The Leadership Scholarship Program recognizes outstanding high school graduating seniors who have achieved excellence in leadership. Twenty-one high school seniors from Arizona and four from out-of-state will be selected for LSP. Established in 1977 to develop exceptional leadership skills among promising scholars, this program has a long-standing history at Arizona State University. More than a scholarship program, students become integral members of the university community.

Students in the program will participate in the following:
- CED 194, a leadership development course designed specifically for this program.
- One-on-one mentoring by an ASU staff member.
- Monthly meetings with all current ASU LSP students.
- Social activities, such as a weekend retreat and holiday events.
- Community service.
- Networking with LSP alumni.
- Living on the campus of their major (required for first-year recipients).

Financial Award
The LSP award is one of ASU's institutional scholarships. ASU does not combine institutional scholarship awards. In the event you become qualified for a New American University Scholarship award (i.e., President’s, Provost, Dean’s, Regents High Honors Endorsement) and are selected for the Leadership Scholarship Program, you will only receive the scholarship with the highest value. If accepted into the Leadership Scholarship Program, participation is mandatory. The LSP award is a $9,000 annual scholarship for resident students, renewable for three additional years (eight semesters total). Recipients may use the scholarship for tuition and fees, housing and other educational expenses.

Eligibility Requirements
Must be nominated by high school counselor; only one nomination per high school; 3.25 unweighted GPA.
Must be able to provide verification of citizenship, permanent residency or other lawful immigration status.
Must have a completed ASU application for undergraduate admission on file by Dec. 2, 2011.

Application Instructions
Please complete the application and submit it with the following by Dec. 2, 2011:
- A copy of your official high school transcript(s) (include ACT/SAT scores if available).
- A list of high school activities (include brief description of organization, dates of participation and leadership positions held).
- A list of community service and volunteer projects (include total hours and dates of participation).
- A list of honors, awards and special leadership programs attended (i.e., classes, workshops, conferences).
- Answer two of the following three questions in essay format (a maximum of two pages per answer):
  1) If you could ask three questions to any leader (living or deceased), who would you ask, what would the questions be and why?
  2) In your opinion, who is more effective and why: one who leads by outward action or one who leads by silent example? Which type of leader are you?
  3) If you were asked to give a speech to your peers concerning your “passion” in life, what would your speech sound like?
- Two letters of recommendation.

Submit materials by Dec. 2, 2011 to:
Martha Byrd
Leadership Scholarship Program
Undergraduate Admissions
Arizona State University
PO Box 870112
Tempe, AZ 85287-0112

For more information, please visit students.asu.edu/lsp or call 480-965-7788.
Leadership Scholarship Program Application

Please print clearly. Application must be received at Arizona State University by Dec. 2, 2011. ASU will notify you in February if you are selected as a finalist for an interview.

Name _____________________________________________________________

Mailing Address ________________________________________________________

City _____________________________ State _______ ZIP Code_________________

Phone (include area code) ________________________________________________

High School __________________________________________________________

High School Address __________________________________________________

City _____________________________ State _______ ZIP Code_________________

Phone (include area code) ________________________________________________

High School Counselor ________________________________________________

High School Counselor Signature _______________________________________

Cumulative GPA _________ Class Rank ______________ ACT/SAT _______________

Anticipated Major _____________________________________________________

Student Information Release Form

By signing this release, I give permission for Arizona State University to photograph my child and use the photograph(s) on the ASU website and in print publications for the Leadership Scholarship Program. My child may also provide a photograph of himself or herself for publication on the Web and/or in print. I understand this information may be used in news releases, any media and correspondence about the scholarship program.

I agree, for myself and on behalf of my child, to release and indemnify Arizona State University from all claims arising from this authorized use. All negatives, photographs, prints, digital files and the copyright of those items created by ASU shall be property of Arizona State University.

Print name of Parent or Legal Guardian _____________________________________

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian ______________________________________

Date ___________________________________________________________________

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