Wisconsin Technical Excellence Scholarship (TES) Student Request for Consideration

Students seeking to be nominated by their high school for the Wisconsin Technical Excellence Scholarship (TES) can complete this form and return it to the <u>Counseling Office</u> to request consideration for the scholarship. This form is not an application for the scholarship; it may be used by a student to request consideration.

An eligible candidate for a TES scholarship is a high school senior meeting at least one of the following criteria.

- 1. Be a CTE Concentrator. A CTE Concentrator would be a student who has completed at least three high school CTE courses. CTE (Career and Technical Education) courses would be any courses in the following clusters: Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources, Architecture & Construction, Arts, Audio/Video Technology & Communications, Business Management & Administration, Education and Training, Finance, Government & Public Administration, Health Science, Hospitality and Tourism, Human Services, Information Technology, Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security, Science-Technology-Engineering and Mathematics (STEM).
- 2. Participated in a Youth Apprenticeship Program under the supervision of the Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development (DWD) (see https://dwd.wisconsin.gov/youthapprenticeship/program_info.htm)
- 3. Participated in a Career and Technical Training pathway as defined by the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction (DPI) (see http://cte.dpi.wi.gov/cte_tehsd)
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- 5. Participated in a Skills Standards Program offered by the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction (DPI) (see http://cte.dpi.wi/gov/cte_cteskills)
- 6. Completed (or be on track to complete an industry-recognized certification program approved under Wis. Stats. 115.367 (2). (This requirement is created under 2013 Wisconsin Act 59.)
- 7. Participated in a Career and Technical Student Organization (CTSO) in Wisconsin: DECA, FBLA. FCCLA, FFA, HOSA, or SkillsUSA (see http://cte.dpi.wi.gov/cte_ctso)
- 8. Completed a technical training program for high school students if the program is offered by a U.W. System school, a Wisconsin Technical College System school, a tribal college in Wisconsin or a private, non-profit college or university located in Wisconsin. Examples include but are not limited to:
 - -Medical College of Wisconsin Summer Enrichment Programs
 - -U.W.-Madison's Summer Science Institute at WIScience
 - -Marquette University's K-12 Engineering Academies
 - -MSOE summer programs for K-12 students

The program must be offered by a Wisconsin college or university; programs held at these campuses but offered by others are not eligible. (Such programs are usually of shorter duration.)

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