

SAN DIEGO MESA COLLEGE



SEEDS Scholars Program
Undergraduate STEM Student Recruitment, Retention, and Transfer Program

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

READ AND FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY Submit materials to:

SEEDS Selection Committee

Send electronic submissions to (preferred):
llopez@sdccd.edu
Include "SEEDS Application" in the subject line

Address ground mail submissions to:
Dr. Leticia P. López
7250 Mesa College Drive, G-248
San Diego, CA 92111

Please be sure to include/complete the following materials:

1. **Application.** Completed, signed, and delivered by May 6, 2015. We frequently communicate with applicants by e-mail. Provide a reliable e-mail account that you check and use often.
2. **Letters of Reference.** Submit two letters of reference to our office. One of the letters should be from a teacher or other person qualified to evaluate your scientific and academic background. The other letter should come from a community member and address your conscientiousness, perseverance, and/or curiosity. Community references should come from someone with experience interacting with adolescents/young-adults (e.g. coach, work supervisor, church leader). Letters may be sent by the author to our offices directly, or you may submit copies with this application.
3. **Transcripts.** Attach unofficial copies of your transcripts from Reg-E of current and past classes taken at Mesa College.

Questions? Contact: Dr. Leticia P. López, E-Mail: llopez@sdccd.edu, PH: 619-388-2353
For more information, visit our website at www.sdmesa.edu/seeds

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STUDENT INFORMATION:

Today's Date: _____

Address: _____

Name: _____

Home Phone: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Cell Phone: _____

High School: _____

E-Mail: _____

Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female

Are you Hispanic or Latino? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Select All That Apply:

☐ Mexican ☐ Mexican-American ☐ Chicano

☐ Central American ☐ South American ☐ Hispanic Other

What is your race/ethnicity? (Check one or more)

- ☐ Asian Indian
- ☐ Chinese
- ☐ Japanese
- ☐ Korean
- ☐ Laotian
- ☐ Cambodian
- ☐ Vietnamese
- ☐ Filipino
- ☐ Asian Other

- ☐ Guamanian
- ☐ Hawaiian
- ☐ Samoan
- ☐ Pacific Islander Other

- ☐ Black or African American
- ☐ American Indian/Alaskan Native
- ☐ White
- ☐ Other

ACADEMICS:

What degree(s) & major(s) are you currently considering as your goal in college?



If you have considered where you plan to earn a baccalaureate degree, please list which four-year colleges or universities you will be applying to for transfer admission after attending San Diego Mesa College.

RESIDENCY/CITIZENSHIP:

Please indicate: ☐ U.S. citizen ☐ Permanent resident

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Check box, if applicable:

☐ First-generation college student ☐ EOPS student ☐ Disabled

Mother/Guardian's level of education and occupation: _____

Father/Guardian's level of education and occupation: _____

Have you applied for and received financial aid? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If so, please explain current award:

List any extracurricular or volunteer activities:



List any clubs or organizations you joined during high school or currently enrolled in Mesa College:

List academic honors and/or scholarships earned:

List any community service or volunteer work:

Are you presently employed? If so, where do you work and how many hours per week?

LETTERS OF REFERENCE:

List the names of two individuals who have written your letters of recommendation?

1. _____ (academic)
2. _____ (community)



Please describe your career goals:

Please describe your background with various cultural experiences:

Please describe your interest in science:

Please describe how you learned about the SEEDS Scholars Program:

Why would you like to join the SEEDS Scholars Program?



TRANSCRIPTS

Please upload your unofficial transcripts from Reg-E of current and past classes taken at Mesa College.

CERTIFICATION

I certify that all the information provided in this application is accurate and complete, to the best of my knowledge. The SEEDS Scholars Program has my permission to contact the admissions or registrar office for student record verifications. If selected into the SD Mesa College SEEDS Scholars Program, I understand that providing false information is grounds for dismissal from the program.

Student Name (printed): _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Candidate No. _____
Date Received _____

Writing Assessment Score _____
Math Assessment Score _____