

**Application for
R. Dean Palmer Award**

Name _____

Date _____

Present Grade at Overlake _____

Advisor _____

The Dean Palmer Award is a \$500 grant to pursue a personal area of interest during the summer vacation. Previous winners have pursued interests that stretch beyond the classroom including photography, app design, and service in a third world country. It is intended to create an opportunity for continued learning for those students willing to take on the challenge.

There will be two equal awards granted; one in the middle school and one in the upper school.

Please answer the following questions. Attach your type written responses to this sheet and submit this form to Mike Davidson for Middle School and Meghan Waddle for Upper School on or before Friday, May 31, 2019. Winners will be announced at the Closing Day ceremonies on Friday, June 7, 2019.

1. Explain the area of interest you would like to explore and why it interests you. In what way would winning the Dean Palmer Award make it possible for you to explore this topic in greater depth?
2. Explain specifically how you would use the award if it were granted to you. Be as specific as possible about the way the \$500 would be spent.
3. How would you hope to share your experiences with the Overlake community next year?

I have read my child's application for this award and agree to support him/her in satisfying the requirements of this award should he/she receive it.

Parent Signature _____

Date _____