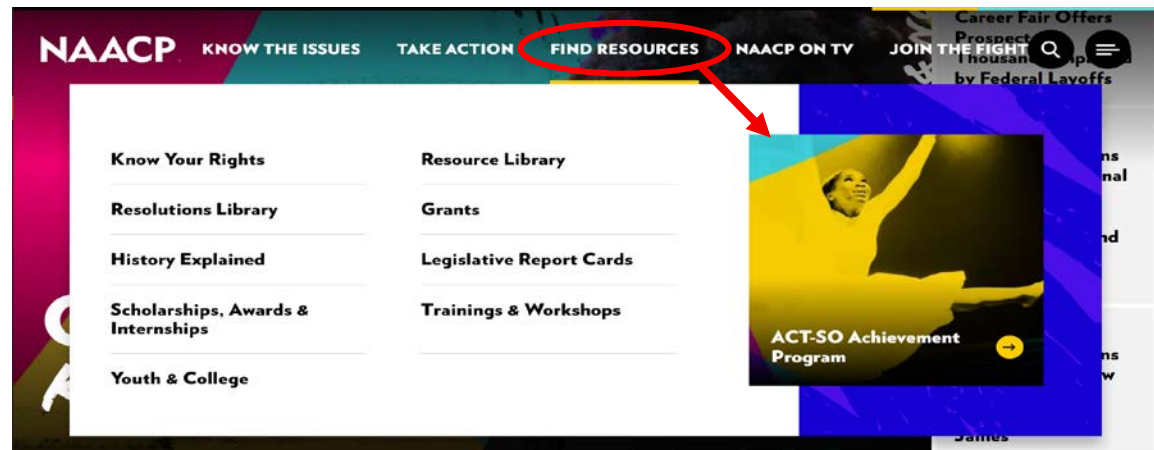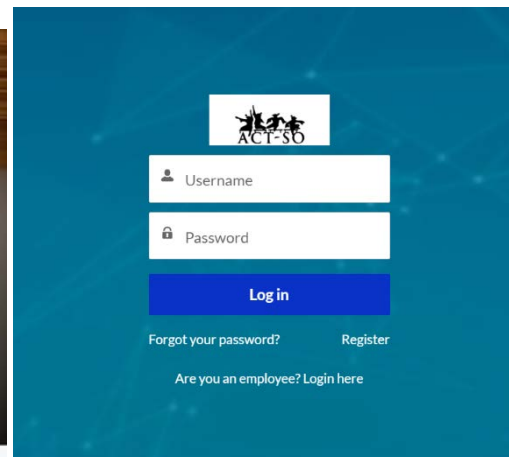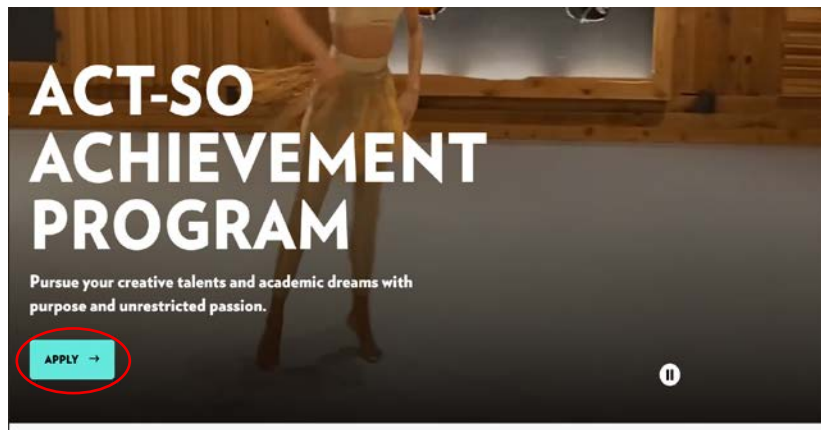## Student Registration Guidelines

This document serves as a guide for students completing an online ACT-SO application.

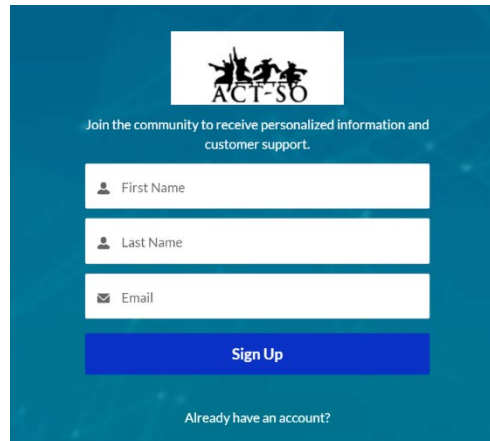1. Navigate to naacp.org. Under the "Find Resources" tab click the link to the ACT-SO page.

