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PETITION FOR FRESH START STATUS

Please read CAREFULLY before submitting to the Admissions Office.

- Fresh Start status is intended to address the needs of students who have had serious academic difficulties.
- Only students returning to the College after a separation of two or more years with a cumulative GPA of less than 2.0 at the time of separation are eligible to apply for Fresh Start.
- Students must apply for Fresh Start within 12 months of their return to the College after the separation and be enrolled in a major.
- Fresh Start eligibility is limited to those students planning to a complete a degree or certificate at STCC.
- Students who have already earned a degree or certificate at STCC are not eligible for Fresh Start.
- Students can be approved for Fresh Start status only once.
- If Fresh Start Status is approved, all courses (including developmental courses) with grades that are a "C-" or higher will be changed to "TS" and may or may not be transferable to other colleges.
- All grades that are "D" or lower will be deleted.
- Once grades have been changed through Fresh Start they can not be changed back at a later date.
- The Dean of Admissions will determine eligibility and you will be notified in writing.
- Being approved for the Fresh Start program does not necessarily change your previous Financial Aid standing. Please contact the STCC Financial Aid Office to check on your eligibility.

Address:		Phone #: ()
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By signing below	you are stating that you ful	ly understand the conditions listed above, are
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