

PARENT INFORMATION (to be completed by parent or guardian with whom applicant lives)

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**** ALL INFORMATION WILL BE HELD IN STRICT CONFIDENCE****

We are required by the United States Department of Education to obtain income information from all students receiving OPEN DOORS **FREE** services. Since you and your student have indicated an interest in receiving our assistance, please complete the following information. (All information will remain confidential.)

<p>If you filed income tax, please provide <u>taxable income</u> from the prior year. See Income Tax Forms as follows: Line 27, 1040A; Line 43, 1040; Line 6, 1040EZ *</p>	<p>If you did not file an income tax form, Please complete the following for the most recent tax year**</p>																								
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<p>* To verify this information and meet the Department of Education requirements, we <u>must</u> have a copy of your <u>most recent</u> income tax statement.</p>	<p>** To verify this information and meet the Department of Education requirements, we need a statement from a case worker or a copy of a document confirming this information.</p>																								

Number of family members living at home Adults _____ Children _____

Is either parent a graduate of a four-year college or university with a Bachelor's Degree?

No _____ Yes _____

Is English a second language for either parent? No _____ Yes _____

Does the student qualify for either free or reduced lunches? No _____ Yes _____

This is to certify that all information provided is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I hereby give my permission for the OPEN DOORS PROGRAM at Cameron University to have access to any school or agency records of _____ (student's name) to determine eligibility for the program and to monitor the status and progress in secondary school. Further permission is granted to request information and records from any and all postsecondary institutions in order to track college progress. In addition, I give my permission for my child's name, photograph, work and/or statements to be used by Open Doors for promotional, publicity, or instructional purposes. I also give Open Doors staff members permission to communicate with my child via phone, text messaging and computerized social networks. I understand that all records will be kept in strict confidence and in accord with the Privacy Act of 1974.

Parent/Guardian's Signature

Date

Home Phone # _____ Work Phone(s) # _____ Cell Phone# _____

In case of emergency, contact: Name _____ Phone _____

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PARENT INFORMATION *(continued)*

Please list name and ages of other children in the family who might be interested in OPEN DOORS _____

One of the major goals of the OPEN DOORS program is to encourage parental support of, and participation in program ventures. This may include educational, career planning, and/or social activities. Please indicate your willingness to help with these activities.

I volunteer to work with the following OPEN DOORS committees *(Please check one or more)*

- _____ Fund Raising
- _____ Refreshments
- _____ Activities and Involvement (Chaperone, Advisory Board, School Enrollment)

PLEASE CHECK ALL OF THE SERVICES YOU WOULD LIKE YOUR CHILD TO RECEIVE

I would like my child to receive help with

- | | |
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| ___ Study skills and habits | ___ Reading/writing skills |
| ___ Goal setting/decision making | ___ PSAT/ACT/SAT preparation |
| ___ Organization/time management skills | ___ Planning high school/college classes |
| ___ Tutoring | ___ Scholarships, financial aid, admissions |
| ___ Communication/listening skills | ___ Career information |
| ___ Personal/Social Skills | |

What careers and jobs interest your child the most? _____

OPEN DOORS – Parent Contract

For my child to remain eligible to participate in the OPEN DOORS PROGRAM, I will

1. Immediately contact the OPEN DOORS advisor if my child receives disciplinary action at school.
2. Be involved with OPEN DOORS activities as much as possible.
3. Attend OPEN DOORS Parent Workshops and Conferences throughout the school year.
4. Encourage my student to attend tutoring sessions.
5. Notify the OPEN DOORS office with address and phone changes.

My goal is to assist my child in succeeding in his/her education.

Mother/Female Guardian Signature

Father/Male Guardian Signature

OPEN DOORS STUDENT NEEDS ASSESSMENT

This survey contains a number of statements about student needs. Please give your honest opinion of how the OPEN DOORS Program can meet your needs. Your answers will be kept confidential.

Academic Needs

	Strong Need	Some Need	No Need
1. To learn how to complete and turn in my homework on time.	1	2	3
2. To get better grades in school.	1	2	3
3. To take tests better and with less anxiety.	1	2	3
4. To organize my time, activities and responsibilities better.	1	2	3
5. To learn more about high school requirements for college.	1	2	3
6. To listen better in class and ask more questions.	1	2	3
7. To relate to and communicate better with my teachers.	1	2	3
8. To identify, set and evaluate goals for the future.	1	2	3

My academic goal is _____

Personal Needs

1. To better understand my parents and other adults.	1	2	3
2. To learn to deal with conflict in a positive manner.	1	2	3
3. To be more accepting of my physical appearance.	1	2	3
4. To learn how my self-esteem affects my behavior.	1	2	3
5. To know how to get along better with the opposite sex.	1	2	3
6. To learn to accept people who are different from me.	1	2	3
7. To learn more about the use/abuse of drugs and alcohol.	1	2	3
8. To accept greater responsibility for my actions.	1	2	3

My personal goal is _____

Career and Postsecondary Needs

1. To explore a variety of career opportunities.	1	2	3
2. To learn more about job applications, resumes, and interviews.	1	2	3
3. To learn more about the postsecondary admissions process.	1	2	3
4. To prepare for exams like the PSAT, ACT, or SAT.	1	2	3
5. To visit more colleges and technology centers.	1	2	3
6. To learn more about college costs and how to pay for college.	1	2	3

Name a college or technology center you would like to visit _____

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