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YOUTH COUNCIL
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**Youth Council Advisory
Committee Meeting
Agenda
August 18, 2023 6:00 PM**



STOCKBRIDGE CITY HALL

4640 NORTH HENRY BLVD.

STOCKBRIDGE, GA 30281

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AGENDA

YOUTH COUNCIL ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE

FRIDAY, AUGUST 18, 2023 6:00 PM

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- I. Call to Order**
 - 1. Approve Agenda
 - II. New Business**
 - 2. Youth Council Interviews
 - III. Executive Session (if needed)**
 - IV. Adjourn**

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant Name: Jalyon Jenkins

Name you prefer to be called: Jalyon

Home Address:

City: Ellenwood Zip: 30294

Home Phone: ()

E-Mail: _____

Cell Phone: _____

School (Home school is acceptable): Stockbridge

Rising school year grade level: 9th 10th ☒ 11th 12th

Parent(s)/Guardian Name: Traci Jenkins Home Phone: _____

Parent(s)/Guardian Email: _____ Cell Phone: _____

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☒ Yes ☐ No

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Student ambassador
World language Club

c) In your opinion, what is one of the most challenging issues facing youth today, and how does it affect your generation?

I believe one of the most challenging issues facing youth is the lack of efficient communication. Youth now, will resort to violence instead of communicating a resolution. Also, lack of communication has affected my generation by making it harder to reach out for help when it is needed. Whether they need help academically, emotionally or mentally, there is a struggle with youth being able to communicate it efficiently.

d) Please briefly explain your reasons for wishing to serve on the Stockbridge Youth Council:

Serving on the Stockbridge Youth Council presents me with the opportunity to give my generation a positive representation within the community, work with students outside of school, earn volunteer hours, and gain awareness of scholarship resources.

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Idymu Jenkins Talynn Jenkins 08/21/23
Signature Printed Name Date

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Parent/Guardian Printed Name Traii Jenkins
Parent/Guardian Signature [Signature] Date 08-21-2023

ACADEMIC OFFICIAL STATEMENT

I confirm that the applicant currently has a GPA of _____ and can serve on the Youth Council.

Printed Name of Guidance/School Counselor _____

Signature of Guidance/School Counselor _____ Date _____

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Tawana R. McCallum, M.B.A.
Phone number:
E-mail: .
Locust Grove, GA

August 16, 2023

To Whom It May Concern:

Re: Miss Jalynn Jenkins

It gives me great pleasure to provide a letter of recommendation for Miss Jalynn Jenkins. I have taught Miss Jenkins for all French levels at Stockbridge High School - French I and II, Honors French III, and AP French Language & Culture. She has been one of my top students at all levels and has consistently maintained an A average.

Miss Jenkins is intelligent, diligent, and helpful by nature. She is truly an exceptional and talented young lady. She is a dedicated and focused student with an impeccable character. Miss Jenkins demonstrates maturity and leadership skills and is an overall well-rounded individual. She is a valuable and dedicated member of Stockbridge High School's World Languages Club. It is without any doubt or hesitation that I recommend her, whom I am certain, will continue to excel in all her endeavors.

Please contact the undersigned if you wish to discuss Miss Jenkins' commendable character and candidacy in further detail.

Yours faithfully,



Tawana R. McCallum
French Teacher
Stockbridge High School

To whom It May Concern

It is my pleasure to recommend Jalynn B Jenkins, who was in my Chemistry class Spring 2023. Jalynn demonstrates tremendous effort and growth so far. She has that combination of a positive attitude and the belief that she can always improve that's rare in a high school student, but so essential to the learning process. I am confident that she will continue to display the same commitment and diligence in everything she does. I highly recommend Jalynn.

Jalynn did, in fact, have a great skill of comprehending the material at a higher level where so many others have given up, due to all her hard work. Jalynn not only raised her grades, but she also inspired some of her classmates. Jalynn truly demonstrated a growth mindset, and she inspired her peers.

Jalynn is a trustworthy, reliable, good-humored student and friend who supports others in and out of the classroom. She is a pleasure to have in class, and her positive attitude and belief in herself, even in the face of difficulty, is an immensely admirable asset. I'm confident that she will continue to demonstrate the same diligence, perseverance, and optimism that she showed myself and her peers. I highly recommend Jalynn for admission to your program. Please feel free to contact me with any further questions at kathisayanathan@henry.k12.ga.us.

