



WATERBURY CAREER ACADEMY HIGH SCHOOL

Application for Student Admission for the 2020-2021 School Year



To be considered for admission to Waterbury Career Academy High School, you and your child must complete this application with the appropriate signatures and return it to your school counselor. Your school counselor will complete the sending school section of this application and forward your application, transcript of grades, attendance and discipline records to Waterbury Career Academy High School. Incomplete applications will not be processed. Admission is contingent upon successful completion of Grade 8 and final receipt of all records.

The following information must be submitted to Waterbury Career Academy High School:

- Pages 1 and 2 including extra-curricular activities (if none please indicate “none”)
- Page 3, an essay describing how Waterbury Career Academy High School can benefit you in the future
- Page 4 completed by the school counselor
- Page 5 completed by an academic teacher
- A final Grade 7 report card and current Grade 8 report card (report cards must list attendance; if attendance is not listed on the report cards then a separate attendance report must be attached)
- A discipline report for grade 7 and grade 8
- Grade 7 Smarter Balanced Assessment as reported on the Student Score Report or comparable standardized assessment such as the IOWA tests

Admissions Process and Procedures:

Each of the above factors is given a score and the total score is then calculated. Students are selected by rank order until the Grade 9 class total has reached capacity. An acceptance letter is sent to selected applicants. For special needs students, a PPT/504 meeting will be held after acceptance to address programming needs.

Application Deadline: Friday, December 13, 2019

Student Applicant’s Name: _____ Current Grade: _____

Current School Attending: _____

Applicant’s WPS Student Identification Number:

Home Schooled: Yes No

List Strand Interest in rank order:	Computer Information Technology _____	<i>1-Most Interested</i>
	Engineering/Manufacturing _____	<i>2-Interested</i>
	Health Services _____	<i>3-Somewhat Interested</i>
	Human Services _____	<i>4-Least Interested</i>

McKinney Vento (McV) – Please see your Parent Liaison.

OFFICE USE ONLY

Grade 7 Smarter Balanced (SBAC) ELA/literacy and mathematics scores			
Report Card - Grade 7	_____	Discipline Report	_____
Report Card - Grade 8	_____	Student Essay	_____
Teacher Recommendation	_____	Completed Application	_____
Student/Parent Signatures	_____	Extracurricular/Community involvement	_____

*******FOR DATA COLLECTION PURPOSES ONLY*******
TO BE COMPLETED BY THE SENDING SCHOOL

Student Name: _____

Behavior

Has this student participated in a violent criminal offense, as determined by State Law, while in or on the grounds of a school? Yes No

Has this student committed a gun-free schools violation (possession of a firearm or explosive device) that resulted in expulsion? Yes No

Has this student participated in an*other weapon* incident resulting in expulsion? Yes No

Does this student have any other dangerous or criminal discipline infractions? Yes No

Gifted and Talented

Has this student been identified as gifted or talented or in MSAA? Yes No

Special Education

Does the student receive special education services? Yes No

504

Does the student receive 504 accommodations? Yes No

EL (English Language) Support Services

Does the student receive bilingual services? Yes No

Does the student receive EL services? Yes No

Do you recommend this applicant for admission? Yes No With reservation

Comments:

Print Name: _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

SENDING SCHOOL CHECKLIST (if missing information please give a reason)

- Grade 7 report card
- Grade 8 report card
- Discipline report
- Grade 7 SBAC ELA scores
- Grade 7 SBAC Math scores
- Teacher recommendation
- Extracurricular/community involvement

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Letter of Recommendation

Academic Teacher:

The student named below is applying to Waterbury Career Academy High School. Please return the completed form to the student's school counselor. This recommendation will be kept confidential and will be used for admission to Waterbury Career Academy. Thank you for your time and assistance.

Applicant's Full Name: _____

Teacher's Full Name: (please print) _____

School: _____

How long have you known the applicant? _____

Course Title: _____

ACADEMIC TRAITS

How would you rate this applicant as compared to other students you have taught in the following categories?

Please check only <u>one box</u> per category.	Superior	Above Average	Average	Satisfactory	Below Average
Intellectual Aptitude					
Study Habits					
Academic Motivation					
Intellectual Curiosity					
Academic Integrity					
Classwork Assignments					
Homework Assignments					
Quality of Work					

Is there anything else you can tell us about the applicant that will help us to better understand him/her as a student and a person?

Teacher's Signature

Date