

## The Benefits of Applying for the California Scholarship Federation

### Why?

CSF acknowledges your academic achievement, looks great on college applications, and may open the door for scholarship opportunities.

### Extra Perks?

If you get Sealbearer Status (membership for 4 of your last 6 semesters – 3 semesters for students graduating as juniors), you receive a special seal on your diploma, an indication of Sealbearer Status on your transcript, and a gold cord and at graduation.

### Does it take much time or effort?

Nope. You're already doing the work by getting good grades.

### Do you qualify?

First, you must be at least a second semester freshman. Second, using the preceding fall/spring semester's report card, the computations below, and the following lists, figure out if you have 10 CSF points. If so, you qualify! Complete an application and turn it in at the front desk. If not, no worries – there's always next semester. **This is a semester-to-semester membership, so members must reapply each semester.**

### What now?

If you think you qualify, print out the following application and return your completed application in by the posted date. As per the application instructions, attach a copy of your report card to your application. Please contact us if you have any questions,

### Computations:

These computations are based on your report card from the previous fall or spring semester; **please attach a copy of your report card to your application.**

A. To qualify for CSF membership this semester, follow these guidelines:

1. You must earn *a minimum of 10 points* from last semester's grades.
  - a. The first *4 points* must be from LIST I (unless you are a senior applying for membership in February or June).
  - b. The first *7 points* (including the four points described in a) must be from LISTS I and II.
  - c. The remaining points may come from any LIST (I, II or III).
2. You must use *no more than 5 courses* to qualify.
3. *NO CSF* points are given for physical education, courses taken in lieu of physical education, subjects repeated to improve a grade, courses involving clerking and office/teaching assisting, and courses taken on a pass/fail basis.
4. CSF points are granted as follows:

Points for 10 credit classes:	Points for 5 credit classes:	Points for 2.5 credit classes:
A=6	A=3	A=1.5
B=2	B=1	B=0.5
C=0	C=0	C=0

Notes:

- A grade of D or F in any course, even in one you cannot use to qualify, disqualifies you from membership at this time.
- College courses count.
- Summer courses do not count.

# California Scholarship Federation, Inc., Chapter No. 1297s

## Application for Membership

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Early Graduate? Yes/No (Circle one) Sem/Year of Anticipated Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Permission: I give permission for my child's name to appear in the PCHS online newsletter in order to acknowledge his or her achievements and acceptance into CSF. Yes / No (Circle one)

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Point Computations:

<b>LIST I</b>			
Class Name	Credits	Grade	Points
<b>Total for List I classes:</b>			
Must have at least 2 classes and 4 points.			

<b>LIST II</b>			
Class Name	Credits	Grade	Points
<b>Total for List II classes:</b>			
<b>Combined total for Lists I and II:</b>			
Must have at least 3 classes and 7 points.			

<b>LIST III</b>			
Class Name	Credits	Grade	Points
<b>Total for List III classes:</b>			
<b>Combined total for Lists I, II and III:</b>			
Must have at least 3 classes and 10 points.			

Please complete this application using your previous semester report card, the CSF flyer, and the Qualifying Courses Lists.

You must staple a photocopy of last semester's report card or transcript to this application form.

Submit your application by the posted date.



For office use only:

Date received: \_\_\_\_\_

Membership semester: \_\_\_\_\_

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Denied: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for denial: \_\_\_\_\_

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**PCHS Qualifying Courses for CSF**

**LIST 1**

**ENGLISH/LANGUAGE ARTS:**

English 9  
English 10  
English 11  
English 12

**FOREIGN LANGUAGE (ON-CAMPUS):**

Spanish 1  
Spanish 2  
Spanish 3

**MATHEMATICS:**

Algebra 1 (1 year)  
Algebra 2

Calculus  
Geometry  
Trigonometry  
Pre-Calculus

**SCIENCE:**

Biology w/lab  
Physics w/lab

**SOCIAL SCIENCE:**

Economics  
Government  
U.S. History  
World History, Cultures, & Geography

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**LIST 2**

**ENGLISH/LANGUAGE ARTS:**

Comparative Literature  
Creative Writing  
Journalism A and B

**BUSINESS**

International Business  
Sports & Entertainment Marketing

**MATHEMATICS:**

Algebra 1 (Completed over 2 years)  
Algebra 1 Skills  
Algebra Fundamentals  
Geometry Skills

**SCIENCE:**

Earth Science w/lab  
Intro to Chemistry  
Intro to Physics  
Life Science  
Marine Biology w/lab  
Physical Science

**FINE ARTS**

Music Appreciation

**SOCIAL SCIENCE:**

Concepts of Psychology  
Economics with Financial Literacy  
Forensic Science 1 and 2  
Human Geography  
Humanities  
Intro to Law  
Law and Society  
Psychology A  
Social Problems A

**DIRECT INSTRUCTION COURSES:**

English 9 Direct  
English 10 Direct  
English 11 Direct  
English 12 Direct  
Economics Direct  
Government Direct  
Life Science w/lab Direct  
Physical Science w/lab Direct  
U.S. History Direct  
World History Direct

### **LIST 3**

**ENGLISH/LANGUAGE ARTS:**

Speed Reading  
Yearbook

**MATHEMATICS:**

Accounting  
Business Math  
Consumer Math  
Pre-Algebra  
Statistics

**FINE ARTS**

Fine Arts Survey

**HOME ECONOMICS**

Fashion & Interior Design  
Introduction to Early Childhood Education

**INDUSTRIAL ARTS:**

Cosmetology A and B  
Hospitality and Tourism  
Medical Terminology

**VISUAL/PERFORMING ARTS:**

Advanced Video Production  
Art Elective  
Art Exploration 1 & 2 (UC Approved)  
Drama  
Drawing  
Intermediate Video Production  
Introduction to Video Production  
Painting  
Pastels  
Theatre Arts 1 & 2  
Theater/Cinema/Film Production

**OTHER:**

Careers in Criminal Justice  
Computer Skills  
Driver's Education  
ELD Intermediate Writing Skills  
Health  
Intro to Social Media  
Leadership Project  
Life Management  
RoadTrip Nation  
Study Skills

**FOREIGN LANGUAGE 1-3 (ONLINE):**

Arabic  
Chinese (Mandarin)  
Danish  
Dutch  
Farsi  
French  
German  
Greek  
Hebrew  
Hindi  
Italian  
Japanese  
Korean  
Latin  
Polish  
Portuguese  
Russian  
Spanish  
Swedish  
Tagalog  
Vietnamese

**FUNDAMENTALS COURSES:**

English 9 Fundamentals  
English 10 Fundamentals  
English 11 Fundamentals  
English 12 Fundamentals  
Economics Fundamentals  
Government Fundamentals  
Life Science Fundamentals  
Physical Science Fundamentals  
U.S. History Fundamentals  
World History Fundamentals