

**Miss California Mid-State Fair
Pageant 2010 Application**

Applications due date: Thursday, April 15, 2010 at 4:00 p.m.

Application must be handwritten in black ink.
(No computer-generated copies will be accepted)

Information on form should to be current with opening day of Fair, July 21, 2010

Name _____ Nickname _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____ cell-phone _____

Phone _____ e-mail _____

Age _____ Date of Birth _____

Social Security # _____

Hair Color _____ Color of eyes _____ Height _____

Parents' names _____

Siblings' names _____

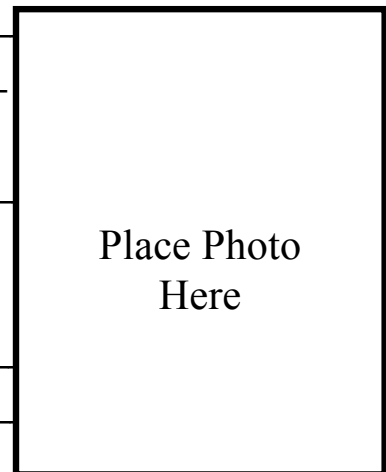
How long have you lived in SLO County _____

Occupation or year in school _____ Name of school _____

Hobbies _____

Clubs & Organizations

Special Awards & Achievements



Tell us about your talent, in detail. (What kind of music, dance, & acting.)

Why would you like to be Miss California Mid-State Fair?

List 5 words that describe you.

What does the California Mid-State Fair mean to you? (Be Brief!)

I have turned in:

Letter of recommendation _____

Application _____

Platform _____

Photo _____

Contract _____

By signing, I am acknowledging that I have read and fully understand **“The Rules & Regulations”** and all responsibilities of being a contestant in the “Miss California Mid-State Fair” Pageant.

Contestant: Signed _____ Date _____

Print Name _____

Parent: Signed _____ Date _____
(Parent signature is required, if contestant is under the age of 18.)

Print Name _____

Miss California Mid-State Fair Pageant

RULES & REGULATIONS

Please use black ink on application

1. Contestant must be between the ages of 17 – 22 years old, on opening day of the Fair (July 21, 2010).
2. Contestant must be female, single, have never been married, and have never given birth to a child.
3. Contestant must be a current resident of San Luis Obispo County. (At least 6 months.)
4. Each contestant may compete more than once if they have not been one of the top three winners in preceding contests.
5. **Each contestant must turn in a letter of recommendation, a current wallet photo, a completed official application and contract by 4:00 p.m., Thursday, April 15, 2010, to the Paso Robles Event Center (main office), 2198 Riverside Ave., Paso Robles, CA or mailed to Paso Robles Event Center, PO Box 8, Paso Robles, CA 93447. All mailed in applications must be postmarked by April 15, 2010. NO EXCEPTIONS!**
6. Contestants must be able to attend ALL rehearsals and scheduled activities relating to the pageant and CMSF. Rehearsals are closed to the public. Unauthorized absences will be cause for disqualification from the pageant. The Pageant Director will make the final decision in case of illness or emergencies. All contestants must conduct themselves as a professional representative for the California Mid-State Fair and exhibit good sportsmanship at all times
7. For one year following the Fair, arrangements between Miss California Mid-State Fair and any person or organization desiring publicity photos, public relations work, etc., must be cleared with the California Mid-State Fair.
8. Fair management reserves the right to close entries early and limit the number of contestants. The committee will have the final say on how an elimination process is handled, i.e. interview, lottery, impartial pre-judging panel, essay, etc.
9. Contestants will compete in five areas: Interview, Platform, Talent, Swimsuit, and Evening Wear. All contestants will establish a platform of service for the Fair. The platform will be completed during the 2011 Fair. (This will be explained further during orientation meeting).
10. The decision of the judges is final and no scores will be released.
11. Contestant understands that if she is selected as “Miss California Mid-State Fair” or either of the two Fair Princesses, she will be a year-round ambassador to the Fair, and that her daily presence during the Fair is mandatory. On Wednesday, July 21, 2010 at 9 a.m. pageant winners will meet with Fair Officials to discuss duties, responsibilities and the daily Fair schedule. Fair management reserves the right to dictate a year-round schedule as they see fit, which may include, but is not limited to: parades, ribbon cuttings, meetings and other Fair events.
12. If chosen as “Miss California Mid-State Fair” or a Princess, the day will start at 3:00 p.m. daily, unless otherwise stated. Only winners receive admission to all events and meals will be provided at scheduled times. Concert tickets, meals, and other miscellaneous benefits are a privilege and not a guaranteed prize.
13. If chosen as a winner, it is understood that parents or contestants will be responsible for any taxes or fees involving-prizes awarded. Social Security number has been submitted herein.
14. Dress code will be strictly enforced at all public appearances. Clothing must be free from holes and the appropriate length. If clothing does not meet the dress code, contestants and winners will be required to change. If in doubt, ask.