



Harvey Mudd College S-STEM Scholarship Program

Application

The HMC S-STEM Program is funded by a grant from the National Science Foundation's Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) Program. It is a program of scholarships and academic support for students at Harvey Mudd College who have demonstrated financial need. It is intended especially for students who want to begin learning about career opportunities in STEM fields in their first and second years of study. S-STEM scholars will be invited to participate in optional academic and professional development activities organized by faculty and staff.

The HMC S-STEM Program aims to encourage and enable academically talented, financially needy students to earn degrees in STEM fields and enter the workforce following completion of an HMC degree and subsequent graduate or professional study, if they choose to pursue such study. You must be a US citizen, permanent resident, US national, or otherwise qualified alien to apply, and you must qualify for financial aid of at least \$5,000 on the basis of your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

The S-STEM Scholarship has a maximum value of \$10,000 annually and will be awarded to students during the first and second years of study. The scholarship will enable recipients to pursue their undergraduate education at Harvey Mudd College without loans and without work-study obligations. Students with demonstrated need for financial aid greater than \$10,000 will be awarded additional grant aid up to their level of eligibility. HMC commits to continuing financial aid support to S-STEM Scholarship recipients at their levels of eligibility in the junior and senior years.

To apply for the S-STEM Scholarship, please complete this application form and submit it via email following the instructions at the top of the next page. If for some reason you are unable to send it via email, you may fax your completed form to (909) 607-7046 or send a printed copy to postal address

Harvey Mudd College
Office of Financial Aid
301 Platt Boulevard
Claremont, CA 91711

Completed applications must be received by Monday, 16 February 2009.

The following is a PDF form. Fill out all fields (you can move between them with the tab key) before pressing the Submit button. You may find it convenient to compose your answers in a word processor and then paste them into the text boxes. When you click the Submit button, your answers will be packaged into a form submission (.fdf) document and attached to an email message addressed to admission@hmc.edu. **You must then send the mail message for your submission to be received.** Please do so by 16 February 2009. Thank you.



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1. Please describe an accomplishment of which you are especially proud. Be as specific as you can. (up to $\frac{3}{4}$ page).

2. Harvey Mudd College's curriculum is quite demanding, but it's important to maintain some of your outside interests. What one or two nonacademic interests will you be sure to continue to pursue during your college career, and why are they important to you? (up to $\frac{3}{4}$ page).



I understand that my high school transcript, standardized test scores, and financial-aid need as determined by the FAFSA will be also be used in evaluating this application.

First name

Last name

Address

High School

Date

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