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Arizona DECA Student Newsletter



Introduction!

We are so excited to start this upcoming year with the first student newsletter of the 2026-2027 school year! This newsletter is written by your Arizona DECA State Officer Team, to keep you informed on Arizona DECA! With every month, topics like conferences, leadership opportunities, and highlighting our Arizona DECA members and chapters!

Whether you are a returning DECA member or deciding to take the step to start your DECA journey, this newsletter is here to support you every step of the way!



Welcome Message

"Welcome to the 2026-2027 school year! As your state officer team, we are excited to find our Next Big Thing with you all throughout our year! From conference to competition, we are here to help and connect with you!

We cannot wait to see you soon and grow together!"
— Your Arizona DECA State Officer Team 66

Chapter Visits



We would love to come see your chapter! During our chapter visits we bring the energy and the fun, sharing information regarding conferences, competition, and opportunities during our upcoming year! This is such a great chance to connect, ask questions, and find your Next Big Thing through DECA! To request, [click HERE](#), and we can't wait to visit!

State Councils

Ready to step up your leadership within Arizona DECA? Apply for a state council! Run by your State Officers, help contribute to state-wide initiatives and support other members in finding their Next Big Thing! Applications are already open, so don't wait! To find out more information, [click HERE](#)!



State Officer

Are you ready to find your next big thing in Arizona DECA leadership? State officer applications are officially open! Help shape the future of Arizona DECA and leave a lasting impact! Show your passion and your dedication! To learn more about the application process, [click HERE](#)!



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Advisor Leadership Conference

August 25th-26th

Calling all advisors! At this year's Advisor Leadership Conference, learn what it takes to be successful this upcoming DECA year! Learn the ins and outs of both DECA and Arizona DECA including topics like membership, DECA+, Programs of Leadership, conferences, and competitions!

Registration:

June 8th to
August 10th

\$225/Advisor

Includes 2 meals,
Professional
Development hours,
and conference
materials!

Registration:

June 29th to
August 12th

\$65/Student

Includes a ticket to
that nights game!

Fall Leadership Conference

August 31st

We can't wait for you to hit a home run at this year's Fall Leadership Conference! Enjoy a day full of leadership workshops and presenters geared to help you find your next big thing!

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CTSO Takeover

November 13th

Are you ready to be apart of something exciting and groundbreaking? We can't wait to see you for our first ever full CTSO leadership conference at State Farm Stadium! Join together with FBLA, HOSA, SKILLS USA, FCCLA, and FFA in interactive workshops!

Registration:
July 1st to
October
15th

\$65/Attendee

Includes conference materials and ticket to Cardinals vs. Rams on 11/15!

Registration:

July 1st to
September 4th

\$225/Attendee

Includes housing, five meals, and conference materials!

Camp DECA

September 28th-30th

We can't wait to see you in Williams, Arizona to beat the Arizona heat in an unforgettable overnight Arizona DECA conference! Come together for three days of leadership-filled fun with members all across the state!