



Pomona College Academy for Youth Success

PAYS Application Information for 2011

SELECTION PROCESS

Participants will be selected by a committee of Pomona College faculty, staff and students. The selection committee will consider every part of the application and make recommendations based on ***academic potential***. In *some* cases, the selection committee will request to interview an applicant. Following are dates for the selection process:

APPLICATION DEADLINE

Friday, February 25th (*the application can be postmarked by this day*)

APPLICATION REVIEW

February 26th - April 25th

INTERVIEWS (*due to the # of applicants not all applicants are interviewed*)

March 28th - April 8th

NOTIFICATION OF DECISION

May 2nd

PROGRAM DATES

Sunday, June 26th - Friday, July 22nd

NOTE: NEW APPLICANTS MUST CURRENTLY BE ENROLLED IN 9th OR 10th GRADE.

The third summer of PAYS is reserved for continuing PAYS scholars. Also, neither college nor high school credit is awarded for participation in PAYS. Incomplete and late applications will not be evaluated.

A COMPLETED APPLICATION will include the following:

(Online application and printable materials are available on the website)

1. Online Application (**recommended**)
OR a paper application form (if you cannot submit an online application)
2. Two essays (500 words or less)
3. High school transcript showing grades through the fall semester of the current academic year
4. Two recommendation forms (completed by teacher, counselor, or community leader)

Items #2, #3 & #4 must be sealed in one envelope and mailed to:

Draper Center for Community Partnerships
Pomona College
170 E. Sixth St., Suite #228
Claremont, CA 91711

If you have any questions, please call or send an e-mail message:
Sergio Marín or Rita Shaw at (909) 607-1810 or pays@pomona.edu