Sincerely,

Kien Oosty 08/18/23

Mrs. Nathan

Science Chair

Stockbridge High School

Stockbridge High

1151 Old Conyers Rd
 Stockbridge, GA 30281-2605
 (770)474-8747

Jenkins, Jalyann Brianna**FTE/SSN #:****Student Address:****Date Entered 9th Grade:** 08/04/2021**Grad Program:****Diploma Seal:****Diploma Type:****Weighted GPA:** 4.10**Non-Weighted GPA:** 3.81**Class Rank:** 12 of 426**Diploma Date:****Attendance Summary**

Year	Days Absent
2022	3.0
2023	10.0

Course #	Course Title	State C.I.P. #	Sch. Year Term	Course Grade	Units Earned	School Name
CTAE						
0200.4YBL2	Intro to Business & Tech	07.4413004	2022 2	91	1.000	Stockbridge High
0189.4YBL2	Financial Literacy	07.4260004	2023 2	94	1.000	Stockbridge High
8572.4YBL2	Intro to Healthcare Science	25.5210004	2023 4	92	1.000	Stockbridge High
ELECTIVES						
6307.0A2	Tools for College Success I A	35.0670003	2022 2	100	0.500	Stockbridge High
6307.0B2	Tools for College Success I B	35.0670006	2022 4	100	0.500	Stockbridge High
6682.0S2	Current Issues	45.0120002	2022 4	97	0.500	Stockbridge High
6340.0A2	Peer Facilitation I A	35.0410003	2023 2	100	0.500	Stockbridge High
6307.0B2	Tools for College Success I B	35.0670006	2023 4	100	0.500	Stockbridge High
FOREIGN LANGUAGE						
1592.0YBL2	French I	60.0110004	2022 2	94	1.000	Stockbridge High
1613.0YBL2	French II	60.0120004	2022 4	92	1.000	Stockbridge High
1633.2YBL2	Honors French III	60.2130014	2023 2	83	1.000	Stockbridge High
1645.2YBL2	AP French Language & Culture	60.2170024	2023 4	92	1.000	Stockbridge High
HEALTH/SAFETY/PHYSICAL ED						
3032.0YBL2	Health/Personal Fitness Comb	36.0580004	2022 4	100	1.000	Stockbridge High
LANGUAGE ARTS						
3202.2YBL2	Honors 9th Grade Lit & Comp	23.2810014	2022 2	92	1.000	Stockbridge High
3206.2YBL2	Honors World Lit & Comp	23.2630014	2023 4	86	1.000	Stockbridge High
MATHEMATICS						
4451.2A2	Honors GSE Algebra I A	27.2990013	2021 2	91	0.500	Austin Road Middle
4451.2B2	Honors GSE Algebra I B	27.2990016	2021 4	97	0.500	Austin Road Middle
4461.2YBL2	Honors GSE Geometry	27.2991014	2022 4	90	1.000	Stockbridge High
4471.2YBL2	Honors GSE Algebra II	27.2992004	2023 2	87	1.000	Stockbridge High
SCIENCE						
5534.2A2	Honors Physical Science A	40.2110013	2021 2	02	0.500	Austin Road Middle
5534.0B2	Honors Physical Science B	40.2110016	2021 4	93	0.500	Austin Road Middle
5665.2YBL2	Honors Biology I	26.2120014	2022 2	91	1.000	Stockbridge High
5673.2YBL2	Chemistry I	40.2510004	2023 4	92	1.000	Stockbridge High
SOCIAL STUDIES						
6512.0S2	American Government/Civics	45.0670002	2022 4	93	0.500	Stockbridge High
6645.2YBL2	AP World History	45.2811024	2023 2	81	1.000	Stockbridge High

Total Credits: 20.000



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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant Name: Jada Roberts

Name you prefer to be called: Jada

Home Address: _____

City: Ellenwood Zip: 30294

Home Phone: (____) _____

E-Mail: _____

Cell Phone: (____) _____

School (Home school is acceptable): Stockbridge High school

Current school year grade level: ____9th ____☒10th ____11th ____12th

Parent(s)/Guardian Name: Leaticia Roberts Phone: _____

Parent(s)/Guardian Email: _____ Phone: _____

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- b) Name any organizations, clubs, or teams of which you have been or are currently a member and any leadership roles you have served. You may attach a student resume if you wish; however, please note the attachment below if you do so.

- Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta - Bronze and Silver Award Recipient (member 11 years)
- Stockbridge High School Softball Varsity Player (2 years): Second Team All Region, Tiger Award Recipient
- A/B Honor Roll Recipient (Freshman and Sophomore Years)
- DECA Club Member - Academy of Advanced Studies
- FBLA Club Member - Academy of Advanced Studies: Sophomore Representative
- MLB Elite Development Invitational Softball Recipient
- All Scenic City Softball Recipient
- Clayton State University GenCyber Finalist (June 2023)

- d) In your opinion, what is one of the most challenging issues facing youth today, and how does it affect your generation?

In my opinion, social media is a challenging issue that my generation is facing today. I think this is a common issue for my generation because we are so caught up in the idea of what we are going to post next, to impress our peers rather than putting our phones down. We should put our phones down to that we can enjoy real life experiences. Social media can be negative, in ways that we think we have to rush in doing things because that's what we see from others. I also think my generation is also greatly influenced when it comes to the negative things we see on social media. An example of this is when we see the lifestyles of certain people and we think we should have the same.

- e) Briefly describe your school including whether it is public, private, charter, or home

I attend Stockbridge High School. Stockbridge is a public high school in Henry County. At Stockbridge we have great teachers who provide us with great tools and resources that help us. I also attend Academy of Advanced Studies, which is also a public high school in Henry County. AAS allows me to attend classes to further my career pathway that are not offered at SHS.

- f) Please briefly explain your reasons for wishing to serve on the Stockbridge Youth Council:

I would like to join the Stockbridge Student Council to be involved in my community and to further help develop my leadership skills. I would also be a voice and advocate for my peers.

- g) Include (2) two letters of recommendation from an adult (non-relative) who has known you and can provide a testimony of your leadership potential and ability to manage the demands of both school and the Youth Council,

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Jada L. Roberts
Signature

Jada Roberts
Printed Name

5.15.2023
Date

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Parent/Guardian Printed Name Leaticia Roberts

Parent/Guardian Signature Leaticia Roberts

Date 5.15.2023

ACADEMIC OFFICIAL STATEMENT

I confirm that the applicant currently has a GPA of 3.80 and can serve on the Youth Council.

Printed Name and Title of School Official Lecia Wright, School Counselor

Signature of School Official Lecia Wright

Date 5/16/23

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From: Brooks, Karl karl.brooks@henry.k12.ga.us
Subject: Fw: Letter of Recommendation for Jada Roberts
Date: May 15, 2023 at 10:30:56 PM
To: Brooks, Karl karl.brooks@henry.k12.ga.us, Leaticia
Roberts leaticia.roberts@aon.com,

Karl Brooks
Stockbridge High School
Baseball Coach
Softball Coach
[770-474-8747](tel:770-474-8747)
Fax [770-474-4727](tel:770-474-4727)

From: Brooks, Karl <karl.brooks@henry.k12.ga.us>
Sent: Monday, May 15, 2023 9:23 PM
To: Brooks, Karl <karl.brooks@henry.k12.ga.us>
Subject: Letter of Recommendation for Jada Roberts

Letter of Recommendation for Jada Roberts

Greetings,

My name is Karl Brooks, I am the Asst. Head Baseball and Softball coach at Stockbridge High School. I am writing on behalf of Jada Roberts a rising Jr at Stockbridge High School. I've had the pleasure of watching Jada grow into a solid leader since her freshman year. As her softball coach I have witnessed how she lead by example on and off the field as a freshman by keeping a high gpa and performing at a high level. As a sophomore, Jada became more a vocal leader along with leading by example on the field which helped her earn All Region honors along with being selected to the Major League Baseball's Elite Development Invitational this summer. I held youth camps and Jada was right there helping the youth develop and love the game of softball, while also being listed as one of the most popular coaches by the young campers. So again her influence, leadership, and people skills has been illuminated while also committing to having high academic achievements. I highly recommend Jada Roberts to the Stockbridge Youth Council. Please feel free to contact at any time for further information as needed!

