

**U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
SUMMER PAGE PROGRAM 2009**



**CONGRESSIONAL PAGE APPLICATION**

# APPLICATION FOR CONGRESSIONAL PAGE APPOINTMENT

Please type or print all information. Send completed application with *all* components to the nominating Member's office. Omission of any part will delay your processing and notification. The Member selected applications must be received by the Speaker's Office from the Member no later than Monday, May 18, 2009.

Honorable \_\_\_\_\_  
Congressional Sponsor

OFFICE USE ONLY
_____ to _____
Appointment Period

## PERSONAL DATA Do Not Leave Any Blank Spaces

Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Permanent home address: \_\_\_\_\_ Ph: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
number and street

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security No. \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_ \ \_\_\_\_ \ \_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Ph: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Father)Last First Middle Work Ph: \_\_\_\_\_  
Cell Ph: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Ph: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Mother)Last First Middle Work Ph: \_\_\_\_\_  
Cell Ph: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Present grade in school: freshman \_\_\_\_ sophomore \_\_\_\_ junior \_\_\_\_ senior \_\_\_\_

**SUBMIT ALL COMPONENTS AT ONE TIME. DO NOT SEND PARTS INDIVIDUALLY**

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Member's office

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## **AUTOBIOGRAPHICAL STATEMENT**

This section offers an opportunity for you to help us become acquainted with you and why you would like to be a Congressional Page. It allows you to demonstrate your ability to organize your thoughts and express yourself. With this in mind, please type or print legibly a 250-300 word autobiography.

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My signature below indicates that all the information contained in my application is complete, factually correct, and honestly presented.

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Signature

Date

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### APPLICANT CHECK LIST

- \_\_\_ Completed Application
- \_\_\_ Official Transcript
- \_\_\_ 250-300 Word Essay
- \_\_\_ Three Letters of Recommendation (One letter from current teacher)
- \_\_\_ Parental Consent Form
- \_\_\_ Requirements for being a Page

Signed,

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parental Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



## MEMBER CERTIFICATION FORM

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby certify that the following applicant has met  
Member of Congress  
the criteria for admission into the House Page Program. This certification is based on my  
thorough review of the application and program requirements listed below. I, hereby,  
recommend \_\_\_\_\_ for admission to the House Page Program.  
Page Applicant

Signed,

The Honorable \_\_\_\_\_ M.C.

Staff Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

## REQUIREMENTS FOR BEING A PAGE

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1. **AGE** – Pages must be at least 16 years old on the day the page term in which they will serve begins. Verification of age is required.
2. **GRADE LEVEL** – Fall or Spring Term – A page serving in the academic year must be a junior in high school. The House Page School offers only a junior year course of study.

*SUMMER TERM* – A page serving during the summer term must have completed the 10<sup>th</sup> grade and not yet entered the 12<sup>th</sup> grade.

3. **ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS** – Fall or Spring – Page Board regulations require that candidates must have maintained at least a 3.0 academic Grade Point Average, in their major subjects, for the 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grades. If grading is on a numerical scale, the GPA must be at least 85. **THERE ARE ABSOLUTELY NO EXCEPTIONS!** Only English, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies and a foreign language are considered in determining the GPA.

*SUMMER TERM* – There is no page school during the summer. There are no academic requirements for summer pages, although grade transcript is still required.

4. **CITIZENSHIP OR ALIEN STATUS** – Pages must be US Citizens or aliens (green card). Aliens possessing only a student visa are not eligible.
5. **APPOINTMENT** – Applicants can only be appointed by the Speaker, the Honorable Nancy Pelosi of California. Every session, the Speaker chooses a different group of House Members to submit nominations. No other office or individual can appoint a page. If you are appointed, you will receive confirmation in a letter from the Speaker.

I have read and understand the requirements.

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Applicant Signature

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## DECLARATION OF PARENTAL CONSENT

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We, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, are the  
parents (or legal guardians) of and give our consent to \_\_\_\_\_,  
to apply for an appointment to serve as a Page in the US House of Representatives,  
beginning \_\_\_\_\_, 2009.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mother or Guardian's signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Father or Guardian's signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City                      State              Zip

Telephone Numbers:

Home: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Office: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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