**When are applications due?**

Applications are due Wednesday, April 5, 2023 by 11:59 PM Eastern Time. You will e-mail your completed application to [famatstudent@gmail.com](mailto:famatstudent@gmail.com). Please submit your application either typed in this document (preferably in a different color or font style than the application itself), or neatly handwritten and scanned.

**Application Components**

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|  | **A. Personal Information** | Required |
|  | **B. Competition Information** | Required |
|  | **C. Academic Information** | Required |
|  | **D. General Essays** | Optional; but **highly** recommended |
|  | **E. Supplemental Essays** | Required (for President and Webmaster applicants **only**) |

**Who’s eligible to apply?**

All students who have competed in at least one regional or invitational during either the 2022 or 2023 FAMAT competition season are eligible to apply.

**What are the officer positions?**

President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Webmaster. Descriptions of each position are available on our website, [famatdelegates.org](http://famatdelegates.org/).

**How does the officer selection process work?**

After we have received all applications, the current student delegate officers will read all applications and vote to select 3 nominees per position. There will be an election at the State Convention at a time and location that will be announced later.

* **All nominees will give a speech that is at most 2 minutes long.**
  + Speeches will be given at the States Student Delegates Meeting to all the school delegations
* **After all speeches for each position, delegates will vote on their officer preference.**
  + Each school has one vote per position.
  + A nominee must receive over half of the votes to win.
* **Campaigning prior to elections is allowed on the condition that nominees are supportive of one another and do not give incentives of any form to delegates.**
* The 2023-2024 Student Delegate Officers will be announced at the 2023 State Convention during the awards ceremony.

Please direct all other questions to [famatstudent@gmail.com](mailto:famatstudent@gmail.com), or contact Himal Bamzai-Wokhlu.

**A. Personal Information**

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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2. E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_­­­\_

3. Application Category (Select Two, **Bold** for First Choice, Underline for Second Choice):

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| President | Vice-President | Secretary | Treasurer | Webmaster |

**B. Competition Information: (*please be honest!*)**

1. Number of years in Mu Alpha Theta (including middle school): \_**\_\_\_\_**\_\_\_\_\_

2. Number of State and National Delegate Meetings Attended: \_**\_\_\_\_**\_\_\_\_\_

3. Number of Invitational Delegate Meetings Attended: \_\_**\_\_\_\_**\_\_\_\_

**C. Academic Information**

1. School Name: **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. Grade Level (next year): 9 10 11 12

3. Division(s) you will participate in during the 2023 FAMAT season (next year):

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Algebra II | Geometry | Pre-Calculus | Statistics | Calculus |

4. On the following page, list honors, awards, elected positions, volunteer experience, and extracurricular activities that relate to your requested position or that you value. Include grade(s) of participation.

Please write your response to Academic Information question 4 on this page.

**For sections D and E, please use the accompanying pages for your responses and clearly indicate which question(s) you are responding to. You are welcome to add more pages if necessary.**

**D. Essays**

**Excluding the President required and the Webmaster required essays, the following essays are optional. However, they are highly recommended to provide us with information on your qualification as a future student delegate officer. The word count requirements are bolded.**

**All Applicants**

1. **[Maximum of 200 Words]** Why do you believe you are the best candidate for the position you have chosen?
2. **[Maximum of 125 Words**] One of the biggest difficulties every year is finding fundraising opportunities/sponsorships. Money that the officer board raises is put towards purchasing Squirty Chickens, hosting the delegate website, and implementing new projects. How will you raise the necessary Student Delegate funds and what will you do with surplus money?
3. **[Maximum of 50 Words]** Please tell us about yourself. The answer to this question will be posted for all student delegates to read on the FAMAT Student Organization Facebook Page before the election.

**President Applicants Only (Required)**

* **[Between 75 and 250 Words]** What are some of your ideas for improving the FAMAT Student Organization, and how do you plan to implement them?
* **[Between 75 and 250 Words]** List and explain your planned strategies for organizing the work you and your accompanying officers will do. This includes, but is not limited to, organizing the Squirty Chicken awards, creating meeting agendas, and working to increase the number of schools represented in the student delegacy.

**Webmaster Applicants Only (Required)**

* **[Between 75 and 250 Words]** What is your experience with website development? How familiar are you with Wordpress, GoDaddy hosting, and Python? How do you plan to improve the student delegate website?
* **Please link any past projects/websites with a brief description of your contributions.**

**E. Interschool**

**Provide a unique problem or problem concept that you would include in a Fall or State Interschool test.**