**4DC CREATIVE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

The FDC Foundation is dedicated to improving the community by providing opportunities for growth that enhance an individual’s character through music, art, creative writing and sports.

**We are awarding scholarships to the most creative seniors**

**from any North County High School (Including, but not limited to: Vista High, Rancho Buena Vista, El Camino, and Oceanside High)**

**All applications are due by May 28th** (Date subject to change)

In order for your art submission to qualify, an updated copy of your transcripts must be turned in along with 1 recommendation letter from a teacher/ counselor/ coach. A G.P.A. of 2.5 or higher must be maintained from the application submission through graduation.

**Announcement of Winners in June** (Date TBA)

CREATIVE PIECE INSTRUCTIONS:

ANY form of art and expression is permitted. Whether it be written word, an oil painting on canvas, or a creative video submission that showcases your passion- this is open to YOUR interpretation. Show us a few examples of your passion in music, art, or activity in a creative way and we will award a scholarship for you to use toward your creative outlet.

Please include a paragraph or two explaining your work and what you plan on doing with the scholarship money. Please keep video submissions under 5 minutes.

Be Creative! Best of luck!

**REVIEW! What we need from you:**

- Creative piece

- This application to be filled out

- Copy of 2.5 GPA (or higher) transcripts

- Letter of recommendation from teacher/ counselor/ coach

The following is the application portion that *must* be filled out:

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| **Name:** **Phone Number:** **Email Address:**  |
| **Address:** |
| **Graduation Year: G.P.A.:**  |
| **After School/ Club Activities:**  |
| **Colleges Planning On Attending/ Applied To:**  |
| **Other Grants/Scholarships/FAFSA/ Applying to:**  |

Agreement**:**

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| If I, , am selected for this scholarship, I agree to put my funds toward school-related items and/ activities only. I will not use this monetary donation toward any activity other than what I've explained in my submission. All of the information I have submitted in my application is true and up to date. Signed: Date:   |

We look forward to learning about YOU!

Regards,

**The FDC Foundation**

APPLICATION QUESTIONS:

Please answer the following questions in a paragraph.

 Thank you. -FDC Foundation

**I.** In light of the pandemic, social distancing has become normalized to keep communities safer in hopes of slowing the spread of COVID-19. What have you been doing with your free time, at home, to stay creative?

**II.** This last year, art has been used as a platform to give way to many topics including the controversial presidential election and ongoing Black Lives Matter movement. Give us an example of when you used your creative outlet as a way to give yourself a voice in something that was important to you.

**III.** Globally, racism is still very much prevalent and practiced on a regular basis. What would a world with equal representation look like to you?

**IV.** In your own words, how did quarantine help aid the movement of equality?

*\*Applicants are asked to submit their entries via email due to the foundation’s support of minimal environmental impact.*

Any questions regarding the application, feel free to email us at:

**info@fdcfoundation.com**