



CAMAS SCHOOL DISTRICT #117
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APPEALS PROCESS – Advanced Math

Dear Parents and Students:

Thank you for your interest in the appeals process for the Camas School District Advanced Math program. The information you provide from this packet, as well as other district records (additional test scores, report card data, and previously collected teacher input), will be reviewed by a Multidisciplinary Review Team including principals and mathematics teachers. This team will determine eligibility for placement in Advanced Math for the 2009-2010 school year. The recommendation of this team is final.

Appeals packets will be accepted from June 17-23, 2009. **In order to be included for consideration, all appeals packets must be returned to the Main Office at Skyridge Middle School no later than 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 23, 2009.** Notification of eligibility will be mailed to parents by June 30, 2009.

Appeals Testing for Advanced Math—June 24, Liberty Middle School, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

APPEALS PACKET

Directions:

- Any student with test data may pursue an appeal.
- Any interested person on a student's behalf may initiate an appeal.
- Necessary components of an appeal packet include the following:
 - Student Information (attached)
 - Student Background - Parent (attached)
 - Parent Observation Sheet (attached)
 - Student Work Samples (see instructions attached)
- Additional test scores (WASL, ITBS, district assessments, writing assessments, etc.) as evidence of student achievement or evidence of extraordinary circumstances will accompany the appeal packet. The district already has many of these records on file and they will be reviewed. If you have other documents that fall into this category, please feel free to attach them.

STUDENT INFORMATION

Student Name _____
Address _____
City, State _____ Zip Code _____
M/F _____ Birth Date _____
2008-09 School _____ 2008-09 Grade _____
2009-10 School _____
Phone (Home) _____ (Work) _____
Fax _____ E-mail _____
Appeal Initiated by _____
Name Relationship

DEADLINE: Submit completed appeals packet to your student's middle school **no later than 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 23, 2009.** Applications will be date stamped upon receipt. **Absolutely no exceptions to the above deadline can be made.**

STUDENT BACKGROUND - PARENT

Student Name _____

(2008-09) School _____ (2008-09) Grade _____

1. Describe the needs of your child regarding Advanced Math placement that you have observed:

2. Describe your child's previous experience in Advanced Math or regular math classes:

3. Describe how you believe the regular mathematics curriculum needs to be modified to meet your child's special needs:

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4. My child's test performance may have been influenced by:

5. Other Relevant Comments:

NOTE: Please attach any supporting documentation which may be helpful to the Appeals Team in determining eligibility.

Signature

Date

STUDENT WORK SAMPLES

Dear Parent and Student:

An additional part of the appeals process encourages you to attach any student work samples (previous math assignments, projects, tests, papers, etc.) that you feel might be helpful in displaying academic ability as a student. Usually, we suggest that students submit no more than four documents or samples. Think of these as products that will display the student's best work in mathematics. When you submit these materials, place them behind this divider sheet in your packet. The committee will review them along with the **student's mathematics appeals assessment from** June 24 as a representative folio of student work.

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