



CUESTA COLLEGE

2009/2010 ACADEMIC COMPETITIVENESS GRANT (ACG)

RIGOROUS COURSE OF STUDY

VERIFICATION FORM

_____ Cuesta College Student ID & SSN

_____ Date

_____ Last Name

_____ First Name

_____ M.I.

_____ Street Address

_____ City

_____ State

_____ Zip

_____ High School Attended

_____ Date Graduated (MM/YYYY)

I hereby authorize high school officials to release information regarding my high school academic records to Cuesta College.

_____ Student Signature

_____ Date

✓ *Students: Please submit this form to your High School for verification after you have completed the top portion.*

High School Office Use Only

The student identified above may be eligible for an additional Federal grant based on this verification. When the verification is complete, return this form to the Cuesta College Financial Aid Office. The student will not be considered for an ACG award until this form is received by our office. **Please complete the back page of this form, after the graduation date.**

The student identified above graduated from _____ on _____
Name of High School Date Graduated (MM/DD/YYYY)

And has completed the following rigorous course(s) of study:

_____ Completed the California Rigorous Program: "A through G" UC/CSU Course Requirements
A-G Requirements for the ACG Grant are listed on the back of this form. Please verify.

_____ Golden State Seal Merit Diploma

_____ AP Exam # _____ Grade: _____ AP Exam # _____ Grade: _____

_____ AP Exam # _____ Grade: _____ AP Exam # _____ Grade: _____

_____ California International Baccalaureate Exam Score: _____

OR

_____ Completed an out of state requirement in: _____ State Type of requirement: _____

_____ Student is not eligible based on specified requirements.

High School Seal:

**Form must include
official High School seal**

_____ Print name of Principal or Designee

_____ Phone Number

_____ Signature of Principal or Designee

_____ Date

Return form to:
CUESTA COLLEGE
Attn: FINANCIAL AID OFFICE
P.O. BOX 8106, SAN LUIS OBISPO, CA 93403
NOTE: DO NOT FAX THIS FORM

**To be completed by the student's High School counselor after the student has officially graduated.
(Please check the satisfied requirements)**

• **California A-G Requirements for Academic Competitive Grant Consideration.**

- _____ A. History/Social Science: 2 years required. Two years of history/social science selected from world history, cultures and geography; U.S. history; or, a combination of U.S. History, American government/civics, and economics equal to one year; and
- _____ B. English: 4 years required. Four years of college-preparatory English that includes frequent and regular writing, and reading of classic and modern literature. **No more than one year of ESL-type courses can be used to meet this requirement;** and
- _____ C. Mathematics: 3 years required. Three years of college-preparatory mathematics that include the topics covered in elementary and advanced algebra and two- and three-dimensional geometry. Approved integrated math courses may be used to fulfill part or all of this requirement; and
- _____ D. Laboratory Science: 2 years required. Two years of **laboratory science** chosen from biology, chemistry, physics, or physical science. Advanced laboratory science classes that have biology, chemistry or physics as prerequisites and offer substantial additional material may be used to fulfill this requirement. Two years of an approved integrated science program may be used to fulfill this requirement; and
- _____ E. Language other than English: 2 years required. Two years of the same language other than English. Courses should emphasize speaking and understanding, and include instruction in grammar, vocabulary, reading, composition and culture; and
- _____ F. Visual and Performing Arts: 1 year required. A single yearlong approved arts course from a single VPA discipline: dance, drama/theater, music or visual art. Courses used to fulfill this requirement must satisfy the five State standards for artistic perception, creative expression, historical and cultural context, aesthetic valuing, and connections, relations and application; and
- _____ G. College Preparatory Electives: 1 year required. One year, in addition to those required in "A-F" above, chosen from the following areas: visual and performing arts (non-introductory level courses), history, social science, English, advanced mathematics, laboratory science and language other than English (a third year in the language used for the "E" requirement or two years of another language).

Signature

Date

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ACG _____

ACGI _____

ACG2 _____

ACG NE _____

Date _____