



SECTION 9: AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

At our National Championship in Las Vegas, your dancers don't just compete... they get the chance to be recognized in big ways! Dance Team World Education Foundation awards team routines and top soloists based on final division placement. And we present monetary scholarships for standout performers who bring more than just great technique to the floor. Below, you'll find everything you need to know about how awards and scholarships work while your team is on the national stage.

Finals & Awards (only applies if there is a Final round)

1. Advancing to Team Finals

High scoring routines in the preliminary round may advance to a Final round. In divisions separated into multiple groups due to a large amount of entries, the highest scoring routine in that group will automatically advance to finals. Additional teams will advance to finals based on score (this means some groups may send more teams to finals than other groups, based on total score). Finals announcements will be made during the event, as well as posted on our website.

2. Finals Performance Order

The lowest scoring routine from preliminaries will perform first (In the event of a "tie" between two or more teams in the preliminary round, the tie breaker for will be the technique score when determining who will perform first). The remaining team performance order shall be randomized for all other finalist teams in that division.

3. Awards for Finalists & Champions

Every finalist receives a trophy (Additional trophies may be presented in divisions with a large amount of competing teams). All **National Champions** are awarded a banner and trophy.

4. Special Awards

A variety of special awards will be presented at various moments during our awards ceremony program.



Scholarship Awards for College, Trade School & Beyond...

This event is unlike most other National Championship dance competitions, because making a profit is not our primary goal. Every dollar we receive goes back into scholarships, production quality, and meaningful opportunities for the dance team world. We're not here to profit off your dancers and their families—we're here to reinvest in them by growing a community that puts students and educators first.

The **Dance Team World Education Foundation** believes excellence extends beyond the performance floor. Through our non-profit organization, dancers become eligible for a variety of exclusive scholarships awarded throughout our National Championship weekend.

These honors recognize more than just technical skill... They celebrate leadership, creativity, and the spirit of the dance team community. But most importantly, they help us build camaraderie and goodwill within the *dance team world*.

From standout soloists to emerging leaders, we're proud to support the next generation of dance talent with meaningful opportunities that make a difference.

 **Learn more about available scholarships and how your dancers can qualify at:**

www.danceteamworld.com/scholarships