

A. Personal Information (cont.)

Part 1. Applicant's Status

	Yes	No
1. Were you born before January 1, 1986?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. At the beginning of the 2009-2010 school year, will you be working on a master's or doctorate program (such as an MA, MBA, MD, JD, PhD, EdD, or graduate certificate, etc.)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. As of today, are you married? (Answer "Yes" if you are separated but not divorced.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Do you have children who receive more than half of their support from you?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Do you have dependents (other than your children or spouse) who live with you and who receive more than half of their support from you, now and through June 30, 2009?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Are (a) both your parents deceased, or (b) are you (or were you until age 18) a ward/dependent of the court?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Are you currently serving on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces for purposes other than training?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Are you a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

B. Family and Immigration Information

Place of birth _____

Immigration status _____

Have you or any family members (parent or grandparent) immigrated to the U.S.? If so please explain who, when, from where, and under what circumstances:

List your siblings, their age(s), and educational level:

List your children and their ages:

List member(s) of your household who will attend college or a professional/technical training program at least half time in 2009-2010:

YOUR PARENT(S) INFORMATION

Mother's Name:	Father's Name:
City of Residence:	City of Residence:
Occupation:	Occupation:
Income, current: Income, 2008:	Income, current: Income, 2008:
Education Level:	Education Level:
Ethnicity:	Ethnicity:
Age:	Age:
Homeowner? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Homeowner? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

C. Financial Aid Award Letter And Financial Statement

Please include a copy of your 2008-2009 Financial Aid Award letter from the school you are currently attending, if you have one.

ESTIMATED SOURCE OF INCOME (2009-2010)

Employment earnings:	\$	
From spouse, family, other:	\$	
Work/Study:	\$	
Savings, other sources:	\$	
Other anticipated Financial assistance: Scholarships, Fellowships, Grants, Loans		
Source	Amount	Start/end date
1. _____	\$ _____	_____
2. _____	\$ _____	_____
3. _____	\$ _____	_____
4. _____	\$ _____	_____
Total Income:	Total Amount:	

ESTIMATED EXPENSES (2009-2010)

Tuition and Fees:	\$ _____
Housing, Dorm, Rent, Utilities:	\$ _____
Food:	\$ _____
Book and Supplies:	\$ _____
Personal:	\$ _____
Medical:	\$ _____
Child care:	\$ _____
Debt repayment: List below	
Name	Amount
1. _____	\$ _____
2. _____	\$ _____
3. _____	\$ _____
Total Expenses:	Total Amount:

Other Information

a. Do you plan to work while attending school: Yes No If Yes, hours per week: _____

b. Briefly explain any special financial or family circumstances that you may want us to consider:

c. Are you applying for a study abroad program for next year or do you plan to spend any portion of the academic year out of the Bay Area? If so, where and during what period of time?

D1. Education Plans and History for UNDERGRADUATES

In order to be eligible for this scholarship you must have attended one of the schools below in 2008-2009 and you must attend one of them in 2009-2010.

School you attended in 2008-2009

School you will attend in 2009-2010

- California State University, East Bay Campus
- San Francisco State
- San Jose State
- Sonoma State
- University Of California, Berkeley

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Units taking per term in 2009-2010

Summer 2009: _____ Fall 2009: _____ Winter 2010: _____ Spring 2010: _____

What year will you be in college during the 2009-2010 school year? (If you will not be an upper division student in one of the above schools, you are not eligible to apply for the scholarship.)

- Junior
- Senior

What is your (intended) major? _____

What are your current educational objectives? (check as many as apply)

- First Bachelor's Degree
- Second (or more) Bachelor's Degree

Future Graduate Studies; field or area: _____

Approximate date you will receive the degree for which you are applying for funding

Month: _____ Year: _____

High School attended _____ Year graduated: _____

List all previous colleges, years of attendance, and any degrees you already have completed.

Are you the first person in your family to attend college: Yes No

If NO, who has attended and what was their field of study:

D2. Education Plans and History for GRADUATES

In order to be eligible for this scholarship you must have received a Bachelor's Degree, been a previous New Leader Scholarship recipient, and be enrolled in a California public university graduate program in 2009-2010.

School you attended in 2008-2009 (or most recent): _____

Major: _____ Minor: _____

School you will attend in 2009-2010: _____

Units taking per term in 2009-2010: Summer 2009: ____ Fall 2009: ____ Winter 2010: ____
Spring 2010: ____

What year will you be in your graduate program during the 2009-2010 school year?

First Year Second Year Third Year Fourth Year

What is your intended Field of Study? _____

What are your current educational objectives? (check as many as apply)

Master's Program Ph.D. Program Medical Degree Law Degree

Other type of graduate program: _____

Approximate date you will receive the degree for which you are applying for funding

Month: _____ Year: _____

List all previous colleges, years of attendance, and all degrees you already have completed.

E. Background Information and Non-Academic Achievement

1. WORK EXPERIENCE

Dates	Employer	Title/Responsibilities
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

2. COMMUNITY SERVICE / VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Dates	Type of service/description of activities
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

3. RECREATIONAL INTERESTS

F. Document and Interview Requirements

1. ESSAY

Please provide a maximum 700 word autobiography addressing the following points: your educational goals, how the scholarship will assist you in attaining those goals, what has motivated you to attend college, and who are the significant figures in your life.

2. TRANSCRIPTS

Please include an official transcript from your current school through the fall 2008 term. You must have a minimum 3.5 GPA either at your current school or at a combination of your last two schools in order to qualify for this scholarship; therefore, if your current official transcript does not reflect the 3.5 GPA requirements, include either official or unofficial transcripts from previous schools attended. Consideration will be given to students with a GPA of 3.2 – 3.49.

3. TWO LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

Please provide two letters of recommendation, one of which must be from a **FACULTY** member in your area of interest.

4. INTERVIEWS

If you are selected as an eligible scholarship candidate, you will be required to attend a mandatory interview with the scholarship committee, which is currently scheduled for May 2nd and 3rd, 2009.

G. Scholarship Information

Have you previously applied for this scholarship? Yes No Received it? Yes No

How did you first hear about this scholarship opportunity?
(Mark only one box):

- | | |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Marin Education Fund Website | <input type="checkbox"/> Marin Education Fund Representative |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flyer, Poster, or Brochure | <input type="checkbox"/> Faculty Member: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Friend or Relative | <input type="checkbox"/> Community Based Organization: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> New Leader Scholarship Website | <input type="checkbox"/> Recipient of New Leader Scholarship |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Campus Scholarship Office | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | |

H. Authorization And Certification

I understand that it is my responsibility to read, understand and fill out this application accurately and completely and to comply with all deadlines.

I understand that I must inform Marin Education Fund of any changes in address, enrollment, or financial circumstances.

I authorize school, federal, state and/or county officials to release to Marin Education Fund information pertaining to my academic record, financial aid eligibility, and the amount and type of aid or benefits received. This information is to be used solely for the purpose of determining my eligibility for Marin Education Fund’s New Leader Scholarship and other scholarship programs that Marin Education Fund administers.

I agree to allow Marin Education Fund to share the information I have provided with any other student aid funding source, including Marin Education Fund-administered scholarship programs for which I may be eligible.

I authorize Marin Education Fund to use my name and school for the purposes of community relations and program evaluation.

I understand that my scholarship application may be denied or withdrawn if it is incomplete and/or if any information reported on this application is found to be intentionally misleading, inaccurate or fraudulent.

I have read and understand my rights and responsibilities.

My signature confirms that I have read and understand the above stated Authorization and Certification.

Applicant’s signature

Date