



United States Service Academies Application for Nomination



2015

2015 – 2016 Timeline

June 1, 2015 – October 2, 2015	Applications accepted
October 30, 2015	Candidates notified of their interview time
November 7, 2015 (Tentative)	Academy Day Candidate Interviews 10:00 – 2:00 p.m. (Subject to Change) The University Center 3232 College Park Drive The Woodlands, TX 77384
No later than January 22, 2016	Applicants notified of nomination

2015 SAT Dates

03/14/2015
05/02/2015
06/06/2015

2015 ACT Dates

02/07/2015
04/18/2015
06/13/2015

Congressman Brady's SAT Code: **6235**

Congressman Brady's ACT Code: **7689**

U.S. Air Force Academy

Admissions Office
2304 Cadet Drive
Colorado Springs, CO 80840
719-333-2520/800-443-9266
[Air Force Academy Admissions](#)

U.S. Merchant Marine Academy

Admissions Office
300 Steamboat Road
Kings Point, NY 11024-1699
516-773-5000
[U.S. Merchant Marines Academy Admissions](#)

U.S. Military Academy (West Point)

Admissions Office
606 Thayer Road
West Point, NY 10996-1797
845-938-4011/800-822-2769
[U.S. Military Academy Admissions](#)

U.S. Naval Academy

Admissions Office
117 Decatur Road
Annapolis, MD 21402-9156
410-293-4361
[U.S. Naval Academy Admissions](#)

To access the Academy Application:

1. Go to: www.kevinbrady.house.gov
2. Click on the "[Constituent Services](#)" tab, and then scroll down to, and click the "[Service Academy Nominations](#)" link. When the Service Academy Nominations page displays, scroll down the page and click on the "[Click here to download the Academy Application Packet \(PDF file - 423KB\)](#)" link.
 - You will need Adobe Acrobat Reader to download the application. It is available for free at www.adobe.com

Tips:

- To begin typing, click on the “Name” field. You can then tab from field to field.
 - You will not be able to save the information you type using Acrobat Reader.
 - You can type your essay in a word processor and then “copy and paste” to the application.
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Application Instructions

1. Candidates must meet the following U.S. Constitutional requirements to be considered for a nomination from Congressman Brady:
 - a. Must be at least 17 and not yet 23 by July 1 of the year of admission
 - b. Must be a United States citizen
 - c. Must be unmarried
 - d. **Must be a resident of Congressman Brady's district (TX-08)**
2. The application deadline is **October 2, 2015**. All applications must be complete at the time of submission. Incomplete applications will be returned to the applicant. A complete application must contain the following:
 - Completed and signed Application for Nomination
 - Official high school and college transcripts (if applicable) that shows evidence of GPA and class rank
 - Official SAT or ACT scores. Test scores can only be received from the testing company or be included on a transcript.
 - 3 letters of recommendation. Each person submitting a letter should place the letter in a sealed envelope, sign their name across the seal, and give it to the applicant to submit with their application.
3. Please type your application. For your convenience an online version of this application is available at www.kevinbrady.house.gov.
4. A candidate must apply for admission to one or more of the Service Academies by **October 2, 2015**.
5. A candidate must receive an interview by the Nominations Board in order to be considered for nomination.
6. Each candidate will be evaluated on standardized test scores on file at the time of the interview.
7. Do not include attachments or additional information in the application. Attachments will not be considered.
8. Please submit your completed application to:

Office of Congressman Kevin Brady
Attn: Academy Nominations Coordinator
200 River Pointe Dr., Suite 304
Conroe, TX 77304
936-441-5700 (Conroe office)

**Congressman Kevin Brady - 8th District of Texas
U.S. Service Academies - Application for Nomination**

Legal Name: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____

Nickname: _____ **Social Security Number:** _____

High School: _____ **Male:** _____ **Female:** _____

Name(s) of Parent(s) or Guardian(s)

_____ **Relation:** _____

_____ **Relation:** _____

Present Mailing Address:

Telephone Number: _____

Alternate Telephone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Permanent Mailing Address:

(if different from above)

Telephone Number: _____

Alternate Telephone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Letters of Recommendation have been requested from:

- 1) _____
- 2) _____
- 3) _____

Academic Information:

Date	Class Rank/Size	GPA
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Date you opened an Admission File:

- _____ **Air Force Academy**
- _____ **Merchant Marine Academy**
- _____ **Military Academy**
- _____ **Naval Academy**

Standardized Test Information:

Date	Test (SAT/ACT)	Score
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Name: _____ Hometown: _____

1. Academy preference (Please rank in order of preference: 1, 2, 3, 4):

_____ Air Force Academy
_____ U.S. Military Academy
_____ Merchant Marine Academy
_____ Naval Academy

2. I am also seeking a nomination through:

_____ *President
_____ Vice President
_____ U.S. Senator John Cornyn
_____ U.S. Senator Ted Cruz

**A Presidential nomination only applies to applicants who have a parent currently on active military duty a parent retired from active duty.*

3. Please indicate your academic status as of November 1.

_____ High School Senior
_____ Attending an Academy prep school
_____ College (any classification) attending on a civil prep scholarship
_____ College (any classification)
_____ Other: _____

4. If your answer to question number 3 is other than (a), please list the institution you are attending.

4a. Are you a member of the armed forces (ROTC, National Guard, Reserves, Active Duty)?

_____ Yes _____ No

4b. Are you a member of a 7-day a week cadet corps program?

_____ Yes _____ No

5. Have you ever held a job for more than 9 continuous months that required you to work a minimum of 10 hours per week?

Dates employed	Employer	Hours / week	Position
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

6. Please describe an activity or program that illustrates your leadership ability or potential.

(You may discuss as many activities as space allows)

7. Athletic Organizations (Only include activities beginning your freshman year in high school)

Sport	# of Years Involved	# of Letters Earned	Leadership Positions

8. Academic / Student Organizations (Only include activities beginning your freshman year in high school)

Organization	# of Years Involved	# of Letters Earned	Leadership Positions

9. Awards / Honors / Scholarships (List 3 awards, honors, or scholarships that most exemplify your commitment to excellence)

Name of Award	Year Received	Presenting Organization	Award Criteria

10. Essay topic - "Why I want to attend an Academy"- (The essay must fit inside the box)

Please read before signing: I certify that I am a resident of the 8th Congressional District of Texas. I also understand that if I have not submitted **ALL** the necessary data and/or do not have an **OPEN** admissions file with an Academy by **OCTOBER 2, 2015**. I will **NOT** be given consideration for a nomination.

PRIVACY ACT OF 1974 STATEMENT: Congressman Kevin Brady, please monitor my progress in seeking an appointment to the Academy. I hereby give my consent for the Academy to divulge information from my records for this purpose.

PRINTED NAME: _____ **DATE:** _____
SIGNATURE: _____