Karl Brooks

Stockbridge High School
Asst. Head Baseball/Softball Coach
Karl.brooks@henry.k12.ga.us
[470-216-5650](tel:470-216-5650)

Coach Brooks
Baseball Coach
Softball Coach
Stockbridge High School
[470-216-5650](tel:470-216-5650)(Cell)

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Yolanda Aguayo, B.A.
Phone number 404-808-0473
E-mail: Yolanda.aguayo@henry.k12.ga.us
Stockbridge, GA

January 24, 2023

To Whom It May Concern:

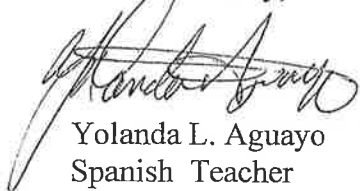
Re: Miss Jada Roberts

It gives me great pleasure to provide a letter of recommendation for Miss Jada Roberts. Miss Roberts is a former student of mine for Spanish I at Stockbridge High School. She was a high performing student in Spanish with an A average.

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Yours faithfully,



Yolanda L. Aguayo
Spanish Teacher
Stockbridge High School



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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant Name: Peyton Henderson

Name you prefer to be called: Peyton

Home Address: _____

City: Stockbridge Zip: 30281

Home Phone: (____) _____

E-Mail: peyton.henderson@stockbridgega.gov

Cell Phone: (____) _____

School (Home school is acceptable): Stockbridge High School

Rising school year grade level: ____ 9th ☒ 10th ____ 11th ____ 12th

Parent(s)/Guardian Name: Kephanie Henderson Home Phone: _____

Parent(s)/Guardian Email: Tony Henderson Cell Phone: _____

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☒ Yes ☐ No

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I played on the Stockbridge Highs Freshman basketball team. I sing in the Mt. Ephraim Baptist Church Youth for Christ choir, played in the Stockbridge Middle School band for 2 years. I served as team Captain at Stockbridge Middle School in 8th Grade. And I served as a Team Captain for some of the games for the Freshman team last school year. I also received a certificate for the highest Algebra score in my class last school year.

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Peyton Henderson

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Printed Name

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Parent/Guardian Printed Name Kephanie Henderson

Parent/Guardian Signature

signed via DocuSign
Kephanie Henderson
DocuSign Envelope ID: 3470480F-3240-4000-B015-9

Date

08-18-2023

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Printed Name of Guidance/School Counselor Tonya Jones

Signature of Guidance/School Counselor

Date

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant Name: Ananya Augustine

Name you prefer to be called: Ananya

Home Address: _____

City: Stockbridge Zip: GA

Home Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Cell Phone: _____

School (Home school is acceptable): Union Grove High School

Current school year grade level: ____ 9th ____ ☒ 10th ____ 11th ____ 12th

Parent(s)/Guardian Name: Anil Augustine Pulikka Kunnel Phone: _____

Parent(s)/Guardian Email: _____ Phone: _____

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- As a judge, served the GA State, Region 5, SCRIPPS Spelling Bee 2023.
- Member of BETA Club, at Union Grove High School.
- Served as the President of the Beta Club chapter at Hickory Flat Elementary School 2018 - '19 academic year.
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d) In your opinion, what is one of the most challenging issues facing youth today, and how does it affect your generation?

In my opinion, one of the most pressing issues concerning youth today is our dismissal of climate change's effect on not only our present, but our future. As of now, we are just watching our future fall through our grasps like sand in an hourglass. This is mainly due to the lack of awareness about the severity of our situation with climate change. This lack of awareness about the issue leads to an ever more lax urge to take action, which only exacerbates the problem on a global scale. The statistics present a very daunting future for us all- once we pass the climate change threshold in 2050, there might not be any going back from that point onwards. As the damage from climate change becomes more and more significant and apparent as the years fly by, it will be harder and more expensive to mitigate its effects. In order to prevent that, it is up to

e) Briefly describe your school including whether it is public, private, charter, or home
My school is Union Grove High School, McDonough, GA; which is a public high school.

f) Please briefly explain your reasons for wishing to serve on the Stockbridge Youth Council:

I wish to serve on the Stockbridge Youth Council in order to develop the skills necessary for my growth as a community-orientated person and leader.

