



# Caltech

COMMON APPLICATION **Supplement**

Office of Undergraduate Admissions  
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## FALL 2012

I am applying for (*check one of the following*):

- Early Action**                       **Regular Decision**  
 Must be submitted by November 1.      Must be submitted by January 3.

*(International students applying for financial aid must apply Regular Decision.)*

- Yes     No      I would like to be considered for the **Caltech-UC San Diego Medical Scholars Program**.  
*(Medical Scholar Candidates must apply Early Action.)*

## Personal Data

Legal Name \_\_\_\_\_  Female  
LAST/FAMILY [Enter name exactly as it appears on official documents.]      FIRST/GIVEN      MIDDLE (COMPLETE)  Male

Preferred name, if not first name \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
MM/DD/YY

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Home Address \_\_\_\_\_  
NUMBER AND STREET      APARTMENT #

\_\_\_\_\_  
CITY OR TOWN      STATE/PROVINCE      COUNTRY      ZIP/POSTAL CODE

## Program of Study

Although not binding, please indicate your proposed areas of study at Caltech. Please select from the Options list (see the Caltech Application Instructions).

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_

## Math and Science Activities *(school and non-school related)*

Please list, in order of importance to you, the math and science activities that are part of your life. Provide a brief description (positions held, accomplishments/achievements, etc.). If you need additional space, please explain in the additional information section. Please do not refer us to an attached resume.

1. Activity: \_\_\_\_\_  9  10  11  12    Hrs./Wk.: \_\_\_\_\_ Wks./Yr.: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Description: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Activity: \_\_\_\_\_  9  10  11  12    Hrs./Wk.: \_\_\_\_\_ Wks./Yr.: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Description: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Activity: \_\_\_\_\_  9  10  11  12    Hrs./Wk.: \_\_\_\_\_ Wks./Yr.: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Description: \_\_\_\_\_

## Summer Activities

(volunteer work, research, summer programs, personal projects, if not already listed on the Common Application) —indicate years.

### Research (optional)

Caltech applicants demonstrate their passion for math, science or engineering in a variety of ways. Prior research experience is not required to gain undergraduate admission to Caltech. However, if you have written a research paper on a math, science or engineering project, you are encouraged to submit a copy of your work for consideration.

- Papers should be submitted as a PDF file and e-mailed to [papers@admissions.caltech.edu](mailto:papers@admissions.caltech.edu).
- Students are not encouraged to submit abstracts—research papers should contain detailed information about the topic as well as research data supporting your conclusions.
- Papers that you have coauthored are acceptable for submission, even if those coauthors may also be applying to Caltech.
- To assure consideration, papers should be submitted on or before the application deadline.
- Letters from research mentors are strongly encouraged. Mentors may submit their letters by email to [papers@admissions.caltech.edu](mailto:papers@admissions.caltech.edu), or mail a physical copy of the letter to:

California Institute of Technology  
Office of Undergraduate Admissions  
1200 E. California Blvd  
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### Test Information

The following tests are a required part of the application:

- SAT or ACT
- SAT Subject Test: Mathematics Level 2
- One of the SAT Science Subject Tests: Biology (Ecological), Biology (Molecular), Chemistry or Physics

1. For Early Action, all standardized tests must be completed by the October test series.
2. For Regular Decision, all standardized tests must be completed by the December test series.
3. Have your SAT, SAT subject tests, ACT and TOEFL results sent to the California Institute of Technology: **CEEB Code 4034** and/or **ACT Code 0182**. Official test scores must be sent directly to our office by the official testing agency. Caltech strongly recommends that students submit all SAT and SAT Subject test scores.

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| <b>AIME (optional)</b> |                  |
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