



## DJ Howard/Walker/Campbell/Shell/VBEA Scholarships

**Type:** Individual (SLC Only)

**Submission:** PDF

**Rating Sheet:** <http://docdro.id/Cv1CVo1>

### Overview

These scholarships are named for Dowell J.

Howard, a Director of Vocational Education who became State Superintendent of Public Instruction; Arthur L. Walker, first State Supervisor of Business Education in Virginia when FBLA was organized in 1950; Walter L. Shell, former Regional Director for the Virginia Tech Region; and Melvin E. Campbell, former Supervisor of Business Education, Department of Education. The Virginia Business Education Association (VBEA) began sponsoring a fifth scholarship in 1997. In 2001, the VBEA amended the scholarship name to include and honor Sarah Lowe Thompson, former FBLA-PBL Specialist.

### Specific Guidelines

The applicants must

- must complete the Future Level of the Business Achievement Awards
- must be a high school junior (rising senior)
- must have been in FBLA at least one year prior to nomination
- should have held some office or served in some capacity where leadership ability has been demonstrated
- must have a scholastic rating in the upper one-fourth of high school class
- should show evidence of leadership qualities such as ability to assume and delegate responsibilities; poise, tact, and initiative; pleasing personality and good personal habits; honesty, dependability, and an outstanding citizenship and character record
- must submit three copies of the official online application ([Howard-Walker-Shell-Campbell-Thompson--VBEA Scholarships Application](#)) to the FBLA State Office by an exact date to be established annually.

### Procedure

#### Interview (SLC)

Applicants will be interviewed for eight (8) minutes by a panel of judges at the State Leadership Conference. The application form and the interview will be the factors for determining the winners and alternates.

A panel of judges will select the winners; all decisions are final. The number of awards presented will be determined by the judges. The maximum number of awards will be three (3) at the regional level and five (5) at the state level.

### Eligibility

- Each chapter may submit one entry.
- Competitors must be underclassmen (no seniors) and have paid dues by March 1.

### Presentation (SLC)

*Performance:* 8 minutes

*Warning:* 7 minutes