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# FEDERAL ACADEMIC COMPETITIVENESS GRANT APPLICATION

## 2009-2010

Student Name: _____ LCC Student #: _____

To qualify for the Federal Academic Competitiveness Grant (ACG), you must meet **all** of the following criteria:

1. U. S. citizen
2. Enrolled in an eligible degree program
3. Have a high school graduation date of January 1, 2006 or later
4. Have demonstrated financial need
5. Are eligible for Federal Pell Grant funds
6. Have taken **all** of the courses listed in **one** of the three criteria below:

**A.** STATE SCHOLARS OR VARIATION CRITERIA

- Four years of English Language Arts
- Three years of math – Algebra I, Algebra II, and Geometry
- Three years of science – Biological Science, Physical Science and Chemistry
- Three years of social studies – U.S. Government, Economics, American History, World History
- One year foreign language

**OR**

**B**. MICHIGAN MERIT STANDARD CRITERIA

- Four years of English Language Arts
- Four years of math - Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II and one credit in the senior year
- Three years of science - Biology, Chemistry or Physics and one additional science credit
- Three years of social studies - .5 credit in Civics, .5 credit in Economics, U.S. History and Geography, and World History and Geography
- One years of physical education/health
- One years of visual, performing, applied arts
- One on-line course or learning experience

**OR**

**C**. ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) OR INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE (IB) COURSES AND TEST SCORES

- Two Advanced Placement (AP) or two International Baccalaureate (IB) courses in high school
- Minimum passing score on the exams:
  - Advanced Placement (AP) 3 or higher
  - International Baccalaureate (IB) courses 4 or higher

**Check all that apply:**

- ☐ I am a U. S. citizen
- ☐ I am in an eligible degree program
- ☐ I have a high school graduation date of **January 1, 2006** or later
- ☐ I have taken **all** of the courses listed in **one** of the three criteria listed above (indicate criteria below):
  - ☐ State Scholars or Variation Criteria
  - ☐ Michigan Merit Standard Criteria
  - ☐ Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) Courses and Test Scores Criteria
- ☐ I have attached my **official** high school transcript

*You must attach your ***OFFICIAL*** **high school transcript** to this form to be considered for the ACG Grant*

Signature: _____ Date: _____