Seal of Biliteracy Scholarship

Please print and complete the following certification and permission form. Then photograph or scan it and upload it to the end of the application form.

The student & parent/guardian must complete the following certification and permission section:

I, ____________________________________ certify that the essay and open-ended question are my own work with no editing by others. I, or my parents (for applicants under 18 years of age) give permission to NJTESOL/NJBE to edit and publish the essay with the applicant's name and photo if this association deems it appropriate. To the best of my knowledge all the information contained in the application form is accurate.

__________________________________________  __________________________
Signature of Applicant                        Date

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Signature of Parent/Guardian                  Date
(For applicants under 18 years of age)

The teacher must complete the following certification section:

I, ____________________________________ certify that the attached essay is the work of my student ____________________________________ with no editing by others and that the work was written in school. To the best of my knowledge, all the information contained in the application form is accurate. The student is currently in an ESL and/or Bilingual Program. I am a member of NJTESOL/NJBE. I also verify that the student’s transcript is official.

__________________________________________  __________________________
Signature of Referring Teacher                  Date

*Cellphone Number: __________________________  *Email: __________________________

*Required information
**Referring teacher must be a member of NJTESOL/NJBE, Inc.