2. Click apply which will take you to the login page of the experience site.
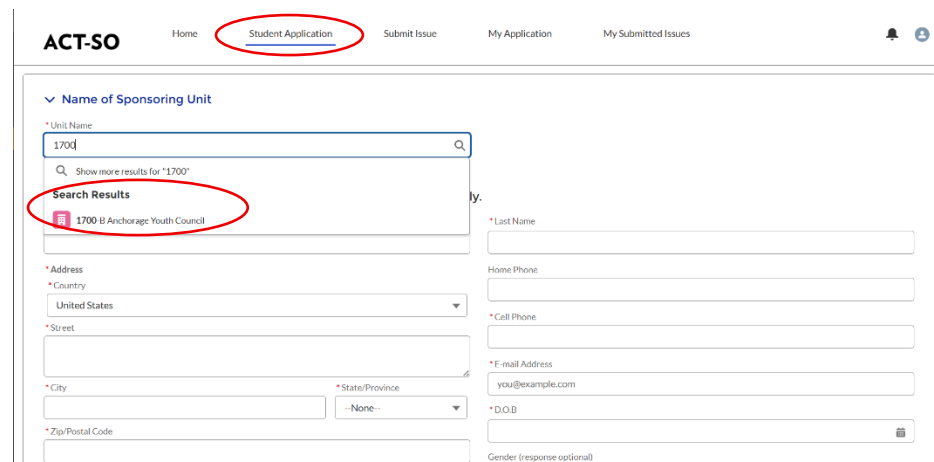

Experience Homepage

3. Once on the login page, click on register which will take you to the page below. Fill in the blanks and hit "Sign Up".

*You only need to register once. Moving forward you can simply log in from the home page. *

4. On the experience homepage, navigate to the "Student Application" tab and begin filling in all information. To select your unit, search by unit name or number and it will populate under "Search Results" as shown below.

Form — Student Applicant Section (Panel 1)

∨ This section to be completed by student applicant. Please print legibly.

* First Name
Austin

* Last Name
Dennison

* Address

Home Phone

* Country
United States

* Street
Test

* Cell Phone
4435713295

* City
Test

* State/Province
CO

* E-mail Address
Test@test.com

* Zip/Postal Code
21215

* D.O.B
Oct 13, 2025

Graduating Seniors: Are you planning to attend college?
-- None --

Gender (response optional)

* Returning Competitor
No

* High School Name
Carver

* NAACP Member
Yes

* High School City
Baltimore

* High School State

Category Selection (Panel 2)

test@test.com

Please refer to the ACT-SO Category Descriptions and select the category or categories for which you will create a project, artwork, or performance. Contestants may participate in up to 3 competitions. However, students competing in Culinary Arts and Hospitality Management cannot compete in any other category. Please specify the competition, and for music competitors, indicate the instrument and/or voice (for example, soprano, drums, saxophone, etc.).

STEM
- [ ] Architecture (01)
- [ ] Biology/Microbiology (02)
- [x] Chemistry/Biochemistry (03)
- [ ] Computer Science (04)
- [ ] Earth & Space Sciences (05)
- [ ] Engineering (06)
- [ ] Mathematics (07)
- [ ] Medicine & Health (08)
- [ ] Physics (09)

HUMANITIES
- [ ] Music Composition (10)
- [ ] Original Essay (11)
- [ ] Playwriting (12)
- [ ] Poetry - Written (13)
- [x] Short Story (14)

BUSINESS
- [ ] Entrepreneurship (31)
- [ ] Hospitality Management (32)

CULINARY
- [ ] Culinary Arts (33)

PERFORMING ARTS
- [ ] Dance: Ballet (15)
- [ ] Dance: Contemporary (16)
- [ ] Dance: Modern (17)
- [ ] Dance: Cultural (18)
- [ ] Dramatics (19)
- [ ] Music: Instr.—Classical (20)
- [x] Music: Instr.—Contemp. (21)
- [ ] Music: Vocal—Classical (22)
- [ ] Music: Vocal—Contemp. (23)
- [ ] Oratory (24)
- [ ] Spoken Word (25)

