



American Chemical Society Scholars Program  
*Pathways to Success in the Chemical Sciences*

# ACS Scholars Application Instructions

To apply for the American Chemical Society Scholars Program, you must:

- Submit an application form or [apply online](#) by March 1, 2009.
- Submit a copy of your Student Aid Report (SAR). This form is provided to you after you submit your [Free Application for Federal Student Aid form \(FAFSA\)](#). Information on the form is kept confidential.
- High school students must submit (or arrange to have sent) the (1) most recent official transcript or grade report, (2) ACT or SAT score report, and (3) two letters of recommendation. We require at least one recommendation from a chemistry instructor or someone who is familiar with your work in science. Recommendations may be emailed to [scholars@acs.org](mailto:scholars@acs.org).
- College students must submit an official transcript of grades plus two letters of recommendation. College freshmen will need to provide a high school transcript in addition to the college transcript. Transfer students must submit copies of transcripts from all previous institutions attended (transcripts from current institutions that include transferred credits/courses is acceptable). We require at least one recommendation from a faculty member in your field of study. The second letter of recommendation should be from someone who knows you as a student, an employee or volunteer, and who can provide insight into your personal character, potential, motivation and ability to successfully complete a rigorous scientific course of study. Recommendations may be emailed to [scholars@acs.org](mailto:scholars@acs.org).

All documentation must be received by March 1, 2009. Please mail to:

**American Chemical Society Scholars Program**  
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## Questions?

Please email [scholars@acs.org](mailto:scholars@acs.org) or call (800) 227-5558 ext 6250.