

U.S. Congressman Tony Gonzales

23rd Congressional District, Texas

2023 APPLICATION FOR U. S. SERVICE ACADEMY NOMINATION

(To be completed by the applicant ONLY. Please PRINT; do not handwrite.)

NAME (Last, First, Middle) Preferred Name SSN

PERMANENT 23rd DISTRICT RESIDENCE ADDRESS (Street, City, Zip) COUNTY

MAILING ADDRESS (Street, City, State, Zip) (if different from above)

E-MAIL ADDRESS HOME PHONE # CELL PHONE #

BIRTHDATE PLACE OF BIRTH (City, State/Country)

AGE SEX (M/F) **Are you a U.S. Citizen (Yes / No)?** _____
Are you a legal resident of the 23rd District (Yes/No)? _____

FATHER'S or GUARDIAN'S NAME TELEPHONE # (Day/Evening)

ADDRESS (Street, City, Zip) E-MAIL ADDRESS

MOTHER'S OR GUARDIAN'S NAME TELEPHONE # (Day/Evening)

ADDRESS (Street, City, Zip) (if different from father's) E-MAIL ADDRESS

Education

NAME OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION DATE

ADDRESS (Street, City, Zip) TELEPHONE #

COUNSELOR E-MAIL ADDRESS TELEPHONE #

High School GPA: _____ (Please have your counselor convert this to the 4.0 scale).

Class Rank: _____ of _____ (Top _____ %)

Have you taken or are currently enrolled in (check all that apply): Honors Classes _____
AP Classes _____ IB Program _____ Dual Credit Classes _____

Please indicate your academic status as of October 30, 2023:

- 1) High school senior _____
- 2) Attending an Academy prep school _____
- 3) College (any classification) attending on a civil prep scholarship _____
- 4) College (any classification) _____
- 5) Other _____

If you are a high school graduate, where are you currently attending:

COLLEGE/INSTITUTION

ADDRESS (Street, City, Zip)

TELEPHONE

Official College Transcript must be included with completed application.

COLLEGE HOURS COMPLETED: _____

COLLEGE GPA: _____

Member of the armed forces (ROTC, Natl. Guard, Reserves, Active Duty)? Yes/No _____

Assignment	Location	Commanding Officer
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Academy Preference(s)

(If you do not plan on pursuing nominations to more than one academy, do not select a 2nd, 3rd or 4th choice.)

Rank your 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th preference(s), if applicable.

Military (Army) _____ Navy _____ Air Force _____ Merchant Marine _____

You must open a pre-candidate file at any academy you are interested in.

To which academy(s) have you applied and when?

You are highly encouraged to apply to other available nominating sources.

Check all other sources to which you are applying:

Senator Cornyn _____ Senator Cruz _____ Vice President _____ President* _____

(*A Presidential Nomination only applies to applicants who have a parent currently on active military duty or a parent retired from active duty.)

Have you ever been arrested, charged or indicted in conjunction with a misdemeanor or felony?

Yes / No _____

If yes, provide details.

College Entrance Examinations: Indicate score(s) and date(s) taken.

SAT	_____	_____	_____
	Reading & Writing/Math	Composite	Date Taken
SAT	_____	_____	_____
	Reading & Writing/Math	Composite	Date Taken
ACT	_____	_____	_____
	English/Math/Reading/Science/Writing	Composite	Date Taken
ACT	_____	_____	_____
	English/Math/Reading/Science/Writing	Composite	Date Taken

I. Extracurricular Activities (School Affiliated/Non-Sport):

(List Organization/Activity, Positions Held, Hours Per Week & Total Time Spent, Awards/Recognition.)

Freshman: _____

Sophomore: _____

Junior: _____

Senior: _____

II. Athletic Activities (Sports: School or Club/Marching Band):

(List all sports you have participated in as an individual or part of a team &/or list participation in marching band.

Include Sport/Activity, School/Club, Position/Specialty Instrument, Hours Per Week & Total Time Spent, Awards/Recognition/Letter.)

Freshman: _____

Sophomore: _____

Junior: _____

Senior: _____

III. Extracurricular Activities (Non-School Affiliated)

(List Organization/Activity, Positions Held, Hours Per Week & Total Time Spent, Awards/Recognition. Include civic, church, hobbies and special interest groups.)

Freshman: _____

Sophomore: _____

Junior: _____

Senior: _____

Employment History:

(Please list any part or full-time jobs you have held since you have been in high school. Note: List dates worked for each employer.)

Employer	Position	Hours per Week	Dates Worked (To-From)
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Address: _____

Employer	Position	Hours per Week	Dates Worked (To-From)
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Address: _____

IV. Awards/Honors/Scholarships

(List 5 that most exemplify your commitment to excellence.)

<u>Name of Award</u>	<u>Year Received</u>	<u>Presenting Organization</u>	<u>Award Criteria</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	_____	_____

References

A completed *Personal Evaluation Form* MUST accompany each Letter of Recommendation. Do not send more than the required three. One must be from a high school teacher, coach, principal or guidance counselor. The other two character references are at the applicant's discretion.

Those individuals completing a *Personal Evaluation Form* and providing a Letter of Recommendation should place them together into an envelope, seal and write their signature across the envelope flap. *Request them to return the sealed envelope to you for inclusion in your application packet.*

REFERENCE 1: _____

REFERENCE 2: _____

REFERENCE 3: _____

Acknowledgements (Please read carefully before signing.)

- The information above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. It is my sincere desire to attend a U.S. Service Academy, and I fully intend to accept an appointment, if offered. I am a U.S. citizen, or will be by July 1, 2023. I am or will be at least 17, but not yet 23 years of age (USMMA: 25 years of age), on July 1, 2023. I am unmarried, not pregnant and have no child support obligation. I am a legal resident of the 23rd Congressional District of Texas.
- I request that Congressman Gonzales consider my application for a congressional nomination to the U.S. Service Academy, or Academies, I have indicated. I request Congressman Gonzales to monitor my progress in seeking an appointment to an Academy, and hereby consent for the Academy to divulge information from my records for this purpose.
- Provisions of the Privacy Act of 1974 are waived to the extent of sharing this information with the Service Academies and their representatives as well as members of Congressman Gonzales' Service Academy Advisory Board.
- I understand that my application file must be completed by the **October 30, 2023** deadline. If I have not completed and postmarked or delivered to your San Antonio office ALL the required information and documentation by that date, I understand that my application will not be given ANY consideration.
- In the event that I do receive a nomination, I authorize Congressman Gonzales' office to release this information to the news outlets and the public.
- In the event that I do receive an appointment and I accept said offer of appointment, I authorize Congressman Gonzales' office to release this information to the news media and the public.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent or Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent or Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

(Note: Print out this page in order to actually sign and date this application.)