

YOUNG TEXAN/TEXANNE STUDENT RESUME INSTRUCTIONS

PLEASE COMPUTER GENERATE, TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY THE RESUME NOMINATION INFORMATION. DO NOT USE TYPE SMALLER THAN 10 POINT.

MAKE THREE COPIES OF YOUR RESUME

Listed below are the six major activity areas upon which your RESUME should be based. On attached pages, OUTLINED by subject matter, BEGINNING WITH THE NINTH GRADE, list your accomplishments. Make sure they are as factual and as thorough as possible. Do not submit pictures, certificates, letters of recognition, awards, etc.. THE TYPEWRITTEN RESUME SHOULD NOT BE OVER THREE PAGES. YOU MUST NOT USE ANYTHING THAT WOULD IDENTIFY YOURSELF, SUCH AS THE NAME OF YOUR SCHOOL, YOUR CHURCH, YOUR CITY, YOUR NAME. FOR EXAMPLE, SIMPLY SAY MY SCHOOL, MY CHURCH, IN MY CITY, ETC.

CATEGORY 1:

SCHOLASTIC (25 POINTS) INCLUDE IN THIS CATEGORY, GRADES, GRADE POINT AVERAGE, STANDING IN CLASS, SCHOLASTIC AWARDS RECEIVED, MEMBERSHIP IN SCHOLASTIC BASED ORGANIZATIONS, ETC.

CATEGORY 2:

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES (25 POINTS) INCLUDE IN THIS THINGS LIKE CLASS OFFICER, CLUB OFFICER, STUDENT COUNCIL, BAND, CHEER LEADER, SPORTS PLAYED AND/OR AWARDS RECEIVED NOT BASED SOLELY ON SCHOLASITIC ACHIEVEMENTS, ETC..

CATEGORY 3:

COMMUNITY SERVICE AND RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES (20 POINTS) - VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES OUTSIDE SCHOOL, CHURCH ACTIVITES SUCH AS CHOIR, MISSION TRIPS, ETC.

CATEGORY 4:

EMPLOYMENT (10 POINTS) PART TIME EMPLOYMENT OF ANY SORT LIKE MOWING LAWNS, BABY SITTING, RESTAURANT/STORE WORK, ETC..

CATEGORY 5:

HOBBIES AND TALENTS (10 POINTS) WHAT YOU DO/LIKE JUST FOR FUN. COLLEC TIONS, HOBBIES, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS PLAYED, ACTING, DANCING, SPORTS NOT A PART OF SCHOOL FUNCTIONS, ETC..

CATEGORY 6:

OVERALL AND FUTURE PLANS (10 POINTS) COLLEGE PLANS, ANYTHING DIFFERENT OR SPECIAL YOU MAY HAVE IN MIND.

FAILURE TO FOLLOW THE REQUIRED FORMAT MAY NECESSITATE IN YOUR RESUME NOT BEING JUDGED.

BASICS FOR RESUME

- **No more than three pages**
- **Use lists rather than complete sentences**
- **Use third person. Do not identify school, city, etc. if possible**
- **Use information from 9th grade to present**
- **Be sure to enter something in each category for optimal points**

The resumes of all Texans and Tex-Annes are submitted to a statewide scholarship competition. Judges award points based on the resume entries in six (6) categories and each month name a Texan and Tex-Anne statewide winners. These monthly winners qualify for scholarships from the Young Texan/Tex-Anne Corporation. These scholarships are awarded each March to monthly winners from the previous academic year at the Annual Young Texan/Tex-Anne State Banquet.

Categories and the points awarded for each category are as follows:

GRADE AVERAGE/ SCHOLASTIC AWARDS	25
EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES/HONORS	25
RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES/ COMMUNITY SERVICE	20
PART/FULL TIME EMPLOYMENT/VACATION EMPLOYMENT	10
HOBBIES, TALENTS, INTERESTS	10
FUTURE PLANS/COLLEGE PLANS/GOALS	10

Grade Average/ Scholastic Awards

10/15/01:

is ranked 1st in a class of 417 with a grade point average of 4.5391.

