



## HIGH SCHOOL SPECIALTY PROGRAM APPLICATION 2020-2021

The High School Specialty Program Application is an opportunity for each student who resides permanently within the boundaries of the Sacramento City Unified School District (SCUSD) to apply for enrollment in a SCUSD high school specialty program, based on space availability for the 2020-2021 school year.

**A completed application can be submitted between April 1, 2020 - May 1, 2020 to the Enrollment Center. If accepted, applicants will need to provide an intra or inter-district permit within five days of the offer.**

Carefully look at the checklist provided in this packet to make sure you submit all the required paperwork and fulfill all the requirements for each program applied to.

**Please call the Enrollment Center at (916) 643-9075 with any questions.**

STUDENT INFORMATION		
First Name:	MI:	Last Name:
Student's Birthday (MM/DD/YY):		
Home Address:		
City:	State:	ZIP Code:
PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION		
First Name:	Last Name:	
Address:	Relationship to Student:	
Home Phone:	Work/Alternative Phone:	
SCHOOL INFORMATION		
Current School Attending:		
Current Grade Level: <input type="checkbox"/> 8th Grade <input type="checkbox"/> 9th Grade <input type="checkbox"/> 10th Grade <input type="checkbox"/> 11th Grade		
Special Education: Yes/No		
504 Plan: Yes/No		
<i>Any information provided regarding a student's Special Education status or disability is solely for the purpose of promptly providing required accommodations and does not exclude any student from a specialty program.</i>		
SUBMIT COMPLETE APPLICATION TO:		
SCUSD ENROLLMENT CENTER - 5601 47TH AVENUE - SACRAMENTO, CA 95824 - PHONE: (916) 643-9075		
Applications can be dropped off at the Enrollment Center any time prior to the application deadline for submission. Please contact the specialty program directly with specific questions about a program. Program information can be found at <a href="http://www.scusd.edu/hsapplication">http://www.scusd.edu/hsapplication</a> .		

## 2019-2020 HIGH SCHOOL SPECIALTY PROGRAMS

<p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Arthur A. Benjamin Health Professions High School</b></p> <p><b>C.K. McClatchy High School</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Air Force Jr. ROTC Program</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Criminal Justice Academy</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Humanities and International Studies Program (HISP)*</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Law and Public Policy Academy (LPPA)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Visual and Performance Arts (VAPA)*</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>George Washington Carver School of Arts and Science♦</b></p> <p><b>Hiram Johnson High School</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Air Force Jr. ROTC Program</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Corporate Business Academy (JCBA)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Health and Medical Science Academy</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Law Academy</p>	<p><b>John F. Kennedy High School</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Criminal Justice Academy</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Manufacturing and Design (MaD)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Marine Corps Jr. ROTC Program</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Program in America and California Exploration (PACE)*</p> <p><b>Kit Carson International Academy</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> IB Middle Years Programme</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> IB Diploma Programme*</p> <p><b>Luther Burbank High School</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Building Trades Academy</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> IB Diploma Programme*</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Law and Social Justice</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Navy Jr. ROTC Program</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Titan Media Productions</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Urban Agriculture Academy</p>	<p><b>Rosemont High School</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> ECD (Engineering, Construction, and Design)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Leadership and Enrichment through Academic Development (LEAD)*</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> RHS Culinary</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Sacramento New Tech High School♦</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>The Met Sacramento♦</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>West Campus*</b></p> <p style="text-align: right;">* <i>Criteria-based Program</i> ♦ <i>Dependent Charter School</i></p>
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### HIGH SCHOOL SPECIALTY PROGRAM CHOICES

Please write in your High School Specialty Program choice(s) from the list above.

