



Application for the MESA Scholarship Program



Exclusively for
High School and Community College
MESA Students Majoring in
Mathematics, Engineering, or Science
Who Receive a Cal Grant

Please complete the application steps described herein
and return as soon as possible to:

Mr. Jerred Thompson
Office of Admission
University of the Pacific
Stockton, CA 95211

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Step 1: ADMISSION & MESA SCHOLARSHIP

University of the Pacific Admission Application MESA Scholarship Application MESA Advisor/Director Letter Test Scores

- Fill out the University of the Pacific admission application at www.pacific.edu/admission and this MESA Scholarship Application, following all instructions provided.
- Ask your MESA advisor/director to write a letter of recommendation certifying your MESA participation. Letter of recommendation can be mailed in or completed online at www.pacific.edu/recommendation.
- Send your admission application, scholarship application and MESA advisor/director letter to:
Office of Admission
University of the Pacific
3601 Pacific Ave.
Stockton, CA 95211
- If you are applying to the University of the Pacific as a Freshman, you are required to take either the SAT-I or the ACT and have your scores sent electronically to Pacific. Please be aware that the December test will be the last scores accepted for admission.

<u>Application Type</u>	<u>Application Deadline</u>	<u>Notification Date</u>
Early Action (Priority Filing Date)	November 15, 2017	January 15, 2018
Pre-Pharmacy	November 15, 2017	March 15, 2018
Pre-Dentistry	November 15, 2017	March 15, 2018
Dental Hygiene	November 15, 2017	March 15, 2018
Regular Freshman Admissions	January 15, 2018	March 15, 2018

Step 2: FINANCIAL AID

Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)

- To apply for financial aid, including a Cal Grant, you'll need to file a 2018-2019 FAFSA. The FAFSA is available October 1.
- Complete the FAFSA at www.fafsa.gov. Or call 800-433-3243 to have a paper FAFSA mailed to you. Both versions are available in Spanish.
- E-sign your FAFSA using your FSAID. If you don't already have an FSAID you can create one when logging into fafsa.gov.

Priority Filing Date: January 15, 2018

Cal Grant GPA Verification Form (New Cal Grant Applicants ONLY)

- To apply for a Cal Grant, also get a 2018-2019 Cal Grant GPA verification form from your high school counselor or your community college financial aid office.
- Fill out and sign the STUDENT section.
- Have an official at your school complete the SCHOOL section, certifying your Cal Grant GPA. Mail your completed form in the envelope provided to the **California Student Aid Commission**.

Some schools submit a list of GPAs directly to the California Student Aid Commission. If your school follows this procedure, you don't have to send in an individual GPA Form, but it's your responsibility to confirm that the school will submit your GPA for you no later than March 2nd. If you already have a Cal Grant or a Community College Reserve award, do not file a GPA Verification Form.

Deadline: March 2, 2018

Please type your responses or print in ink.

This application is for: _____ Freshman _____ Transfer

Name: (Mr. ___)(Ms. ___) _____
(Last) (First) (Middle) (Preferred or nickname)

Former last name(s), if any: _____

Current mailing address: _____
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip Code)

Phone(s): () _____ () _____
(Day) (Evening) E-mail address _____

CAL Grant Type A B
(If known)

I have been a member of the MESA Chapter(s) in:

School/MESA Center	Advisor/Phone	Address
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Please provide us a written statement describing your past MESA-related activities, and the value you see in MESA (about 100 words in length).

Signature of applicant: _____ Date: _____

MESA Scholarship Information

To ensure admission to the MESA Scholarship Program at the University of the Pacific, the applicant should submit all required materials as soon as possible. Applications are processed as they are received.

If an applicant changes his/her address or telephone number, or has questions regarding MESA materials or his/her admission status, please contact:

**Office of Admission, University of the Pacific, Stockton, CA 95211
(209) 946-2211**

