

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 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 in the right sections. 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:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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:

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

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

LIST III			
Class Name	Credits	Grade	Points
Total for List III classes:			
Combined total for Lists I, II and III:			
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: _____

PCHS Qualifying Courses for CSF – Chapter 1297

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
Statistics
Trigonometry
Pre-Calculus

SCIENCE:

Biology w/lab
Physics w/lab

SOCIAL SCIENCE:

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

LIST 2

ENGLISH/LANGUAGE ARTS:

Creative Writing
Journalism A and B

BUSINESS

International Business
Sports & Entertainment Marketing

SCIENCE:

Earth and Space Science w/lab
Life Science

Marine Biology w/lab
Physical Science

SOCIAL SCIENCE:

Economics with Financial Literacy
History of the Holocaust
Human Geography
Psychology A
Social Problems A & B

LIST 3

ENGLISH/LANGUAGE ARTS:

Speed Reading
Yearbook

MATHEMATICS:

Accounting
Algebra 1 Skills
Business Math
Consumer Math
Pre-Algebra

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

FINE ARTS

Art & World Cultures
Fine Arts Survey A & B
Music Appreciation

HOME ECONOMICS

Fashion & Interior Design
Introduction to Early Childhood Education

INDUSTRIAL ARTS:

Computer Programming
Computer Science Elective
Cosmetology A and B
Hospitality and Tourism
Intro to Law
Intro to Medical Assisting
Intro to Paralegal Profession
Introduction to Robotics
Medical Law and Ethics
Medical Terminology

SCIENCE

Environmental Science
Forensic Science 1 and 2
Veterinary Science

VISUAL/PERFORMING ARTS:

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

OTHER:

Career Exploration
Careers in Criminal Justice
Concepts of Psychology
Criminal Justice Today
Criminology
Cyber Skills
Driver's Education
ELD Intermediate Writing Skills
Health
Humanities
Intro to Entrepreneurship
Intro to Homeland Security
Intro to Social Media
Law and Order
Leadership Project
Life Management
Real World Parenting
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