

California Scholarship Federation, Inc.

CSF Semester Membership Application 2025-2026

High School		
Last Name:	First:	M.I.
Address:		Home Phone:
Circle or enter one of the following:	Current Grade Level: 9, 10, 11, 12	Student #:
Applying w/ grades earned in: 9,10,11,12	Semester: 1 st or 2 nd	

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

1. A student must have taken a **minimum of three (3) courses from LISTS I and II**; at least two (2) of these three courses must be from LIST I only. *(However, seniors applying at the start of their second semester or at graduation may use three (3) courses from LIST II and none from LIST I.)* Additional courses may be taken from any LIST, including LIST III. A student is limited to a maximum of five courses (25 credits) for the computation of CSF eligibility.
2. 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 January or May).
 - 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)**.
3. You must use **no more than 5 courses** to qualify.
4. **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.
5. CSF points are granted as follows:
 A grade of **'A'** = 3 CSF points A grade of **'B'** = 1 CSF point A grade of **'C'** = 0 points
 A grade of **'D'** or **'F'** in any course, even in one you cannot use to qualify, disqualifies you from membership at this time.
One additional point shall be granted for a **grade of 'A' or 'B'** in an **AP, IB, or UC Honors** course on Lists I, II only, up to a maximum of two such points per semester. **College courses do not earn an extra point.**

B. Also remember:

1. Semester membership is based on work done in the **previous** semester. (Any courses taken in the summer may not be used)
2. You must reapply **each** semester – membership is not automatic. **Student Dues are not required for CSF membership.**
3. To be awarded the status of Sealbearer or Life Member, students must be a member for **four** of their last six semesters based on grades earned in 10, 11 and 12. **At least ONE semester MUST be the second semester of the senior year.**
4. Use **Approved CSF Course Lists (Lists I, II and III)** as provided by CSF Adviser.

C. List the courses you are using to qualify in the location below. Consult the COURSE LISTS provided.

LIST I Courses	Grade	Points	LIST II Courses	Grade	Points	LIST III Courses	Grade	Points

TOTAL POINTS from LIST I:
 (must be at least 4, except for seniors
 applying in January or May) _____

TOTAL POINTS from
 LISTS I and II: (must be at least 7) _____

GRAND TOTAL of POINTS
 from all LISTS: (must be at least 10) _____