

Presidential Scholars Program

Application for 2009-2010

Application Postmarked Deadline: March 13, 2009

I. PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Last Name _____ *First Name* _____ *Middle Name* _____ *SFSU ID #* _____ *Date of birth (m/d/yr)* _____

Present Address: _____ Present Phone Number: (____) _____

_____ E-mail Address: _____

Preferred Mailing Address: _____
(if different than above)

_____ *Parent(s) or Guardian's Last Name(s)* _____ *First Name(s)* _____

_____ *Address if different from applicant's address*

Career interest or major field of study planned: _____

II. PERFORMANCE ON NATIONAL TESTS YOU HAVE TAKEN:

a. American College Test (ACT): **(must submit verification)***
Composite score _____ English _____ Math _____ Reading _____ Science reasoning _____

b. Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT): **(must submit verification)*** SAT II Subject _____ Score _____
Total score _____ Critical Reading _____ Math _____ Subject _____ Score _____

*If test scores are recorded on high school transcript, it's not necessary to provide verification.

III. HIGH SCHOOL RECORD:

a. _____ *Name of High School* _____ *Address*

b. Overall Grade point average: **(9th-12th)**
Weighted (5.00 system) _____ unweighted (4.00 system) _____ Rank in Class _____ of _____
(rank) (class size)

****Please have your school send an official 7-semester high school transcript to the address on the next page****

c. Extracurricular Activities: Please list your extracurricular activities **in the order of their importance to you.** (Use back of page or additional sheet if needed.)

Extracurricular Activities	Fr	So	Jr	Sr	Aprox. # of hours/week	Leadership Position(s) held

d. Please list all **awards** and **special recognition** you have received in your high school or community.

Name of Award	Fr	So	Jr	Sr

e. Please identify any **work experience** you have had:

Position	Employer (or "SE" for self-employed)	How long employed?
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

IV. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Is there any information you feel pertinent that is not requested in another part of the application form? If so, you may state it here.

V. LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION:

Please ask one of your high school teachers to write a letter about your academic performance and potential and send it to the address below.

VI. ESSAY:

Please attach a clear, well-organized essay of two pages (500 words), which explains the role which an intellectual or cultural experience (travel, reading a book, seeing a play, hearing a concert, etc.) has had in your life and how it has influenced your personal and professional goals. Tell us how, in turn, San Francisco State University might be able to help you advance these goals. Please type your essay.

The essay provides the selection committee an opportunity to get to know more about you. It also gives you an opportunity to demonstrate your ability to organize your thoughts and express yourself clearly.

Application and essay, letter of recommendation, and official 7-semester high school transcript should be mailed to:

**Academic Program Development
 Att: Presidential Scholars Program
 San Francisco State University
 1600 Holloway Avenue
 San Francisco, CA 94132-4018**

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For more information, visit this website:
<http://academic.sfsu.edu/apd/scholars>
 or contact us at (415) 338-2789
 email: scholars@sfsu.edu

My signature below indicates that all information in my application is correct and the essay is my own work:

Signature

Date