Oakstone Academy Student Leadership Nomination Form

OAKSTONE STUDENT LEADERSHIP

Middle School **"Student Ambassadors"**
High School **"Team S.O.S."**

"When we think of student leadership, we think of teamwork. We think of students working together to make our school a better place. We're more than just a dance committee; we are a voice for the student body. We set the example for the rest of the student body by living by our character standards. We display responsibility, fairness, trustworthiness, caring, respect, and citizenship. Student leadership, to us, is about being the best leader you can be."

-Team SOS and Student Ambassadors

The student leadership teams are 2 groups of selected students who meet regularly throughout the year to promote:

CITIZENSHIP

LEADERSHIP

EFFECTIVE RELATIONSHIPS

SCHOOL AND CULTURAL VALUES

Each member is in a leadership position and is expected to reflect the character of such which includes:

1. Integrity
2. Dedication
3. Humility
4. Openness
5. Creativity
6. Fairness
7. Assertiveness
8. A proactive nature
9. Outstanding citizenship
10. Clear communication skills
11. Emotional and academic stability

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Please return to the designated table outside of the principal's office by **Friday, May 2nd, 2014.**

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name: Last _____ First: _____

Grade you will be entering in the upcoming school year: _____

(Students entering 6th-12th grade in the upcoming school year are eligible to apply)

CURRENT 9TH-11TH GRADERS ONLY

Current GPA: _____

Guidance counselor's confirmation signature: _____

(Minimum 3.0 GPA required)

CURRENT 5TH-8TH GRADERS ONLY

"This student has maintained above a C+ in all classes this year."

Guidance counselor's confirmation signature: _____

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INVOLVEMENT

If your answers to the following questions exceed the space provided, please continue your answers on a separate piece of paper.

Please indicate your involvement in school and community activities including any leadership positions held and/or work experience during the past 2 years.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Of the activities that you listed, which one gives you the most satisfaction? Why?

   _____
   _____
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2. What do you consider to be your greatest strength?

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   _____
   _____

3. What do you consider to be a weakness that you would like to change into a strength?

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   _____
   _____

4. Why are you applying to Oakstone's Student Leadership Program?

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   _____
   _____

5. What do you think your involvement will be in shaping the future of our school community?

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   _____
   _____

6. Who do you admire as a leader and why?

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   _____
   _____

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ATTENDANCE AGREEMENT

Your commitment to this exciting Student Leadership Program involves mandatory participation for the following:

DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR

Tuesdays- 8-8:40am- High School Team SOS (Grades 8th-12th)

Wednesdays- 8-8:40am- Middle School Student Ambassadors (Grades 6th & 7th)

DURING THE SUMMER

Summer Leadership Intensives:

9:00-12:00pm- Middle School Student Ambassadors & 1:00-4:00pm- High School Team SOS

June 17th	July 8th	July 29th
June 24th	July 15th	
July 1st	July 22nd	

Summer Leadership Camp:

August 4th, 2014 from 9-4 for High School Team SOS

August 8th, 2014 from 9-4 for Middle School Student Ambassadors

We understand and agree to the attendance requirements listed above, and understand the commitment, pending acceptance.

I, the student, understand that it is expected for me to follow through on my commitment for the full year.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

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REFERENCES

The subsequent reference forms need to be filled out by 3 current teachers who are willing to speak on your behalf. Give the reference form to the teacher, and they will need to complete and turn in the form to Ms. Ruth, separate from the rest of your nomination packet materials.

1. Name of Reference _____
2. Name of Reference _____
3. Name of Reference _____

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TEACHER REFERENCE FORM *(Must be a current teacher)*

Please be open and candid in your reference. Students will not see this form, and your honest input is important. If needed, we may use your reference to guide the student on goals for a future acceptance, but we will retype, omit all names and generalize the information provided.

Name of applicant: _____

Name of teacher completing this form: _____

Members of student leadership are expected to reflect the following traits. Please rank the applicant on the below characteristics:

	Excellent	Good	Average	Fair	Poor
Integrity					
Dedication					
Humility					
Openness					
Creativity					
Fairness					
Assertiveness					
A proactive nature					
Outstanding citizenship					
Clear communication skills					
Emotional stability					
Academic stability					

(Circle One) **I RECOMMEND / RECOMMEND WITH RESERVATIONS / DO NOT RECOMMEND** this student for membership in the Student Leadership Program.

Additional comments or concerns regarding this student:

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Teachers, please give your recommendation form to Ms. Ruth no later than Friday, May 2nd, 2014.

Thank you very much for your help ☺