



Academy Creative Writing Application Checklist

Current 9th Grade / Rising 10th Grade

Deadline: January 8, 2020

Here's what you will need to complete the online application



ID Photo - A digital passport-style photo of yourself from the shoulders up.



Grades and Attendance - A copy of your most recent report card will be uploaded to the application on the Current School page. If attendance is not part of your report card, you will also need to include an attendance report.



Recommenders - Let individuals know you would like them to be a recommender. They will receive an email from the Governor's School. Provide us the names and email addresses for:

1. English or Creative Writing teacher
2. Foreign Language, Math, Science, or Social Studies teacher
3. Homeschool/Virtual School recommender (if applicable) - this person should NOT be related to you.



Writing Experience - List any writing classes/training/experience you may have had in the past two years. Not having any of these experiences will not hurt your chances.



Portfolio (must contain one of the following)

- Five Poems (5 poems /1 per page) OR
- One Fictional Short Story (no longer than five pages)

Portfolio Format

- Name (upper right-hand corner)
- Page numbers (lower right-hand corner)
- Poetry - typed and single-spaced with Times New Roman, 12-point font
- Short Story - typed and double-spaced with Times New Roman, 12-point font

Contact Information

For information or assistance, contact Jacob Cavett in the Office of Admissions at jacobcavett@scgsah.org or call 864.546.0312.