



## AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE | EDUCATIONAL TALENT SEARCH

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### SECTION 1: STUDENT INFORMATION

Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_ High School Grad Year: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First) (MI)

Current School: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Grade: 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State) (Zip Code)

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Student Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Gender:  Male  Female Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthplace: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you of Hispanic or Latino origin?  Yes  No

Ethnic Background:  American Indian/Alaska Native  Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander

Asian  White  Black/African American  Two or more races

Do you have a physical or learning disability?  Yes  No

If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently participating in any of the following program(s)?

UC Davis Early Academic Outreach Program (EAOP)  Invest in Your Tomorrow (IYT)

Name(s) of siblings currently in ARC Educational Talent Search: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a foster youth?  Yes  No

Are you a ward of the court?  Yes  No

### SECTION 2: STUDENT NEEDS ASSESSMENT

What are your plans after you graduate from high school?

4-Year College  Community College  Technical/Vocational School  Work  Military  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

In order to prepare for college, I need information on... *(Please check all that apply)*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Time management and study skills                  | <input type="checkbox"/> College costs, paying for college, help completing financial aid applications |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Communication skills                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Registering and preparing for college entrance exams                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Setting, assessing and evaluating goals           | <input type="checkbox"/> College application and the enrollment process                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> High school and college requirements              | <input type="checkbox"/> Tutoring: _____   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Benefits of going to college and earning a degree |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Preparing for a career that interests me          | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Services: _____   |

What do you see as your strengths (academically or socially)? \_\_\_\_\_

What areas would you like to improve (academically or socially)? \_\_\_\_\_

### SECTION 3: STUDENT CONTRACT

As an Educational Talent Search (ETS) participant, I will:

1. Participate in ETS workshops, advising sessions, and activities;
2. Learn about high school requirements and courses required for college admission;
3. Commit to my education and enroll in courses required for college admission;
4. Commit to study skills and practices that improve my grades and ensure I maintain at least a 2.0 GPA;
5. Communicate with ARC ETS Program Staff about my educational and personal goals;
6. Complete college enrollment and financial aid applications during my senior year of high school;
7. Strive to enroll in the college of my choice the semester following high school graduation;
8. Communicate with ARC ETS Program Staff about my college enrollment and success in earning a college degree.

**By signing/typing my name on the signature line, I certify that each response within this application is true and complete to the of my knowledge. It also indicates that I have read, reviewed and understand the preceding material.**

Student Signature (sign in ink)

Date

**TO BE COMPLETED BY PARENT OR GUARDIAN ONLY**

Funding is program is provided by the U.S. Department of Education and requires specific documentation. **All personal records or documentation will be held in strictest confidence by Los Rios Community College District and ARC Staff. Consistent with Federal Family Education Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, regulations and other laws, personal records will not be released to any other entity without prior acknowledgement and consent.**

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION 4: HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION**

**Student Resides with:**  Both Parents  Mother Only  Father Only  Parent and Stepparent  
 Foster Parent(s)  Legal Guardian(s)  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Relationship to Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Student: \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**What is the primary language used in the home?** \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION 5: STUDENT ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA**

**A. Citizenship Status of Student:**  
 US Citizen **OR**  Permanent Resident

**B. First Generation Status:**  
Please check the highest level of education completed by **biological/adoptive father**  
 No Formal Education  Elementary School  Jr. High  High School  Associate's Degree  Bachelor's Degree/Higher

Please check the highest level of education completed by **biological/adoptive mother**  
 No Formal Education  Elementary School  Jr. High  High School  Associate's Degree  Bachelor's Degree/Higher

**C. Income Status:**  
1. TOTAL number of people in the household: \_\_\_\_\_  
2. My family's TAXABLE INCOME: (Refer to Tax Return Form 1040, line 43 or Form 1040A, line 27)  
 \$0 - \$19,140  \$32,581 - \$39,300  \$52,741 - \$59,460  
 \$19,141 - \$25,860  \$39,301- \$46,020  \$59,461 - \$66,180  
 \$25,861 - \$32,580  \$46,021- \$52,740  \$66,181 or higher  
 My family DID NOT file a Federal Income Tax Return. My family income is: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ . \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION 6: PARENT/GUARDIAN AUTHORIZATION**

**Medical Release:** Should my student require medical attention while participating in American River College (ARC) Educational Talent Search (ETS) activities and I cannot be contacted, I give my consent to a medical examination and treatment deemed necessary by the attending medical professional.

**Media Release:** I hereby grant ARC as a part of, and along with Los Rios Community College District and all its colleges full and complete right to the use of my student's image and voice (still photograph, audio or video recording), with or without the use of my student's name in district and college print and electronic publications or productions. This release is given without charge to or any remuneration from the Los Rios Community College District or its colleges.

**Permission to Access School Records:** I hereby grant ARC ETS program staff permission to have access to grades, progress reports, school transcripts, assessment test scores, school lunch program eligibility, and updated contact information from the school administration. I authorize ARC ETS to obtain information related to my child's application for college admission, acceptance status and enrollment status, financial aid application (FAFSA), and award letter at any and all colleges and universities.

**Participation:** I give permission for my child to participate in ARC ETS activities with the understanding that most services are held during the school day. I agree to encourage my child to do well in middle school, high school and pursue post-secondary education.

**By signing/typing my name on the signature line, I certify that each response within this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. It also indicates that I acknowledge and give consent to the requests of the ETS program.**

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**Parent/Guardian Signature (sign in ink)** **Date**