacher's Signature: _____

Please return to your Principal, Technical Center Director or Counselor

Yanni Scholarship Form 5

Technical Teacher Recommendation

To be completed by a teacher of the applicant's CTE course(s)

Student Name: _____ School: _____

Teacher Name: _____ Subject: _____

You have been asked to make a recommendation for a student applying for the Albert Yanni Scholarship. Compared with other superior students you have taught, please estimate the extent to which the nominee has demonstrated, in your class, the qualities listed below by circling the number which best represents his/her performance.

(2 = exceptional, 1 = average, 0 = below average)

Technical Skills	2	1	0
Leadership	2	1	0
Interpersonal Skills	2	1	0
Self-Management Skills	2	1	0
General Readiness for Postsecondary Education	2	1	0
CTSO Involvement	2	1	0

Total Rating Score _____ out of 12

I recommend this student for the Albert Yanni Scholarship (check one):

- Without Reservation
- With minor Reservations
- With Major Reservations

Comments:

Teacher's Signature: _____

Please return to your Principal, Technical Center Director or Counselor

Yanni Scholarship Form 6

Peer Recommendation

To be completed by a Peer of the CTE applicant

Applicant's Name: _____

Peer's Name: _____ School: _____

You have been asked to make a recommendation for a student applying for the Albert Yanni Scholarship. Please give examples of things you know about the student which illustrate the following:

Note to WVDE rater: (2 pts. = exceptional; 1 pts. = average; 0. = below average)

Leadership (2 pts. Possible):

Achievements (2 pts. Possible):

Interpersonal Skills (2 pts. Possible):

Motivation (2 pts. Possible):

School Involvement (2 pts. Possible):

School Organization/CTSO Involvement (2 pts. Possible):

Total Rating Score ____ out of 12

Peer's Signature: _____

Please return to your Principal, Technical Center Director or Counselor

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Awards, Honors, School and Community Involvement
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To be completed by applicant

Note to WVDE rater: (3 pts. = exceptional; 2 pts. = average; 1pt. = below average; 0 pts. = blank)

Student's Name: _____

- ✓ List any school and/or community organizations you have belonged to during grades 9-12:
(3 pts. Possible)

- ✓ List any local and/or state offices you have held in your Career Technical Student Organization (DECA, FBLA, JROTC, FCCLA, FFA, HOSA, TSA, Educators Rising and/or SkillsUSA) or within your Simulated Workplace at the school, state or national level during grades 9-12:
(3 pts. Possible)

- ✓ List any awards or honors you have won as a result of your participation in Career Technical Education and/or in Career Technical Student Organizations (DECA, FBLA, JROTC, FCCLA, FFA, HOSA, TSA, Educators Rising and/or SkillsUSA) or within your Simulated Workplace at the school, state or national level during grades 9-12:
(3 pts. Possible)

Yanni Scholarship Form 7

Awards, Honors, School and Community Involvement

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- ✓ List any offices you have held in other school or community organizations during grades 9-12:
(3 pts. Possible)

- ✓ List any awards or honors you have won as a result of your participation in other school or community activities during grades 9-12:
(3 pts. Possible)

- ✓ List any Community Projects you worked on, through high school and/or CTSO during grades 9-12:
(3 pts. Possible)

Yanni Scholarship Form 8

Essay

To be completed by the applicant. Use this page and one additional page if needed. Do not exceed 500 words.

Student's Name: _____

Develop and **type** an essay that includes, but is not limited to, the following:

- ✓ How your participation in high school career technical education relates to the training and/or major you will be pursuing in postsecondary education;
- ✓ Your career goals;
- ✓ Your plan for achieving your career goals;
- ✓ How did your work experience in a Simulated Workplace classroom influence your career plans?
- ✓ How your involvement in DECA, FBLA, JROTC, FCCLA, FFA, HOSA, TSA, Educators Rising and/or SkillsUSA has prepared you to become a productive citizen and to assume roles of leadership in your community?



APPLICANT: _____ SCHOOL: _____ WVDE REVIEWER: _____ TOTAL SCORE: _____

	EXEMPLARY (5 PTS)	ADEQUATE (3 PTS)	NEEDS IMPROVEMENT (1 PT)	MISSING (0 PTS)	SCORE
FORM 1 Personal Information	All sections are complete with zero blanks.	No more than 2 blank sections.	Partially completed with more than two blanks.	Form 1 is missing or not filled out.	_____ out of 5
FORM 2 Verification of Eligibility	All sections are complete with zero blanks & has an 85% attendance rate and 3.0 GPA.	No more than 2 blank sections & has an 85% attendance rate and 3.0 GPA.	Partially completed with more than two blanks & has an 85% attendance rate and 3.0 GPA.	Form 2 is missing or not filled out and or the applicant does not have an 85% attendance rate and 3.0 GPA.	_____ out of 5
FORM 3 Consent Form	Form 3 is completed in its entirety.			Form 3 is missing or not filled out completely.	_____ out of 5
FORM 4 Academic Teacher	<i>Note to WVDE rater – Each category is worth: (2 pts. = exceptional; 1 pts. = average; 0 pt. = below average/blank)</i>			Form 4 is missing or not filled out.	_____ out of 12
FORM 5 Technical Teacher	<i>Note to WVDE rater – Each category is worth: (2 pts. = exceptional; 1 pts. = average; 0 pt. = below average/blank)</i>			Form 5 is missing or not filled out.	_____ out of 12
FORM 6 Peer Recommendation	<i>Note to WVDE rater – Each category is worth: (2 pts. = exceptional; 1 pts. = average; 0 pt. = below average/blank)</i>			Form 6 is missing or not filled out.	_____ out of 12
FORM 7 Awards, Honors, School & Community & CTSO Involvement	<i>Note to WVDE rater – Each category is worth: (3 pts. = exceptional; 2 pts. = average; 1 pt. = below average; 0 pts. = blank)</i>			Form 7 is missing or not filled out.	_____ out of 18
	EXEMPLARY (25 - 21 PTS)	ADEQUATE (20 - 15 PTS)	NEEDS IMPROVEMENT (14 - 1 PTS)	MISSING (0 PTS)	SCORE
FORM 8 Essay	Based on your evaluation, the student has made a strong and realistic career plan, including a well-developed essay stating how to accomplish his/her career goals.	Based on your evaluation, the student has made a compelling career plan, including an adequate essay stating how to accomplish his/her career goals.	Based on your evaluation, the student has written an essay outlining a potential career plan for the future.	Form 8 is missing or not filled out.	_____ out of 31
				Total Score:	_____ out of 100

RATER COMMENTS:

[] YES [] NO Course of Study for Higher Education related to High School CTE Program of Study.