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Character Education Online Application for State Aid Funding System Is Launched

This is a special announcement from the **CHARACTER_EDUCATION_NETWORK** online mail list. Your name has been added to this list as a result of your completing the New Jersey Department of Education Character Education Network Online Listserv Form or because you have indicated an interest in receiving updates on character education efforts in New Jersey.

The following message is a follow-up to information published in the January 2006 edition of the **CHARACTER_EDUCATION_NETWORK Online Mail List** regarding the launch of the NJ Department of Education's Online Application for NJ Character Education State Aid Funding. On January 30, 2006, NJDOE sent all Chief School Administrators/Charter School Leadpersons a memorandum outlining the new application process. An excerpt from that memo is cited below.

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The Character Education Online Application for State Aid Funding System will be launched on Tuesday, January 31, 2006 and can be accessed from the New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) Homeroom website

(<http://homeroom.state.nj.us/>). In order to access the system, district character education coordinators must obtain a login and password from the district's web user administrator. Please note that the **application deadline is Tuesday, February 28, 2006.**

The department has designed the online application system to be a user-friendly, streamlined version of the paper application used in previous years. **Applicants may contact the online help desk at CharEdapplication@doe.state.nj.us** if technical assistance is required when completing the application.