

# Chinese American Association of Solano County

## High School Scholarship Program

CAASC  
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**Offered by:** The Chinese American Association of Solano County

**Description:** The Chinese American Association of Solano County (CAASC) is a non-profit organization dedicated to advancing the well being of Chinese Americans and the betterment of the community. The CAASC participates in community events and sponsors cultural and educational programs throughout the year. The CAASC also awards a minimum of four scholarships to students of Solano County High Schools and Community Colleges on an annual basis.

**Value:** A minimum of four scholarships with a nonrenewable award of \$500.00 per scholarship.

**Eligibility:** Must be a high school senior or community college student in Solano County. Must be a United States citizen or permanent resident of the U.S. Must be a 3.5 average student and must be able to provide three letters of recommendations.

**Basis of Award:** Academic performance; scholastic aptitude; demonstrated motivation and ability; community service and involvement; financial need; decision of independent selection committee.

### Application Procedures:

1. Completion of entire CAASC Scholarship Packet
2. Scholarship package delivered to CAASC no later than January 15, 2010.  
**Applications will not be accepted after 5pm January 15th.**

**Point of Contact:** Shelmae Turner, Chairperson – Youth and Scholarship Committee  
(707) 330-4389 or shelmae@caasc.net

**CAASC**  
**Chinese American Association of Solano County**  
**High School Scholarship Application**

Completed Application Will Include: (Please Print or Type Application)

- A. Application Form
- B. School Activities/Athletics Report
- C. Application Essay
- D. Official School Transcripts
- E. Letters of Recommendation (3)  
Recommendations may come from any combination of the following:  
(Principal, Vice Principal, Counselor, Teacher/ Instructor, Coach, Employer)

**Completed Applications must be received at the CAASC office by 5pm January 15, 2010**  
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Name: (Last) \_\_\_\_\_ (First) \_\_\_\_\_ (Middle) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (Home) \_\_\_\_\_ (Work) \_\_\_\_\_

School Currently Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_ If non-citizen, what type of visa do you hold? \_\_\_\_\_

Family Information: (Family information pertaining to those living in your household)

Father: (Name) \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: (Name) \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated Annual Family Income: \_\_\_\_\_

- Other family members: (List name, age, school attending as applicable)

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Have you applied for admission to any colleges? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, please list each school

School:

Accepted:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Have not heard \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Have not heard \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Have not heard \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Have not heard \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Have not heard \_\_\_\_\_

What will you be majoring and minoring in during college? \_\_\_\_\_

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Why have you chosen this area of study? \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you applied for state or federal grants and/or any other scholarships?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ If not, why not? \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you been awarded any scholarships? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, please list the name(s) of the scholarship and the amount awarded:

Scholarship:

Award Amount:

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Do you intend to work after graduation? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Do you intend to work while in college? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Do you intend to work during semester breaks while attending college? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### **Employment History:**

List current and past types of employment: (chronologically, with most recent job first)

Job Title:	Employer:	Dates of Employment:
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Are there any additional comments you would like to add: \_\_\_\_\_  
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I certify that the information and statements on this scholarship application are complete and true to the best of my knowledge.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Student Activities/Athletics Report

List any student activities or athletics you have participated in throughout high school and/or college. Include all leadership positions you have held.

Examples:	Student Council	Grades 9 <sup>th</sup> , 10 <sup>th</sup> , 11 <sup>th</sup>	Class President - Grade 12 <sup>th</sup>
	Basketball Team	Grades 9 <sup>th</sup> , 10 <sup>th</sup> , 11 <sup>th</sup> , 12 <sup>th</sup>	Guard/Forward – JV and Varsity
	Asian Student Union	Grades 10 <sup>th</sup> , 11 <sup>th</sup> , 12 <sup>th</sup>	Vice President - Grade 12 <sup>th</sup>

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## Special Awards, Honors or Recognition

List any awards, special recognitions or honors received during your high school and/or college years:

Examples:	Fairfield Rotary Student of the Week	May 1999
	Fairfield Police Department Explorer of the Year	December 2000
	Golden State Honors Student – Math	1999 and 2000

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## Community Activities

List any community activities you were involved in throughout your high school and/or college years:

Examples:	Hospital Volunteer	Kaiser Med Center – Vallejo	2 years	Reader – Geriatrics Unit	1999-2000
	Police Explorer	Fairfield Police Dept.	3 years	Achieved rank of Sergeant	1998-2000

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## Applicant's Essay

Please type or print a short autobiography (no more than two pages). In your essay, please include your educational goals, career goals, and your future impact on the Solano County community. Be sure to include your personal interests and activities, special skills you possess, and any additional personal characteristics. (you may attach a separate sheet if necessary.)



## Release of Photo

I hereby grant permission to the Chinese American Association of Solano County (CAASC) to use my photograph on it's CAASC printed publications (newsletters/brochure) , and/or newspaper announcements and parade photos without further consideration, and I acknowledge the CAASC's right to crop or treat the photograph at its discretion. I also acknowledge that CAASC may choose not to use my photo at this time, but may do so at its own discretion at a later date.

CAASC reserves the right to discontinue use of photos without notice.

\_\_\_\_\_ I do not want my photo used

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Signature \_\_\_\_\_