

#### **INCLUSIVE WEBSITE EXPERIENCE**

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We understand that website users who have disabilities may use the website with the assistance of technology, including screen readers, captioning, transcripts, and other auxiliary aids and services. We are committed to providing all website users with information about our services and alternative ways we can offer these services.

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If you are unable to access information or documents posted on this website, please send us an email at <a href="websupport@lssc.edu">websupport@lssc.edu</a> with as much of the following information as possible:

- Your name
- Your phone number
- Your email address
- The date and time you encountered the problem
- The web page or address where the problem occurred
- What occurred or what you were unable to do
- Any error messages you received.





#### **Applications Checklist**

Recommendations should be submitted to your teachers or counselor by February 3, 2020 to ensure their submission to the guidance office by February 7. All materials must be submitted to your middle school Guidance Office or Administration by February 7, 2020.

Student Name	
☐ Admissions Process and Agreement form signal	gned
■ Application form	
Report Card Page (separate sheet added or gl	ued to report card page)
☐ A type-written Writing Sample signed by the s	student and English Language Arts teacher before February 2 <sup>nd</sup>
☐ Honor Code Agreement form signed	
Two completed Recommendation Forms	
List two current school teachers: One from math or any teacher or counselor who you will request a re	
Your 7 <sup>th</sup> or 8 <sup>th</sup> grade counselor may serve as one ref	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
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Your 7 <sup>th</sup> or 8 <sup>th</sup> grade counselor may serve as one ref	erence.
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#### **Admission Process and Agreement**

The Health Sciences Collegiate Academy offers an accelerated high school with exploration of careers in the STEM and health sciences to develop and reinforce students' interests and learning. In order to meet the demands of this program, it is essential for the student applicant and parent or guardian to exemplify the following:

- High motivation toward an interest in a career in the health sciences.
- Exemplary self-discipline.
- Achievement of B or better in all courses.
- Have parental consent and support.

In order to remain in the Health Sciences Collegiate Academy, a student must:

- Maintain acceptable academic performance for his or her chosen course of study.
- Conform to behavior standards set by the Montverde Academy, Lake County School Board, and Lake-Sumter State College.
- Fulfill the requirements set by the Academy (i.e., volunteerism, exemplary behavior, genuine health career interest).

#### **Application Agreement**

A complete application must be submitted to your middle school counselor by **February 7, 2020.** This application packet is valid for the 2020 application cycle and admission into the fall 2020 ninth grade class. Applications submitted after the deadline may not be accepted and accepted at the sole discretion of the Director of the Health Sciences Collegiate Academy.

A complete application includes the following documents: Admission Process and Agreement, the application form, an essay, a mid-year report card, two Teacher Recommendation forms, and the honor code. The 2020 Checklist of Application materials was included as a cover to facilitate proper completion. An Interview is required and the committee will review the applications and make the final selection of the Health Sciences Collegiate Academy students. A review of the final eighth grade report will be conducted to ensure the student has maintained eligibility.

I am aware of the admissions process and standards of the Health Sciences Collegiate Academy and assume all responsibilities of the Admissions Agreement stated above. I understand that by signing below, I give permission for any school to release the applicant's grades or records to Lake County Schools and/or Lake-Sumter State College. I also waive the right to review teacher recommendations, which are part of this application.

Printed Name of Applicant:	
Signature of Applicant:	Date:
Signature of Parent or Guardian:	Date:





### **Application Form**

	<u>Student Ap</u>	oplicant Information					
Name (Last, First, Middle	2):	<u> </u>					
Address:							
		Zip Code:					
Email:							
Phone:	Birth Date:	T-Shirt Adult Sizes: S M L XL XXL					
Gender: Female Ma	le						
<u>School I</u>	<u>nformation</u>	<u>Ethnic Information</u>					
Current School:		Are you of Hispanic or Latino decent? Yes No					
		What is your Race? (You may check multiple)					
What high school are you zoned for?		American Indian or Alaskan Native					
		Asian					
If you are planning to request a zone waver which high school would you like to attend?		■ Black or African American					
		☐ Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander					
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		<u>dian Information</u>					
		Relationship to Student:					
Address sar	ne as applicant: 🗖						
Address:							
		Zip Code:					
Phone:	Email:						
	<u>Parent/Guar</u>	rdian Information					
Name (Last, First):_ Address sar	ne as applicant:	Relationship to Student:					
Address:							
City:		Zip Code:					
Phone:	Email:						





#### **Report Card Page**

Please attach a copy of your latest report card to this page. You may add full page print out.

Report Card should include the first semester grades for this year from Lake County Schools (or other school system).





### **Writing Sample**

Please attach a type-written Writing
Sample
about yourself, your interests in the
health sciences, and your future
goals.

Please limit your response to approximately 300 words, but no more than 350 words. Please complete the section below verifying the writing is the original work of the student.

Student's Printed Name:	
Student Signature Verifying Original Work:	
English Teacher's Printed Name:	
English Teacher's Signature Verifying Original Work: 5	





#### **Honor Code Agreement**

I do hereby resolve to uphold the Honor Code of the Health Sciences Collegiate Academy. I shall refrain from all forms of academic dishonesty; for example, cheating, plagiarism, or other deceitful means of obtaining good grades.

Academic honesty and integrity are essential to the existence and growth of any academic community. Without maintaining a high standard of honesty and conduct, the reputation of the school and of the Health Sciences Collegiate Academy is compromised and society is poorly served.

I understand that the Health Sciences Collegiate Academy course of study is rigorous, and while group study is both accepted and encouraged, ethical conduct is expected at all times. Academic violations of the Honor Code consists of the following but not limited to: cheating includes the actual giving or receiving of any unauthorized aid or assistance on any form of academic work; plagiarism includes the copying of or representation of another's work as one's own.

Inherent in the Honor Code is the responsibility of any and all members of the Health Sciences Collegiate Academy program who have knowledge that a student has violated the honor code to come forth and report any form of Honor Code violation.

I understand that breeches of the honor code may result in my removal from the Health Sciences Collegiate Academy program.

Printed Name of Student:		
Student Signature:	Date:	
Parent/Guardian Signature:	Date:	
Parent/Guardian Signature:	Date:	





#### **Recommendation Form #1**

student waives his or her rights to	review	recommendations		for this appli		Т
Please check the appropriate box:	N/A	Unsatisfactory	Below Average	Average	Above Average	Outstanding
Student's Academic Performance						
Student's Motivation						
Student's Thoroughness & Punctuality						
Student's Self-discipline						
Student's Cooperativeness and ability to work in groups/teams						
Student's Respectfulness and Consideration of Others.						
Student's Interest in STEM						
Student's interest in medical/health related professions.						
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Teacher Signature:				_Subject:		





#### **Recommendation Form #2**

student waives his or her rights t  Please check the appropriate box:	N/A	Unsatisfactory	Below	Average	Above	Outstanding
Student's Academic Performance			Average		Average	
Student's Motivation						
Student's Thoroughness & Punctuality						
Student's Self-discipline						
Student's Cooperativeness and ability to work in groups/teams						
Student's Respectfulness and Consideration of Others.						
Student's Interest in STEM						
Student's interest in medical/health related professions.						
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