1st Choice Program:

2nd Choice Program (optional):

*SCUSD uses a computerized, third-party lottery system to place in-district students at their school of choice. A lottery must be implemented if applications exceed the grade capacity at the requested program. If your student isn't selected during this step, he/she will be placed on a waiting list for your first choice only. Students who live outside the district boundaries will be accepted or go on the waiting list after qualified in-district applicants per California Education Code.*

### LOTTERY SELECTION PRIORITIES (IN-DISTRICT APPLICANTS ONLY)

*In the case of a lottery system, priority will be given to siblings of students in the specialty program and parent/guardian whose primary place of employment is the selected school.*

Is parent/guardian employed at one of the selected schools? Yes/No

Does student have a sibling (brother or sister) in the 1st choice school for the 2020-2021 school year? Yes/No.

Name of Sibling(s):

**ADDITIONAL APPLICANT INFORMATION**

Please enter the following information for your application to be considered.

**Extracurricular Activities:**

Please provide a list of extracurricular activities and qualifications to give program coordinator(s) a well-rounded picture of who you are. For example: clubs, robotics, sports teams, mathletes, ASB, ASES, church groups, etc. Use a "bullet" format to list instead of sentences. (Limit 250 Characters)

**Additional Information (optional):**

Please provide any additional details or circumstances you feel are not reflected in the application. For example: awards, (honor roll, perfect attendance), musical talents, leadership roles, community service, organizations you belong to or other accomplishments. (Limit 250 Characters)



## HIGH SCHOOL SPECIALTY PROGRAM CHECKLIST 2020-2021

*Please use this checklist to make sure your application is complete for the programs you apply for.*

Arthur A. Benjamin Health Professions

- Specialty Program Application

C.K. McClatchy Air Force Jr. ROTC Program

- Specialty Program Application

C.K. McClatchy Criminal Justice Academy

- Specialty Program Application

C.K. McClatchy Humanities and International Studies Program (HISP)

- Specialty Program Application
- Attend an Essay Session (contact Enrollment Center)
- Two Teacher Recommendations
- Transcripts 7<sup>th</sup> Grade (all quarters) and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade (first quarter)
- Standardized Test Scores

C.K. McClatchy Law and Public Policy Academy (LPPA)

- Specialty Program Application

C.K. McClatchy Visual and Performing Arts (VAPA)

- Specialty Program Application
- Portfolio (Visual Arts, Performing Arts or Music) submitted to McClatchy (see VAPA website)
- Two Teacher Recommendations
- Transcripts: 7<sup>th</sup> Grade (all quarters) and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade (first quarter)
- Standardized Test Scores

George Washington Carver School of Arts and Science

- Specialty Program Application

Hiram Johnson Air Force Jr. ROTC Program

- Specialty Program Application

Hiram Johnson Corporate Business Academy (JCBA)

- Specialty Program Application

Hiram Johnson Health and Medical Science Academy

- Specialty Program Application

Hiram Johnson Law Academy

- Specialty Program Application

John F. Kennedy Criminal Justice Academy

- Specialty Program Application

John F. Kennedy Manufacturing and Design (MaD)

- Specialty Program Application

John F. Kennedy Marine Corps Jr. ROTC Program

- Specialty Program Application

John F. Kennedy Program in America and California Exploration (PACE)

- Specialty Program Application
- Attend an Essay Session (contact Enrollment Center)
- Two Teacher Recommendations
- Transcripts 7<sup>th</sup> Grade (all quarters) and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade (first quarter)
- Standardized Test Scores

Kit Carson International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme

- Specialty Program Application
- Transcripts 9<sup>th</sup> Grade (all quarters) and 10<sup>th</sup> Grade (first quarter)
- Standardized Test Scores

Kit Carson International Baccalaureate IB Middle Years Programme

- Specialty Program Application

Luther Burbank Building Trades Academy

- Specialty Program Application

Luther Burbank International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme

- Specialty Program Application
- Transcripts 9<sup>th</sup> Grade (all quarters) and 10<sup>th</sup> Grade (first quarter)
- Standardized Test Scores

