APPLICATION FOR CONGRESSIONAL NOMINATION
FOR APPOINTMENT TO UNITED STATES SERVICE ACADEMIES

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NAME_____

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LEGAL RESIDENCE_____
(Street)

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(City) (State) (Zip)

MAILING ADDRESS_____
(if different)

EMAIL ADDRESS_____

TELEPHONE(____)_____**SOCIAL SECURITY NO.**_____
DATE OF BIRTH_____**PLACE OF BIRTH**_____
MOTHER'S NAME_____**FATHER'S NAME**_____

HIGH SCHOOL_____**COLLEGE (if any)**_____

G.P.A._____ **SAT SCORES: Reading**_____ **Math**_____
Writing _____ **RANK IN CLASS**_
_____ **of**_____ **students**

U.S. CITIZENSHIP: Yes_____**No**_____ **ACT SCORES: Reading**_____ **Math**_____
English_____ **Science**_____

LANGUAGES SPOKEN: _____

ACADEMY PREFERENCE: Rank each academy in order of your preference from first to fourth.

_____**AIR FORCE** _____ **MILITARY** _____ **MERCHANT MARINE** _____ **NAVAL**

PLEASE SIGN AND RETURN TO: **Congressman David Dreier**
510 East Foothill Boulevard, Suite 201
San Dimas, California 91773

I understand that I must be a U.S. citizen and a legal resident of the 26th Congressional District of California. (By law, Members of Congress may only nominate applicants from within their Congressional districts.)

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Signature

_____
Date

HOW TO APPLY FOR A CONGRESSIONAL NOMINATION TO A UNITED STATES SERVICE ACADEMY

Deadline: Applications must be received in Congressman Dreier's San Dimas office on or before November 1st of the year prior to the year of entry.
Criteria: Applicants must be at least 17 years old, but not have passed their 22nd birthday by July 1 of the year of entry to an academy. Applicants must be unmarried, not pregnant, and have no legal obligation to support children or other dependents. Evaluations are based on the "whole person" concept and take into consideration your academic, leadership and physical abilities.

Your academy file: In order to be complete, your application must contain the following:

1) Transcripts-
Applicants must provide a current transcript from the last high school attended and all college work completed.

2) SAT/ACT scores-
It is your responsibility to make sure that test scores are sent to Congressman Dreier's district office. In order to have scores sent directly to Congressman Dreier's office, use **SAT Code 4288.** If taking the **ACT**, use **Code 7265.** The exams may be taken as many times as desired. Only the best scores will be considered. For more information on the exams and the dates they will be offered, consult your high school counselor.

3) Three letters of reference-
Three supporting letters of reference must be forwarded directly from the individual writing the reference. All must be from adults outside your immediate family, and at least one must be from a representative of the last educational institution attended.

4) Two essays-
On separate pages, attach two essays. The first should describe how attendance at a U.S. Service Academy will meet your career and personal goals. The second should describe your extracurricular activities including honors, awards, affiliations, employment, special accomplishments, athletics, etc.

5) A recent small photograph of yourself-
If you wish, you may include a photograph with your application. This is optional and entirely at your discretion.

Interviews: Applicant interviews with Congressman Dreier's Academy Advisory Board will be scheduled in December. Upon completion of your file, you will be notified of an interview date.

Nominations and appointments: Nominations will be given using the competitive method, with all nominees submitted unranked to the Academy. The Academy will contact the candidates, evaluate each applicant and extend the final offer of appointment. This will allow equal opportunity for all nominees. If nominated, you will be notified no later than February 1. If offered an appointment, you will receive notification by May 1. If not selected, you may apply the following year. In fact, many applicants succeed after an additional year of preparation.

ACADEMY NOMINATION APPLICATION
CHECK-LIST

	Date Submitted
_____ **Application**	_____
_____ **Transcripts**	_____
_____ **SAT/ACT scores**	_____
_____ **Three letters of reference**	_____
_____ **Two essays**	_____
_____ **A recent small photograph of yourself (optional)**	_____

PLEASE REMEMBER

1) Carefully read all application instructions and information.
2) The deadline to submit your application is **November 1st.**
3) If you have any questions, please write or call Cheryl Lynn at:

Congressman David Dreier's Office
510 East Foothill Boulevard, Suite 201
San Dimas, California 91773
(909) 575-6226 or (888)906-2626

IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE APPLICANT TO SEE THAT THEIR APPLICATION AND OTHER REQUIRED INFORMATION REACHES CONGRESSMAN DREIER'S OFFICE.