1. "Educational & Professional Goals (150 words): Please tell us about your educational and professional goals as they pertain to your education.

   Degree(s): certificate?   AA?   Bachelor's (4 year)?   Master's? Doctorate?

   Major(s): What do you want to study?

   Career plans: What job/career do you want?

2. "Leadership, Work or/and Internship Experience (150 words): Please tell us about your most recent leadership, work and/or internship experience from the last 12 months.

   Leadership: school, clubs, sports, religious organization, family/neighborhood

   Work:

   Internship: usually unpaid work related to a career interest

3. Volunteer Work and Community Involvement (150 words): Please tell us about your most recent volunteer work, community service, and or other cultural activities within your local community from last 12 months.

   What have you done for your community? Helped at a clean-up? Food bank? Clothing drive?

   How have you been active? Have you been politically active, participated in marches or rallies?

   Cultural Activities: art, music, drama show; cultural event

4. <u>Personal Statement and Other Considerations (500 words):</u> How will a SAC scholarship <u>empower</u> you to continue on your individual <u>journey towards completion of your college education</u>. Please explain how any <u>personal challenges and/or opportunities</u> have <u>strengthened your perseverance</u> in attaining your long term goals"

Why is the scholarship important to you? How will it inspire and motivate you?

How will the scholarship help you achieve your goals? (that may be the same reason as why the scholarship is important)

What has been a major challenge, an urgent situation, a set-back or a special hardship (family, personal, financial or other) for you (if any)? Tell your personal story.

How have you overcome it or are overcoming it? Why didn't you give up? What's important to you? Why is it worth the effort to persevere

What financial aid do you receive now?

        CalGrant   Pell Grant   College Promise (former BOG waiver)