2024 Declaration Days Sweepstakes
Frequently Asked Questions

Q- Where do I go to declare?
   A- You will declare at decdays.com.

Q- What if I’m not 18 yet? Can I still declare?
   A- Yes! Please have your parent or guardian email their consent to decdays@fanatics.com. The email should include your full name and the school that you are declaring.

Q- Can I enter if I’m an international student?
   A- The giveaway is only open to individuals who are established residents of one of the 50 states in the United States (excluding United States territories) as of 12:01AM ET on April 1, 2024.

Q- Who is the giveaway intended for?
   A- The Declaration Days giveaway is promoted to students starting college as an undergraduate freshman in the Fall of 2024.

Q- Do you give scholarships to 3 students from each school or 3 overall?
   A- We will award 3 scholarships overall. These are chosen at random from the eligible pool of declarations submitted on decdays.com!

Q- Can the scholarship be used for room and board expenses?
   A- No, the scholarship can only be used to pay for educational expenses at the winner’s school such as application fees, course credit hour fees, books, computers, and school-related supplies.

Q- What do I have to do to win?
   A- In order to be entered to win, you must complete ALL of these steps-
      1. Declare your school on decdays.com.
      2. Download the Selfie Frame that we provide once you declare.
      3. Share the frame on either Instagram, Facebook, or X as a post on your feed (not as a story) and use #DeclarationDays and #Fanatics_Giveaway.
         • If your social account is private, you’ll need to take a screenshot of your post and email it to decdays@fanatics.com.

Q- What if my school isn’t on the list?
   A- If your school isn’t listed as an option on decday.com, choose “Other” in the dropdown menu and you will be provided with a Declaration Days selfie frame to post on social media.
Q- If I already declared on the website, do I still have to post on my social media?

B- YES! To be eligible for any prizes, among other eligibility requirements (see the Official Rules here) you must declare online AND post to social media using #DeclarationDays and #Fanatics_Giveaway.

Q- Where should I post my Selfie Frame?

A- You can post the Selfie Frame as a post in your feed (not as a story) on either Instagram, Facebook, or X. Feel free to share your post to your story, if you’d like, as an extra step!

Q- Does it matter if I post the Selfie Frame on my story or on my feed to be entered in the giveaway?

A- Since stories disappear after 24 hours, you MUST post on your feed, use #DeclarationDays and #Fanatics_Giveaway for your entry to count. (Feel free to share to your story if you’d like though!)

Q- Is it okay if we post the hashtags in the comments section of our social post?

A- Yes! As long as you include #declarationdays and #Fanatics_Giveaway in the post somewhere!

Q- Do I have to tag anyone to win?

A- We encourage you to tag @fanatics in your post, but it is NOT required to be entered to win a prize. See below on requirements if your account is private.

Q- What if my social media account is private?

A- If you have a private account, take a screenshot of your post, and email it to decdays@fanatics.com.

Q- Do I have to get a lot of likes, comments, or shares on my post to win the scholarship?

A- NO! All prize winners are randomly drawn and the amount of engagement you receive on a post has no impact on your chances of winning.

Q- What if I have a typo when I’m entering?

A- You’ll have a chance to review your details before you finish your submissions. If you notice a typo, go back, and fix it. If you’ve already submitted, please email us at decdays@fanatics.com so we can fix it for you.

Q- How will I know if I’m entered?

A- You will receive a confirmation email at the email address you provided when you declared on decdays.com. Please check your email address spelling carefully before submitting your declaration.

Q- Can I declare more than once to increase my chances of winning?

A- No, only one entry per student is allowed and duplicate entries will be removed and ineligible.
Q- How are the winners chosen?
   A- All prize winners are chosen using a random drawing generator from the eligible declarations submitted on decdays.com.

Q- When will you contact the winners?
   A- Weekly swag box winners will be notified by email on Mondays throughout April on 4/8, 4/15, 4/22 and on Thursday, 5/2.

   Scholarship winners will be notified by email on May 6, 2024.

Q- How will I know if I won something?
   A- You will receive an email from decdays@fanatics.com at the email address you provided when declaring. If we are unable to contact you via email, we will attempt to call you at the phone number or message you on your social media account that you provided when declaring.

Q- What do I need to do if I get an email or message that I won a prize?
   A- Please respond to the message within 72 hours and we will provide you with additional instructions and requirements needed to send out your prize.

   If we are unable to reach you or you fail to respond to our message within 72 hours, or in the event of noncompliance with the Official Rules, the prize will be forfeited, and we will draw another winner.

Q- If we declare, do we automatically get a shirt?
   A- No, we will be giving away 75 swag boxes in weekly drawings throughout the month of April and on May 2nd.

Q- When is the last day we can declare?
   A- Declaration Days closes at 11:59pm ET May 1, 2024. Any declarations received after that will not be counted.

Q- When will the school winners be announced?
   A- School winners will be announced on Friday, May 3, 2024.

Q- What if my school wins?
   A- Winning schools will get custom class t-shirts and hats for the students that declared. Your school will reach out with more details about prizes and pickup locations after the start of the semester in August.

Q- When are scholarship winners announced?
   A- Scholarship winners will be notified by email on May 6, 2024, and will have 72 hours to respond.
Q: How will scholarships be paid?

A: Once a winner’s eligibility, as listed in the Official Rules here, have been verified, Fanatics will deliver a check made payable to the winner (or the winner’s parent or legal guardian, if applicable) on or about July 31, 2024.