

Delaware County Technical High School Application Information

The Delaware County Technical School Application is open for students to apply for admission for the 2026-27 school year. All applications will need to be submitted through the DCTS online application using the link at the bottom of this document. The link is also posted in Schoology under the Class of 2027, 2028, and 2029 pages.

Important information about completing the application:

1. Students **MUST** use a **PERSONAL EMAIL ADDRESS** (not their pdsstudents email) when creating an account.
2. Students should be sure to select/enter the name and email address of the DCTS Liaison for our school which is **Fran Im - fim@pdsd.org**
3. The application requires an essay that must be completed by the student. The DCTS admission committee will evaluate the applications, along with the **students' essay, attendance, discipline, and academic history for consideration** for acceptance into a DCTS program.
4. [Click here for an information sheet provided by DCTS that outlines the application steps for students.](#)

Additional Information:

1. Students are able to sign up for a shadow day opportunity at the Aston or Folcroft DCTS campus. Interested students can pick up a field trip permission form from the secretaries in the Counseling office. Once the permission form is returned, Mrs. Im will email the student and parent with the specific day and location for the visit. Students will only be permitted to attend a visit if the parent permission is signed and returned to the Counseling office.
 - a. Visit days will be:
 - February 3rd and March 3rd for the ASTON Campus
 - February 25th for the FOLCROFT Campus
2. Students' applications will be evaluated by DCTS after the application window closes on **February 28, 2026.**
3. Any student who applied to DCTS in a previous year and is not currently enrolled will need to complete a new 2026-27 application. **The only program that the Class of 2029 are eligible to apply to for next year is the Cosmetology program.**
4. The **Medical Careers program is a one year program and is only open to students in the Class of 2027** to apply for admission next year. [The Medical Careers program has a supplemental application in addition to the online application and can be accessed by clicking on this link.](#) When completed, supplemental applications should be printed and turned into the Sun Valley Counseling Office. The Medical Careers program may also require a virtual interview.
5. Students with an Individualized Education Plan **MAY** be asked to attend an IEP meeting with Sun Valley and DCTS staff. The student's IEP case manager will contact the parent to coordinate and arrange the meeting if DCTS requests an IEP meeting. **Meetings will only be held on an as needed basis.**
6. Admission decisions will be released by DCTS at the end of May/early June.
7. The DCTS website with [program descriptions](#), [video overview of the programs](#), and [26-27 course guide](#) can be found here.

[Please click here to access the Delaware County Technical School Application for the 2026-27 School Year](#)