VISUAL ARTS
- [ ] Drawing (26)
- [ ] Filmmaking (27)
- [ ] Painting (28)
- [x] Photography (29)
- [ ] Sculpture (30)

* Music Competition 1:
Inst. Classical

Music Competition 2:

Signature Section (Panel 3)

- [ ] Culinary Arts (33)
- [ ] Oratory (24)
- [ ] Spoken Word (25)

* Music Competition 1:
Inst. Classical

Music Competition 2:

Music Competition 3:

All NAACP ACT-SO Contestants must declare one unit to compete with during a single cycle. Students are not permitted to split their competitions across multiple units. Any contestant violating this policy will be disqualified and prevented from participating in the competition.

* Student Signature
Austin Dennison

* Date
Oct 14, 2025

* Parent/Guardian(s) Signature
parent

* Date
Oct 14, 2025

* Chairperson Signature
Chairperson

* Date
Oct 14, 2025

Format: Dec 31, 2024

Submit

* Signatures do not need to be collected in person. The student should simply type in parent and chairperson's names.*
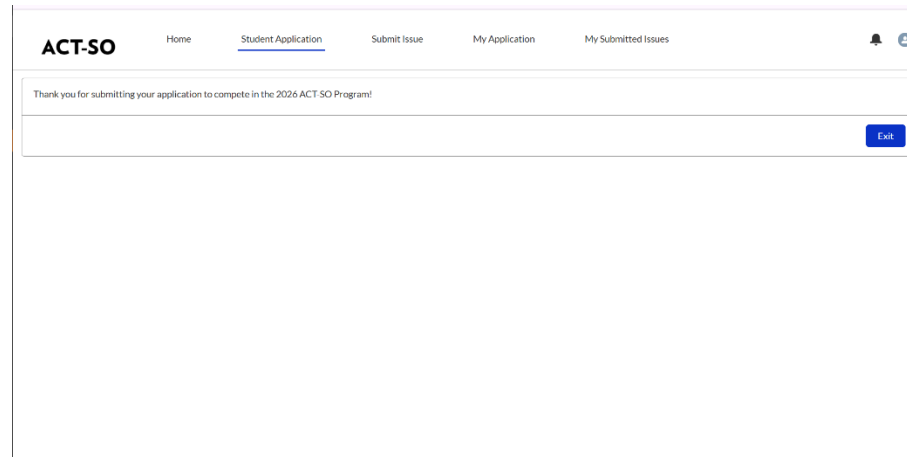
<u>* Upon successful completion of the application the following message will display*</u>

5. Should you need to make changes to your application, navigate to "My Application". Click the pen next to any area you need to edit, make necessary changes and hit save. The National Office will automatically receive those changes.

∨ To be completed by Student applicant

First Name	Last Name
Austin	Dennison

Address	Home Phone
test	

City	Cell Phone
test	test

State	E-mail
CO	test@test.org

Zip	Gender
test	

Graduating Seniors: Are you planning to	U.S. Citizen
--None--	Yes

D.O.B.	Parent/ Guardian(s) Name
10/2/2025	Parent

Returning Competitor	Parent/ Guardian(s) Cell Phone
No	test

NAACP Member	Parent E-mail
Yes	test@test.com

Cancel   Save

Austin Dennison   2026

∨ To be completed by Student applicant

First Name	Last Name
Austin	Dennison

Address	Home Phone
test	

City	Cell Phone
test	test

State	E-mail
CO	test@test.com

Zip	Gender
test	

Graduating Seniors: Are you planning to	U.S. Citizen
	Yes

D.O.B.	Parent/ Guardian(s) Name
10/2/2025	Parent

Returning Competitor	Parent/ Guardian(s) Cell Phone
No	test

NAACP Member	Parent E-mail
Yes	test@test.com

High School Name	
test	

High School City	
test	

High School State	
test	

Collaborate here!

Here's where you start talking with your colleagues about this record.

<u>Things to know:</u>

- Students must create their own accounts and should not complete applications or uploads under a parent or chairpersons account.
- Upon completion of the application, parents/guardians will receive an email notifying them that their student has applied to ACT-SO with instructions on how to confirm their approval for participation.
- Students can select more than 3 areas of interest so that both the local and National offices can get a holistic picture of the student.
- Students will be able to upload all competition documents directly to their account under the "Related" tab