



**2008 ASU Scholarships in  
Earth and Space Exploration**  
**Deadline April 1, 2008**

**Please return this application to:**

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Please print and complete this application form and return with your essay no later than April 1, 2008. Read all requirements carefully. Applicants that do not meet ALL requirements will not be considered.

<b>Full Legal Name</b>	Last Name (please print)	First Name	Middle Name	<b>Social Security Number</b>
<b>Permanent (Home) Address</b>	Number/Street	City	State/County	Zip
<b>E-mail address</b>				
<b>Home phone number</b>		<b>Date of Birth (M/D/Y)</b>		
<b>High School Name</b>	<b>High School phone number</b>			
<b>High School Address</b>	Number/Street	City	State/County	Zip
<b>Cumulative GPA (minimum 3.5 or equivalent required)</b>				

**Essay instructions:**

All essays should be typed, double-spaced in Times New Roman 12-pt font, and should not exceed 750 words. Please include your full name in the upper right-hand corner of all pages of your essay.

**Essay question:**

Whether it involves human travel to the Moon or other planets, the dispatch of robots, or even the construction of great telescopes to probe distant galaxies, space exploration is expensive business. Many reasonable people feel that the United States should spend less on space exploration and instead invest in solutions to the many problems that confront us here on Earth. How would you respond to these legitimate concerns and explain why space exploration is nonetheless worthwhile?

**Scholarship Agreement:**

I give my permission for the release of academic, financial and/or other necessary information requested by the appropriate scholarship selection committee. I certify that the information provided in this application is accurate. If awarded a scholarship, I hereby accept the specified terms but should my status change whereby I no longer meet the criteria, I understand the scholarship will be revoked.

Signature

Date