9th grade

- 1st Honor Role
- Trustees' Scholarship Award
- Foreign Language Honor Society (Spanish)

10th grade

- 1st Honor Role
- Trustees' Scholarship Award
- Foreign Language Honor Society (Spanish)
- Inducted into National Honor Society
- UIL Solo/Small Ensemble Contest Winner for Solo Vocal Performance
 - Awarded a "I" (Highest Honor) for a Class Division II Solo
- Excalibur (School Literary Magazine) Poetry Contest Winner- (poem was selected and published in magazine)

11th grade

- 1st Honor Role
- Trustees' Scholarship Award
- Foreign Language Honor Society (Spanish)
- Active Member of National Honor Society
- UIL Solo/Small Ensemble Contest Winner for Solo Vocal Performance
 - Awarded a "I" (Highest Honor) for a Class Division I Solo (highest level of difficulty)
- Advanced to State Level in UIL Solo/Small Ensemble Contest
 - Awarded a "II" for Solo Vocal Performance at State Competition
- TMEA (Texas Music Educators Association) Vocal Division Competition (Solo)
 - Selected for District Choir (6th Chair Soprano I)
- Advanced to TMEA Regional Vocal Competition (Solo)
 - Selected for Regional Treble Choir
- Academic All -District Award for Varsity Volleyball
(Criteria: maintaining high academic achievement while playing varsity sports)
- Nominated by Pre-Calculus Teacher for "National Youth Leadership Forum on Medicine"
(Criteria: excellent math ability, leadership qualities, and interest in medicine)
- Recipient of Yale Scholar Book Award
 - Nominated by teachers and counselors
 - Presented by representative of Yale Alumni Club

12th grade

- 1st Honor Role
- Trustees' Scholarship Award
- Foreign Language Honor Society (Spanish)
- Committee Head for National Honor Society (currently in charge of Homecoming Flower Sale)
- TMEA (Texas Music Educators Association) Vocal Division Competition (Solo)
 - Selected for District Choir (6th Chair Soprano I)
- TMEA Regional Vocal Competition (Solo)
 - Will compete 10-20-01 with goal to make All-State Choir
- UIL Solo/Small Ensemble Contest for Solo Vocal performance
 - Will compete Spring 2002

Honors (H) and Advanced Placement (AP) Courses

Freshman

English I - H
Geometry - H
(Algebra I - H in 8th grade)
Biology - H
World Geography - H

Sophomore

English II - H
Algebra II - H
Chemistry - H
World History - H

Junior

English III - AP
Pre-Calculus - H
Anatomy/ Physiology - H
U.S. History - AP
Spanish III - H
Theatre I - H
Choral Music III - H

Senior

English IV - AP
Calculus - AP
Physics - H
U.S. Government - AP
Macroeconomics - AP
Spanish IV - AP
Choral Music IV - H

Extracurricular Activities/Honors

9th grade

- Starter for Freshman "A" Volleyball team (outside hitter)
- Starter for "Select" Club Volleyball Team (played spring and early summer in local, regional, and national Tournaments)
- Volleyball Summer Camp (1 week)
- Junior Varsity Soccer Team (halfback)
- Summer-league Swim Team (Awarded 1st or 2nd place at most meets in Breaststroke, Freestyle, and Individual Medley)
- Piano lessons through the summer and fall
 - 6th year of lessons
- Freshman Mixed Choir (included 3 Cabaret "show-choir" performances; winter and spring concerts; UIL District Choir Competition)
- Student Council Member
- Students Against Drunk Driving Member (SADD)

10th grade

- Starter for Junior Varsity Volleyball Team (outside hitter)
- Starter for "Select" Club Volleyball Team (played spring and early summer in local, regional, and national tournaments)
- Volleyball Summer Camp at local university (1 week)
- Summer-league Swim Team (Awarded 1st or 2nd place at most meets in Breaststroke, Freestyle, and Individual Medley)
 - 8th summer to swim with team
- All Girls Choir (included 3 Cabaret "show choir" performances; winter and spring concerts; UIL district Choir competition)
- Private voice lessons
- Performed in spring musical, Fiddler on the Roof, as a Villager and Chorus Member
 - (6 sold-out performances)
- Student Council Member
- Students Against Drunk Driving Member (SADD) Member
- Spanish Club Member
- Peer-Assistant Leadership (PAL) Nomination
- Homecoming Duchess (elected by Student Body)

11th grade

- Varsity Volleyball Team (defensive specialist)
 - Helped team win Bi-District
- Varsity Mixed Choir (included 3 Cabaret "show choir" performances; winter and spring concerts; UIL District Choir Competition; National Showcase Competition in New Orleans)
- Private voice lessons
- Performed in spring musical, Tintypes, under direction of nationally acclaimed Rod Caspers, as an Immigrant, Chorus Member, and Soloist
 - (5 sold-out performances)
- Student Council Member
- Junior Class Vice-President
- Spanish Club Photographer
- Peer Assistant Leadership (PAL) Nomination

