

**St. John Fisher College**  
**2012 Fannie & Sam Constantino**  
**First Generation Scholarship Application**

**Instructions To The Candidate:**

1. Please save this blank scholarship application to your desktop by clicking “file”, “save as”, with following naming procedure: ***Your Last Name, Your First Name, First Gen***  
***Example: Doe, John, First Gen.*** Close the PDF form and exit the website.  
Then, open the saved scholarship application from your desktop and complete the form.
2. Email the completed form as an attachment to [firstgen@sjfc.edu](mailto:firstgen@sjfc.edu) no later than January 15, 2012. Remember to keep a copy for your records.
3. All candidates for the First Generation Scholarship Program must also file a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by February 15, 2012. The Tuition Assistance Program (TAP) Application (New York State residents only) should be filed as soon as it is received by the student from New York State Higher Education Services Corporation.
4. Finalists will be contacted for an interview. Recipients will be notified no later than March 31, 2012.

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Intended College Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Please enter your high school grade point average and standardized test scores.

Overall High School GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ out of a maximum score of \_\_\_\_\_

Best SAT Critical Reading Score (if taken): \_\_\_\_\_

Best SAT Math Score (if taken): \_\_\_\_\_

Best ACT Composite Score (if taken): \_\_\_\_\_



B. Please list all the leadership roles you have held in groups (school, community, church, work) that involve significant responsibility for developing ideas or plans, making decisions, or following through on ideas or plans. (Example: Student Council Vice President, Soccer Team Co-Captain, Head cashier). Please indicate with a check mark the appropriate year(s) of your involvement in leadership roles.

Name Of The Organization	Type Or Description Of The Organization	Your Title Within The Organization	Contact Person And Phone Number	Your Role or Tasks You Performed In The Organization	High School Year(s) Involved
					Freshman <input type="checkbox"/> Sophomore <input type="checkbox"/> Junior <input type="checkbox"/> Senior <input type="checkbox"/>
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C. Please list all community service activities where you performed service to others through your school, community, church, etc., without compensation. Do not include leadership roles already listed above. (Example: American Cancer Association – fundraising event, Leo Club – book drive, YMCA-tutor). List the appropriate total number of service hours per year associated with each community service activity.

Name Of The Organization	Type Or Description Of The Organization	Contact Person And Phone Number	Specific Service Activity Performed	High School Year(s) Involved	Total # Service Hours/ Year
				Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior	_____ _____ _____ _____
				Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior	_____ _____ _____ _____
				Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior	_____ _____ _____ _____
				Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior	_____ _____ _____ _____
				Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior	_____ _____ _____ _____

Please answer each of the following questions in the space provided. Each answer should be no more than 500 words.

1. Almost everyone faces an obstacle or challenge as they progress through school. Please describe an obstacle you have overcome or a challenge you have faced as you progressed through school. This may be related to your academics, physical health, finances or family circumstances. Explain how you handled the obstacle or challenge, what you learned from that experience, and how that better prepares you to be successful at Fisher.

2. Most students come to college so that they can have a better future. In addition to seeking a better future for yourself, describe at least two other goals you have and how participation in the First Generation Scholars Program at Fisher can help you achieve those goals.