

Scholarship Year: **2009-10**

Department of Foreign Languages & Cultures
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
CONTINUING STUDENTS
of Chinese, German, French, Japanese, Russian and Spanish

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Deadline for submission: February 9th, 2009

Scholarship GPA Eligibility: A combined "average" gpa of 3.00 [cumulative gpa + specific language gpa/2] is required.

Name: _____ WSU ID# _____
First Name Last Name

Country of Citizenship _____

Local Address: _____ Local Phone: _____

_____ Email: _____
City State Zip

SCHOLARSHIP GPA: Cumulative GPA _____ + Language GPA _____ / 2 = _____

I AM A: **Major** **Minor** Language: _____
LANGUAGE Courses I plan to take Fall 09/ Spring 10: _____

Please submit the following supporting documentation with this application:

- Current transcript (non-official copy acceptable) or **DEGREE AUDIT ACCEPTABLE**
- Two letters of recommendation, (at least one from a recent language instructor)
- An essay on "Why is studying a Foreign Language important to your selected academic and/or professional goals?"
- A brief statement stating how you will use the scholarship money.

SCHOLARSHIP AGREEMENT:

I agree to enroll in **at least one** _____ **Japanese** _____ Russian _____ Chinese _____ German _____ French _____ Spanish **language course per term at WSU during the 2009-10 academic year.** (Please be aware that these scholarships are not intended for students participating in a **study-abroad** program. A separate scholarship form may be obtained for study-abroad participants.)

Signature: _____ Date: _____

**SUBMIT COMPLETED APPLICATION TO THOMPSON HALL 110
or to THE LANGUAGE AREA CONTACT**

FOR QUESTIONS, CONTACT THE FOLLOWING LANGUAGE AREA FACULTY:

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CALCULATING GRADE POINTS

From: web site for the Office of the Registrar.

GPA = Total Points Earned / Attempted number of credits (**not earned** number of credits)

The Grade Point System

Grade	Points
A	4.0
A-	3.7
B+	3.3
B	3.0
B-	2.7
C+	2.3
C	2.0
C-	1.7
D+	1.3
D	1.0
F	0.0 No credit or grade pts. (Cr. attempted are calculated in GPA)
P or S	Credit given, grade points not calculated.
I, W, & X	Provides no credit or grade points.

Calculating The Earned Points For A Course

Example 1: Anthropology 101 is a 3 credit course in which the student earned a grade of B.

(3 credits) x (3 pts) = 9 earned points

Example 2: Anthropology 316 is a 4 credit course in which the student earned a grade of an A-.

(4 credits) x (3.7 pts) = 14.8 earned points

Calculating The GPA

Example 1:

Course	Credit	Grade	Earned Points
Soc 101	3	B+	9.9
Engl 102	4	C	8.0
Math 202	3	A	12.0

$$\begin{aligned}\text{GPA} &= (9.9 + 8.0 + 12.0 = 29.9 \text{ total points}) / (3 + 4 + 3 = 10) \\ &= 29.9 / 10 \\ &= 2.99 \text{ GPA with 10 earned credits}\end{aligned}$$

Example 2:

Course	Credit	Grade	Earned Points
Hist 101	3	D	3.0
F A 201	4	B-	10.8
Chem 240	4	A-	14.8
Math 101	3	S	0.0

$$\begin{aligned}\text{GPA} &= (3.0 + 10.8 + 14.8 = 28.6 \text{ total points}) / (3 + 4 + 4 = 11) \\ &= 28.6 / 11 \\ &= 2.60 \text{ GPA with 14 earned credits}\end{aligned}$$
