



# Google Summer of Code Student Application Template

Please use the scheme shown here for your student application. If you have any questions, ask on the mailing list or in the [IRC](#) channel of the appropriate workgroup (see or [project ideas page](#)).

You

- Name
- University / current enrollment
- Short bio / overview of your background
- Subscribe to the mailing list of the appropriate group and introduce yourself
- Tell us your [IRC](#) nick with which you will use the group's [IRC](#) channel

Your Coding Skills

In your application let us know

- What platform do you use to code? Hardware specifications and operating system
- Did you ever code in C or C++/Perl/python/..., yes/no? what is your experience?
- If you apply for a project on our ideas list, have you experience in the areas listed under “Desired knowledge”?

Set yourself up

- Set up your platform to build a Bazaar/GIT/Subversion snapshot of the current state of the project you are interested in.
- If you need help, ask on the mailing list of the appropriate group, or in the [IRC](#).
- Report success on the mailing list or [IRC](#).

You and Us

- Were you involved in development in the project's group in the past? What was your contribution?
- Were you involved in other OpenSource development projects in the past? which, when and in what role?
- Why have you chosen your development idea and what do you expect from your implementation?

Your Project

- What do you want to achieve?
- If you have chosen an idea from our list, why did you choose this specific idea?
- If you are proposing a project of your own, what is unique about it?
- What makes you suited to carry the project?
- How much time do you plan to invest in the project before, during and after the Summer of Code (We expect full time 40h/week during GSoC, but better make this explicit)?
- Please provide a schedule of how this time will be spent on subtasks of the project. While this is only preliminary, you will be required to provide a detailed plan latest at the beginning of GSoC and during the project you will issue weekly progress reports against that plan.