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2008/2009 Cal-SOAP/Kern County Scholarship
Renewal Application
Southern San Joaquin Valley Cal-SOAP Consortium
Postmark Deadline: February 1, 2008
\$1,000-\$4,000 Awards

About this scholarship:

The Cal-SOAP/Kern County Scholarship is offered through the Southern San Joaquin Valley Cal-SOAP Consortium to aid graduating seniors who demonstrate financial need in attaining their goal of attending a community college or university. Students applying for the 2008/2009 Renewal must have received the scholarship for the 2007/2008 school year. Students must have consistently been a Full Time student and must be in good academic standing. They also must plan to continue on in both areas. This is the first year the Cal-SOAP/Kern County Scholarship will be offering a Renewal to past awardees. This year approximately 40 renewal scholarships will be awarded. An additional 40-60 Scholarships will be awarded to Kern County Seniors graduating in 2008 (see 2008/2009 Scholarship Application for details). All 2007/2008 award recipients are invited to apply for this renewal. Amounts for the renewal scholarships are as follows: \$1,000 for students attending community/junior college, \$1,000 to \$2,500 for students attending a CSU, \$3,000 for students attending a UC, \$4,000 for students attending private or out-of-state institutions. If your renewal is granted, you will be notified in March of 2008.

Eligibility Requirements

- Must be a recipient of the 2007/2008 Kern County Scholarship.
- Must have maintained full-time status *and* good academic standing.
- Must demonstrate continued financial need.

Instructions

-Please mail the following to complete your application:

- Scholarship renewal application
- Unofficial College Transcript with GPA
- Copy of the FAFSA Student Aid Report
- Statement of Progress
- **Postmark Deadline: February 1, 2007**

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Type or print legibly. Blue or Black ink *only*. Fill out ALL sections.

1. Social Security Number: _____-_____-_____
2. Gender: Male _____ Female _____
3. Name: First _____ Middle _____ Last _____
4. Home Address: Number & Street _____ Apt# _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
5. School Address: (if same, write SAME) _____ Apt# _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Dates to use this address (example August-November, January-May): _____

6. Telephone (_____) _____ - _____ Email: _____
7. Date of birth: (month/day/year) ____/____/____ Current Age: _____

8.

	Mother	Father
Did either of your parent(s) attend college (in the U.S. or abroad)?	Yes _____ No _____	Yes _____ No _____
If yes, did they complete their degree?	Yes _____ No _____	Yes _____ No _____
Are they still enrolled?	Yes _____ No _____	Yes _____ No _____

9. List the high school you graduated from and all colleges attended:

10. Parent(s) marital status: Married _____ Single _____ Separated _____ Divorced _____

11. Number of dependents your parent(s) are currently supporting (including yourself) _____

12. Students marital status: Married _____ Single _____ Separated _____ Divorced _____

13. Are you currently employed (or have you been in the past year)? Yes _____ No _____

-If yes, how many hours do you work per week?

Less than 10 _____ 10-20 _____ 21-30 _____ over 30 _____

Name of Employer: _____

Position: _____

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Statement of Progress:

For this section, please write a 1-2 page essay (double space, 12 pt font) on the topic of your personal progress over the past year. We suggest discussing your education, social involvement and any experiences (obstacles, accomplishments, strategies) from your time in college that you feel may be inspirational to incoming freshman college students or high school students contemplating attending college. (Experts from your statement may be used for promotional purposes for future scholarship competitions.)

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I certify that all information given in this renewal application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Student Signature: _____ Date ____/____/____

Mailing Instructions:

_____ Make sure that your application packet is complete and legible. Incomplete or illegible applications will not be considered.

_____ Include completed Application

_____ Include Statement of Progress (1-2 pages)

_____ Include Unofficial College Transcript with GPA

_____ Please write your full name on each document you submit

_____ Applications must be postmarked by February 1, 2008.

_____ **Mail to:**

Southern San Joaquin Valley Cal SOAP Consortium

Attn: Alyse Barrios

1300 17th Street

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(*Faxed or emailed applications will **not** be accepted.)

Questions? Contact Alyse Barrios at (661) 636-4595 or albarrios@kern.org