

The month of love is here and not just because of valentine's day!

This is a great month to show your love for DECA by preparing for state in March. There are many great ways to prep for DECA state, including practicing presentations, taking practice role plays, and going to any study sessions your school has. Another great way to show your love for DECA in this month of love is when you are packing! Show your respect and love for DECA by following the dress code. State may sound far away but it is not and before this month ends you will want to be packed and ready. Below you will see the new and improved dress code:

When competing you should be in DECA dress, which was included in the SCDC registration packet. When not competing or working competition events, all attendees should be dressed in DECA business dress or in appropriate casual wear (khakis, jeans with no holes, clothing with no excessive skin or cleavage showing, no offensive language displayed).

NO BELLIES OR CLEAVAGE SHOULD BE SEEN OR HOLES IN JEANS

In other new news about upcoming state, there are new breakout sessions! The Central Region Vice President of DECA, Fatimah, is coming to our state conference and will be holding a breakout session. This is a great way to socialize at state and something fun to do while not competing. There is also the possibility of another breakout session with prizes to be won and a game to be played that many members love!



Coming Up

- **March 2-4 2025- State Conference in Louisville**
- **April 26-29 2025- International Conference in Orlando Florida**



If you qualify for ICDC and you are a written event, all changes and papers are due by April 8th, 2025 11:59 pm

Good luck to all those competing in an event at state and/or for a state office position! If you have any questions, feel free to contact any of the current officers, Ms. Lisa, or Ms. Ashton.