12th grade

- Candidate to National Youth Leadership Forum on Medicine (spent 10 days in July at Villanova University; visited surrounding hospitals and medical schools in the Philadelphia area; intensive and stimulating introduction to field of medicine; nationally renowned speakers plus hands-on experience with physicians and patients)
- Varsity Mixed Choir (included 3 Cabaret "show choir" performances; winter and spring concerts; UIL District Choir Competition; National Showcase Competition scheduled for Washington, D.C.)
- Private voice lessons
- Currently rehearsing daily for Fall Theatre Production, Noises Off; will appear as "Brooke Ashton" in 5 performances
- Will perform in spring musical, The Music Man, with aspirations for a lead soloist role
- Selected by Choir Director to sing with newly formed "Jazz Ensemble" for special engagements
- Student Council Member
- Spanish Club Member
- Students Against Drunk Driving (SADD) Member

Religious Activities/Community Service

9th grade

- Church Youth Group (weekly meetings; attended fall and spring weekend retreats)
- Church Youth Choir (cantor and soloist at Sunday Masses; weekly rehearsals prior to Mass)
- Vacation Bible School 1st grade Co-Teacher (1 week-June)
- Summer Church Choir Camp 1st-grade Co-Teacher (1 week-June)

10th grade

- Church Youth Group (weekly meetings)
- Church Youth Choir (cantor and soloist at Sunday masses; weekly rehearsals)
- Made sack lunches for the homeless with church group
- Volunteered at younger brother's Elementary School "Fun-Run"

11th grade

- Overnight church lock-in for high school students (Youth Group)
- Church Youth Choir (cantor and soloist)
- Volunteered at a local hospital during summer assisting in Mother/Baby and Labor/Delivery (32 hours total)
- Vacation Bible School 3rd grade Teacher (1 week- June)
- Summer Choir Camp 2nd grade Teacher (1 week- June)
- Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Central Texas (mentored several local elementary school children, focusing on assigned "little sister"; 1 hour/week from October-May)
- Transport Clerk for Election Night, 11/7/00
- Delivered/ donated canned goods and prepared Thanksgiving food baskets for the needy of a local parish
- Volunteer at YMCA Children's Christmas party (decorated, wrapped gifts, and prepared for children's arrival)
- Helped organize and host Christmas party for Big Brothers/Big Sisters
- Helped organize and host Christmas party at a school for the mentally handicapped
- Worked a booth at a school carnival for elementary school children (sponsored by National Honor Society)
- Helped prepare breakfast to honor Senior National Honor Society Members

12th grade

- Church Youth Group
- Church Youth Choir (cantor/soloist; was asked to sing a solo at a recent dedication ceremony commemorating the completion of our new church)
**This is Meredith's 14th year of singing and cantoring with her church choir.*
- Vacation Bible School Station Leader (1 week-June)
- Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Central Texas (2nd year to mentor a "little sister" from local elementary school for 1 hour/week after school from Oct- May)
- Worked a booth at "Teen Fair" (activities benefited underprivileged local teens)
- Committee Head for National Honor Society Homecoming Flower Sale
- Will continue to help with service activities throughout senior year through her Church, National Honor Society, Student Council, etc.

Part/Full Time Employment and Vacation Employment

9th grade

- Babysat 6-yr old twins (1-2 afternoons/wk)
- Babysat for younger brother (age 4) and several families as needed

10th grade

- Babysat for younger brother, age 5 (3 days/wk, 8hrs/day)
- Babysat for younger brother and several families as needed

11th grade

- Babysat younger brother, age 6 (3 days/wk, 8 hrs/day)
- Babysat 3 neighbor children (1 day/wk, 4hrs/day)
- Babysat younger brother and several families as needed

12th grade

- Babysat for younger brother, age 7 (4-5 days/wk, 8 hrs/day)
- Worked at local, independently owned pharmacy every Saturday (10+ hrs/wk)
- Babysat younger brother and several families as needed
- Currently working at local, independently owned pharmacy (5 hrs on most Saturdays and some holidays)

-Summer
-Year Around

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- Present School Yr.

Hobbies, Talents or Interests Not Listed Above

enjoys playing the piano for pleasure, captivating moments in time with photography, reading the classics, and watching classic movies and musicals. She is full of school pride and spirit and can be seen at almost all of her school's sports functions.

Future Plans

is currently applying to Columbia University, Yale College, Duke University, Boston College, and the University of Texas at Austin. She is considering majors in the areas of math, pre-medicine, and music. She plans to be involved extracurricularly in choir, drama, intramural sports, and volunteer work benefiting children. She envisions a future combining her love of math, medicine and music, whether as a career or for pleasure. She would also like to work with children in one or more of these capacities.