Luther Burbank Law and Social Justice

- Specialty Program Application

Luther Burbank Navy Jr. ROTC Program

- Specialty Program Application

Luther Burbank Titan Media Productions

- Specialty Program Application

Luther Burbank Urban Agriculture Academy

- Specialty Program Application

Rosemont ECD (Engineering, Construction, and Design)

- Specialty Program Application

Rosemont Leadership and Enrichment through Academic Development (LEAD)

- Specialty Program Application
- Attend an Essay Session (contact Enrollment Center)
- Two Teacher Recommendations
- Transcripts 7<sup>th</sup> Grade (all quarters) and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade (first quarter)
- Standardized Test Scores

RHS Culinary

- Specialty Program Application

Sacramento New Tech High School

- Specialty Program Application

The Met Sacramento

- Specialty Program Application

West Campus

- Specialty Program Application
- Attend an Test Session (contact Enrollment Center)
- Two Teacher Recommendations
- Transcripts 7<sup>th</sup> Grade (all quarters) and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade (first quarter)
- Standardized Test Scores



## TEACHER RECOMMENDATION FORM #1

**Student Applicant:** Complete the top section below and give this form to **your current language arts teacher**. Provide your teacher with a stamped envelope addressed to programs you are applying for. You must submit two teacher recommendations—one from your current language arts teacher (this form) and another from any other current teacher (Recommendation Form #2). Please provide a stamped envelope to your teacher to mail the recommendation back with. Recommendations should be mailed to Sacramento City Unified School District Enrollment Center, 5601 47th Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95824.

**Teacher:** Your student is applying to a specialty program at a SCUSD high school. Please give your best assessment of your student and their readiness for a rigorous, college preparatory program. Complete this form and send it to arrive no later than **Friday, May 15, 2020**.

Student name \_\_\_\_\_

First

Last

School now attending \_\_\_\_\_

Name of teacher completing this form: \_\_\_\_\_ Subject: \_\_\_\_\_

Criteria-based Specialty Programs (check up to two programs):

- C.K. McClatchy Humanities and International Studies Program (HISP)
- C.K. McClatchy Visual and Performing Arts (VAPA)
- John F. Kennedy Program in America and California Exploration (PACE)
- Rosemont Leadership and Enrichment through Academic Development (LEAD)
- West Campus High School

<b>Please Rate</b>	<b>Excellent</b>	<b>Good</b>	<b>Fair</b>	<b>Needs Improvement</b>
Written expression				
Intellectual curiosity				
Creativity				
Motivation to do well				
Contributes to class				
Mature social leader				
Solid work habits				
Reaction to setbacks				

Please provide additional comments or information about this student that may be helpful.



## TEACHER RECOMMENDATION FORM #2

**Student Applicant:** Complete the top section below and give this form to **one of your current teachers**. Provide your teacher with a stamped envelope addressed to programs you are applying for. You must submit two teacher recommendations—one from your current language arts teacher (Recommendation Form #1) and another from any other current teacher (this form). Please provide a stamped envelope to your teacher to mail the recommendation back with. Recommendations should be mailed to Sacramento City Unified School District Enrollment Center, 5601 47th Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95824.

**Teacher:** Your student is applying to a specialty program at a SCUSD high school. Please give your best assessment of your student and their readiness for a rigorous, college preparatory program. Complete this form and send it to arrive no later than **Friday, May 15, 2020**.

Student name \_\_\_\_\_

First

Last

School now attending \_\_\_\_\_

Name of teacher completing this form: \_\_\_\_\_ Subject: \_\_\_\_\_

Criteria-based Specialty Programs (check up to two programs):

- C.K. McClatchy Humanities and International Studies Program (HISP)
- C.K. McClatchy Visual and Performing Arts (VAPA)
- John F. Kennedy Program in America and California Exploration (PACE)
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- West Campus High School

Please Rate	Excellent	Good	Fair	Needs Improvement
Written expression				
Intellectual curiosity				
Creativity				
Motivation to do well				
Contributes to class				
Mature social leader				
Solid work habits				
Reaction to setbacks				

Please provide additional comments or information about this student that may be helpful.