

Foothills Fine Arts Academy NEW Student Application

(Please print CLEARLY)

Student Name _____

DOB _____ M _____ F _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Parent (Guardian) _____

E-mail address: _____

Work Ph. # _____

Home Ph # _____

Cell Ph# _____

What grade will your child be in next year? _____

What school does your child currently attend? _____

Parent (Guardian) Signature

Foothills Fine Arts Academy FAQ's

- The Foothills Fine Arts Academy is located at Foothills Elementary 15808 N. 63 Avenue, Glendale, AZ 85306
- The Foothills Fine Arts Academy is part of the regular school day
- Own transportation to and from school must be provided if the student lives outside the school boundaries
- Space availability will determine student enrollment numbers
- There will be a \$20.00 activity fee per student enrolled in the Fine Arts Academy (this fee includes a class shirt!)

Applying to FFAA is as easy as

1...2...3

After completing & signing this application, attach:

1. A handwritten paragraph by student stating why he/she wants to enroll in FFAA
2. A copy of latest report card
3. A written recommendation from a teacher, administrator, or other instructor

**You may audition for two programs. Based on your audition, the arts teachers will select ONE course that is most appropriate. If no program is appropriate at this time, you will be placed into our CAP program or a study hall.*

***Indicate 1st choice by putting #1 in the box and 2nd choice by putting #2 in the box:*

(Students will be able to attend two screenings)

- Visual Arts Drama Dance
 Choral Music/Guitar/Keyboard Band

Additional application information for screening day:

- Visual Art applicants: must bring a portfolio of at least 3 completed art pieces (photocopies acceptable).
- Theatre applicants: will be asked to complete teacher-directed drama activities. Dress comfortably (no skirts or sandals).
- Vocal Performance will learn a song, & then perform it both in groups and alone. Dress comfortably and bring water!
- Dance applicants: come prepared to move in comfortable clothing.
- Band applicants: will participate in mouthpiece testing activity. Please bring water.

*****IMPORTANT*****

DUE DATES TO REMEMBER

1. Fri, April 4, 2014
deadline for submitting completed application with 1...2...3 attachments
2. Tues, April 29, 2014
Screening Session Day
5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

***Parents must remain on site during the screening session to attend the mandatory parent meeting**

Screening will be held at Foothills Elementary,
15808 N. 63 Avenue, Glendale, AZ 85306

For any questions regarding the
Foothills Fine Arts Academy
please contact Foothills Elementary
(623) 412-4625 or contact

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Behavior and Academic Agreement

The Foothills Fine Arts Academy is an accelerated program and participation in it is a privilege. As a student in this distinguished program, you will be held accountable for your academic performance as well as your behavior in ALL classes and in ALL areas of the Foothills campus.

Foothills Fine Arts Academy Academic Policy:

Each student in the Foothills Fine Arts Academy must maintain a "C" average or higher in all classes. If any grade drops below a "C", you will be placed on academic probation and a notice will be sent home to your parents. You will be expected to raise your grade by the end of the progress report period. If you do not bring the grade up, you will be removed from the Academy class. **You are also expected to maintain a 75% or higher in your Foothills Fine Arts Academy arts class.**

Foothills Fine Arts Academy Benchmark Assessment Policy:

Students will be assessed each quarter over technical and performance skills set forth in the AZ State Standards. The students MUST MEET the standards assessed each quarter in order to remain in the Foothills Fine Arts Academy. If you do NOT meet the assessment standards, a notice will be sent home and you will be assessed again at the progress report period. At that time if you still do NOT meet the standards, you will be removed from the Foothills Fine Arts Academy.

Foothills Fine Arts Academy Behavior Policy:

Each student in the Foothills Fine Arts Academy must have exemplary behavior. If you are having behavior problems in your academic classes or in your arts class, you will be placed on behavior probation and a notice will be sent home. If your behavior does not change, you will be removed from the Foothills Fine Arts Academy.

Student:

"I have read and understand the above academic and behavior agreement. I understand that I may be removed from the Foothills Fine Arts Academy if I violate this agreement in any way. As a student in this program, I will do my best to keep my grades up and will have the type of behavior that will bring pride and honor to myself and this program."

Print Name

Signature

Date

Parent:

"I have read and understand the above agreement. I understand that my student may be removed from this program if he/she violates this agreement in any way. I will help and encourage my student in all academic areas and I will help keep him/her accountable for his/her behavior in all classes."

Print Name

Signature

Date

Foothills Fine Arts Academy



Visual Art Drama* Vocal* Dance* Instrumental*

***NEW Student Application for
2014-2015***

(for students currently in 4th through 7th grades)