Southfield Public Schools

University High School & Preparatory Academies

Application Packet

Students entering 8th, 9th, 10th Grades

All applications MUST be returned to:
University High School & Prep Academy
24815 Lahser Road
Southfield, MI 48033
248-746-4370 (phone) 248-746-4374 (fax)

Application Available:
March 30, 2016 – April 7, 2016

Application Acceptance Dates:
March 30, 2016 – April 8, 2016
ENTRY EXAM TEST DATE April 30, 2016

Dr. Lynda Wood, Ed.D. – Superintendent

SOUTHFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS STATEMENT OF NON DISCRIMINATION

It is the policy of the Southfield Board of Education and the Southfield Public Schools that no person on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin or ancestry, age, gender, marital status or handicap shall be discriminated against, excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or otherwise be subjected to, discrimination in any program or activity for which it is responsible or for which it receives financial assistance from the US Department of Education or any other Federal or State department or agency.

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The University High School & Preparatory Academies feature the following:

- STEAM coursework
- French/ Spanish
- Advanced Placement (AP) courses
- Dual enrollment opportunities
- Overseas travel
- Tutorial time built in school day schedule
- A small school environment

To learn more, visit our school website, www.southfield.k12.mi.us/uhsa, for additional information.

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Application Checklist

Make sure the following requirements are met:

- ✓ Complete **One-Page Application**
- ✓ Submit **Signed Parent/School Commitment Form**
- ✓ Complete **typed** parent statement
- ✓ Complete **typed** student statement
- ✓ A copy of the most **recent report card** 8th grade only
- ✓ A copy of the transcript for grades 9th and 10th only
- ✓ Attend **MANDATORY** Testing* Saturday, April 30, 2016

UHSA Entrance Exam: April 30, 2016 Arrive at 7:45 am

****Exam Location: University High School Academy**
24815 Lahser Road
Southfield, MI 48033

****Once the completed application has been received, information with details about the examination will be provided to the parent.**

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STUDENT APPLICATION FOR THE 2016 – 2017 SCHOOL YEAR
8th, 9th & 10th Grades

(Please Print)

_____ _____ _____
Student's Last Name First Name Middle Initial

Address:_____

City:_____ Zip:

Home Phone Number: (_____) _____

Date of Birth: ____/____/_____ Present Grade :_____ Circle: Male or Female

Present School Name:_____

School Address:_____

City:_____ Zip:_____

Parent/Guardian's Name:_____

Mother's/Guardian Work: _____ Cell:_____

Father's/Guardian Work:_____ Cell:_____

Email Address: _____

Parent Statement:

Explain why you would like your child to attend University High School & Preparatory Academies (separate sheet of paper).

Student statement:

Explain why you would like to attend University High School Academy & Preparatory Academies (separate sheet of paper).

All students who are not currently enrolled in Southfield Public Schools must register at the Pupil Registration Office located at 16299 Mt. Vernon.

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Parent - School Commitment

I understand and agree to the following:

- Students must take the UHSA Entrance Examination.
- Completing the application does not guarantee acceptance.
- **Once accepted students must maintain a 3.0 Grade Point Average (GPA) and adhere to the Southfield Public Schools' Student Code of Conduct. Student's inability to adhere to the SPS Student Code of Conduct and to maintain a 3.0 GPA will result in permanent dismissal from UHSA.**
- Students must adhere to the UHSA/UPREP dress code.
- Students will be taking college classes and regularly making college campus visits.
- Education is a shared responsibility of the student, school, and parents. I understand and agree that if my child is accepted into University High School & Preparatory Academies, cooperation on my part is vital. I will assist my child by encouraging them to work to the best of their ability, complete all work on time, and maintain good attendance and citizenship.
- Education is a shared responsibility; therefore, I will volunteer for school events and attend at least four PTA meetings.
- The University High School & Preparatory Academies does not have a sibling policy. Enrollment at the University High School Academy does not guarantee sibling enrollment.
- **UHSA/UPREP is a school of choice, for Southfield and Lathrup Village residents. Southfield Public Schools does not provide bus transportation for UHSA/UPREP students.**
- **If your student is invited to attend the UHSA/UPREP and you decline the invitation, your student's invitation will not be honored after the acceptance period ends.**

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Parent/Guardian Signature Date