

JUNIOR SCHOLAR PROGRAM



Burns Science and Technology Charter School Junior Scholar Program



Student Name: _____ **Grade:** _____

Burns School Email Address: _____

Note: All communications regarding the admission process and the Junior Scholar Program will be done via email.

Requirements for Admission:

1. Have a 3.5 unweighted GPA and completed the 6th grade year.
2. Complete this application, which includes:
 - a. Survey Questions
 - b. Essay Questions
 - c. Signatures from two past or present teachers that approve of your admission into this program.
3. Five or less discipline points for the 2024-2025 school year

The Junior Scholar Program Coordinators are the sole deciders of the admission into the Junior Scholar program. However, they will seek guidance from teachers (especially those that signed your application), the principal, the guidance counselor, about how well you would fit into the program. The Junior Scholar Coordinators reserve the right to contact any and all of your teachers and your parents. The principal may also supersede the Junior Scholar Program Coordinator's decision.

Completion of the program:

1. Complete and pass all advanced/honors classes
2. Complete 5 hours of community service by the end of the 2025-2026 academic year
3. Pass all state exams with a 3 or higher by PM3 Testing.

Student Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Parent Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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SURVEY QUESTIONS

1. What grade level are you currently: _____

2. What is your most up to date unweighted GPA (if you do not know, please leave blank. We can calculate it for you).

3. What are your favorite subjects in school? Check all that apply:

☐ English Language Arts	☐ Arts
☐ Reading	☐ STEM
☐ Science	☐ Music
☐ History/Social Studies	☐ Physical Education
☐ Mathematics	☐ Technology
☐ Other (specify): _____	

4. As of now, what do you think you would like to specialize in in college? Check all that apply:

☐ English	☐ Social Sciences (Psychology; Sociology, etc.)
☐ Law	☐ Music/Arts
☐ Business	☐ Finance
☐ Medical/Health Care	☐ Engineering
☐ Sciences	☐ Education
☐ Mathematics	☐ Other (specify): _____
☐ Computer Sciences	

5. What extra curriculars are involved in? What sport teams, clubs, and volunteer organizations are you a part of?

☐ FFA	☐ Sports/Athletics
☐ 4H	i. Specify: _____
☐ Girl/Boy Scouts	☐ After School Clubs
☐ Volunteering	i. Specify: _____
i. Specify: _____	☐ Other
	i. Specify: _____

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ESSAY QUESTIONS

Answer with several complete sentences in a legible manner.

1. What are some of your academic goals? (Can be long term or short term)

2. What do you think it means to be accountable for your actions and their consequences?

3. Why do you want to be apart of the Pre-Scholar Program?

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TEACHER RECOMMENDATION:

By signing this document, you agree that you have read over the application and approve of the student's admission to this program.

For the grade, write the grade level you taught this student.

1. _____
Signature Print Name Grade

2. _____
Signature Print Name Grade