

**14<sup>th</sup> Congressional District  
Student Advisory Board Application**

The 14<sup>th</sup> Congressional District's Student Advisory Board was founded in 1993 as a way to give young people a voice in our government.

The Student Advisory Board is made up of high school students who live or attend school in the 14<sup>th</sup> Congressional District. Past Student Advisory Boards have researched topics and polled students on issues important to young people and made recommendations on legislation being considered in Congress.

The ideal candidate holds a Junior or Senior standing in high school and is responsible, creative, enthusiastic, dedicated, and able to attend meetings twice a month. For more information: <http://eshoo.house.gov/>

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
School \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_

Short Answers (please use a separate sheet of paper)

- 1) Why do you want to be a member of the 14<sup>th</sup> Congressional District's Student Advisory Board?
- 2) What strengths, qualifications and abilities will make you an asset to the Board? How will you contribute to the Board's discussions and decisions?
- 3) What political issues interest you the most? What kinds of issues would you like to see the Board cover?
- 4) What extracurricular activities do you pursue? What clubs, organizations or teams are you a member of?
- 5) As a member of the Board, you would be asked to attend meetings twice a month and commit several hours a week to extra work. Are you willing and able to make this commitment?

Meetings

Meetings will be held every other Wednesday, beginning in late October, from 6:30pm – 8:00pm in Congresswoman Eshoo's Palo Alto office. Please keep in mind that this schedule may change.

**Please return this application to Congresswoman Eshoo's Palo Alto office by October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2008:**

The Honorable Anna G. Eshoo  
Student Advisory Board  
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If you have any questions, please contact Jonathan Allen in Congresswoman Eshoo's office: (650) 323-2984, (408) 245-2339 or [jonathan.allen@mail.house.gov](mailto:jonathan.allen@mail.house.gov). Applicants will be notified by mid-October.

Thank you for your interest in the 14<sup>th</sup> Congressional District's Student Advisory Board!