The Stockbridge Youth Council shall enable me an invaluable opportunity for me to do so. To be deeply involved with my community through this council shall give me the localized exposure for me to become a leader by gaining experience with Government officials, political leaders, working with a team, participating, learn making professional decisions, and managing projects. With the Stockbridge Youth Council, I hope to host and manage community events that further better our area as a meaningful way to give back to the community that has nurtured me since childhood. Specifically, I would like to focus on healthcare and climate change awareness, along with setting up any other events that may come to light.

Overall, I anticipate the Stockbridge Youth Council to be a plethora of rewarding experiences that can help me develop the various valuable skills needed to develop into a role-model worthy leader in our community.

g) Include (2) two letters of recommendation from an adult (non-relative) who has known you and can provide a testimony of your leadership potential and ability to manage the demands of both school and the Youth Council.

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Signature

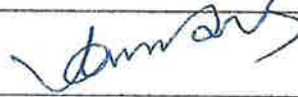
ANANYA AUGUSTINE
Printed Name

08/08/2023
Date

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Parent/Guardian Printed Name Anil Augustine Pulikka Kunnel

Parent/Guardian Signature 

Date 08/08/2023

ACADEMIC OFFICIAL STATEMENT

I confirm that the applicant currently has a GPA of 4.32 and can serve on the Youth Council.

Printed Name and Title of School Official Dustin Allen, School Counselor

Signature of School Official 

Date 8/8/2023

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Union Grove High

120 E Lake Rd
McDonough, GA 30252-4812
(678)583-8502

Augustine, Ananya**FTE/SSN #:****Student Address:****CTID:****Date Entered 9th Grade:** 08/03/2022**Grad Program:****Diploma Seal:****Diploma Type:****Weighted GPA:** 4.32**Non-Weighted GPA:** 3.86**Class Rank:** 11 of 445**Diploma Date:****Attendance Summary**

Year	Days Absent
2023	5.0
2024	0.0

Course #	Course Title	State C.I.P #	Sch. Year Term	Course Grade	Units Earned	School Name
ELECTIVES						
6306.0A2	High School Transition IV A	35.2680003	2023 2	100	0.500	Union Grove High
6548.2A2	AP Human Geography A	45.2770023	2023 2	98	0.500	Union Grove High
6306.0B2	High School Transition IV B	35.2680006	2023 4	100	0.500	Union Grove High
6548.2B2	AP Human Geography B	45.2770026	2023 4	98	0.500	Union Grove High
FOREIGN LANGUAGE						
1515.0A2	Honors Spanish I A	60.0710013	2022 2	100	0.500	Eagles Landing Middle
1515.0B2	Honors Spanish I B	60.0710016	2022 4	96	0.500	Eagles Landing Middle
1588.2A2	Honors Spanish II A	60.2720013	2023 2	93	0.500	Union Grove High
1588.2B2	Honors Spanish II B	60.2720016	2023 4	92	0.500	Union Grove High
HEALTH/SAFETY/PHYSICAL ED						
3022.0S2	Personal Fitness	36.0510002	2023 2	100	0.500	Union Grove High
3012.0S2	Health	17.0110002	2023 4	100	0.500	Union Grove High
LANGUAGE ARTS						
3202.2A2	Honors 9th Grade Lit & Comp A	23.2610013	2023 2	95	0.500	Union Grove High
3202.2B2	Honors 9th Grade Lit & Comp B	23.2610016	2023 4	97	0.500	Union Grove High
MATHEMATICS						
4451.2A2	Honors GSE Algebra I A	27.2990013	2021 2	93	0.500	Eagles Landing Middle
4451.2B2	Honors GSE Algebra I B	27.2990016	2021 4	100	0.500	Eagles Landing Middle
4461.2A2	Honors GSE Geometry A	27.2991013	2022 2	100	0.500	Eagles Landing Middle
4461.2B2	Honors GSE Geometry B	27.2991016	2022 4	100	0.500	Eagles Landing Middle
4471.2A2	Honors GSE Algebra II A	27.2992013	2023 2	80	0.500	Union Grove High
4471.2B2	Honors GSE Algebra II B	27.2992016	2023 4	79	0.500	Union Grove High
SCIENCE						
5534.2A2	Honors Physical Science A	40.2110013	2022 2	99	0.500	Eagles Landing Middle
5534.2B2	Honors Physical Science B	40.2110016	2022 4	99	0.500	Eagles Landing Middle
5665.2A2	Honors Biology I A	26.2120013	2023 2	95	0.500	Union Grove High
5665.2B2	Honors Biology I B	26.2120016	2023 4	94	0.500	Union Grove High
						Total Credits: 11.000

Additional quality points have been awarded for Honors, Advanced Placement, and Dual Enrollment courses as indicated:

-Honors = .5 additional quality points, AP/Dual Enrollment = 1 quality point (This excludes courses transferred in from non-accredited schools)
HOPE GPA and HOPE eligibility are not determined by the Henry County grade point average (GPA). Visit www.GAfutures.org to view your GPA
as calculated by the Georgia Student Finance Commission for HOPE Scholarship eligibility.

Henry County School District is accredited by Georgia Accrediting Commission and AdvancED/SACS.

Augustine, Ananya

EOCT Test Scores

Test	Score
End of Course Biology	88

Schedule

Course #	Course Name	Teacher	Period	Room
5723.2A2	Honors Chemistry I A	White, Kellie	1	226
1553.2A2	Honors Spanish III A	Alvarez, Laura M	2	113
6545.2A2	AP World History A	Gosart, Amanda K	3	115
5412.2A2	Directed Study I A	Peters, Nicole	4	209
8572.4A2	Intro to Healthcare Science A	Baker, Rebecca	5	811
3206.2A2	Honors World Lit & Comp A	Peters, Nicole	6	209
4539.2A2	AP Precalculus A	Eidson, Ashleigh D	7	326

Signature and Title of School Official

(Transcript is unofficial unless signed by school official and affixed with School Seal)

Ananya Augustine

Ananya currently, in this academic year 2023 – '24 is a High School sophomore at Union Grove High School, Henry County School system, GA.

Academic and extracurricular highlights:

- GA State Spelling Bee Champion for the years 2019, 2020 and 2021 – '22 consecutive years and as National Semifinalist ranked 20 out of the 200+ participants at the SCRIPPS National Spelling Bee.
- Could providently secure the "GA State Director's Choice Award" at the ISEF GA State competition, with the topic "The Effect of Color on Human Heart Rate".
- The youngest, first ever 4th grade student to qualify & participate in GA State SCRIPPS Spelling Bee, 2017.
- The only Henry county, GA student to win all the Region and County SRIPPS championships for all the 5 possible qualifying years.
- My PSAT score is at the 98th percentile ranking.

High School Accomplishments:

Grade 10: 2022 – 2023

Currently pursuing at Union Grove High School, McDonough, Henry County, Georgia.

- Alma matter of the following prestigious Leadership programs:
 - ✓ Model Atlanta Regional Commission (MARC) 2023-'24.
 - ✓ iStart High School Internship on Entrepreneurship and Business technology 2023-'24.
 - ✓ Jr. Commissioner at Commissioner Vivian Thomas's initiative - Government and Me Engaged On (G.A.M.E. ON), a program aimed to engage Henry County youth in civic involvement and political awareness.
 - ✓ Attended Youth Leadership - Elocution & Oratory Program by Toastmasters International, Sayreville, NJ chapter in April 2023.

Grade 9: 2021 – 2022

Union Grove High School, McDonough, Henry County, Georgia.

- **Science Fair 2022:** Conducting research on "Assessing the nitrate content in processed meat: implications for the development of colorectal cancer." Placed first with Honors, project advancing to GA State ISEF 2023 from Henry County, District level ISEF Science fair with First Honors in Biomedical & Health Science category.
- Awarded the PAGE opportunity to serve at the State Capitol shadowing Representative Angela Moore, observed the 1st regular session of the 157th Georgia General Assembly on March 20, 2023.
- As a Judge, served the Region 5, SCRIPPS Spelling Bee 2023.

Middle School Accomplishments:

Eagle's Landing Middle School, McDonough, Henry County, Georgia

An all "A" student, consistently improved and achieved all plausible first place awards at State, Region and County levels of academic competitions enabled to participate as a Public school System student.

Grade 8: 2021 – 2022

- **Spelling Bee:** GA State Champion and advanced in National Quarter finals to Semifinals securing 20th ranked Speller globally.

- Won first place Championship in all years of qualified participation (for the fifth year in a row) at the Region 5, Henry County District and Eagle's Landing Middle School Spelling Bee competitions.
- **Science Fair:** Conducted research on an "Epidemiological Investigation of Obesity and COVID-19 Mortality" in the category "Computational Biology and Bioinformatics: Computational Epidemiology." which earned me an honors distinction only, helplessly as I couldn't obtain an in-person laboratory research access opportunity due to the pandemic circumstances.

Grade 7: 2020 – 2021

- **Spelling Bee:** GA State Champion and advanced in National Quarter finals to Semifinals securing 33rd ranked Speller globally.
Won first place (for the fourth year in a row) at the Henry County District and Eagle's Landing Middle School Spelling Bees and Region 5 Spelling Bee competitions.
- **Science Fair:** Conducted research on "The Effect of Color on Human Heart Rate" in the category "Behavioral and Social Sciences." At the Georgia State Science and Engineering Fair, won First Honors and the Director's Choice Award. At the Henry County Regional Science and Engineering Fair, won First Honors and the Naval Science Award as well as the opportunity to compete at Broadcom MASTERS.

Grade 6: 2019 – 2020

- **Spelling Bee:** Secured runner-up winner position at the Georgia State Scripps Spelling Bee, becoming eligible to represent Georgia at the Scripps National Spelling Bee.
 - Won "Hat-trick" first place at the Region 5, Henry County District, and Eagle's Landing Middle School Spelling Bees. Unfortunately couldn't attend the National SCRIPPS as it was cancelled due to the pandemic.
- **Science Fair:** Conducted research on "Exploring Climate Change and the Greenhouse effect" at the Henry County Regional Science and Engineering Fair, won First Honors in the category.

Elementary School Accomplishments:

Hickory Flat Elementary School, McDonough, Henry County, Georgia

Grade 5: 2018 – 2019.

- **Spelling Bee:** Placed third at the Georgia State Scripps Spelling Bee. Won the first place at the Region 5, Henry County District, and Hickory Flat Elementary School Spelling Bees.
- **Science Fair:** Conducted research on "The Perils of Deforestation on our Environment" in the category of "Environmental Sciences." At the Henry County Regional Elementary School Science and Engineering Fair (the highest level of science fair competition for public school elementary school students), placed first place with Honors in her category.
- **4-H 2019:** Placed first at the Henry County 4-H competition in the category of "Environmental Science" for her project on "The Perils of Deforestation on our Environment."
- **Beta Club:** Served as the **President of the Beta Club chapter** at Hickory Flat Elementary School.

Grade 4: 2017 – 2018.

- **Spelling Bee:** **Became the youngest ever participant** at the Georgia State Scripps Spelling Bee (**first fourth grade student to be at the Georgia state level**) and placed seventh. Won first place at the Region 5, Henry County District, and Hickory Flat Elementary School Spelling Bees.

- Won the debut Georgia Statewide Spelling Bee competition in 2018 organized by the Access-Life Foundation, USA.
- **Science Fair:** Conducted research on "Exploring Climate Change and the Greenhouse Effect" in the category of "Earth and Environmental Sciences." At the Henry County Regional Science and Engineering Fair, won first place with Honors, in the category.

Resume updated on August 05, 2023.



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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant Name: Breana Howell

Name you prefer to be called: Breana

Home Address: _____

City: Stockbridge Zip: 30281

Home Phone: (_____) _____

E-Mail: _____

Cell Phone: (_____) _____

School (Home school is acceptable): Dutchtown Highschool

Current school year grade level: ____ 9th ____ 10th ____ 11th ☒ 12th

Parent(s)/Guardian Name: Kimberly Howell Home Phone: _____

Parent(s)/Guardian Email: _____ Cell Phone: _____

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Resume: <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1dnHnMB7jjbqRDBKkK7XIHpFmoweJsFNZ7yZ7Z9vjndE/edit?usp=sharing>

c) In your opinion, what is one of the most challenging issues facing youth today, and how does it affect your generation?

One of the most challenging issues facing youth today in my opinion is the standards to fit into society and the pressures enforced within our family.

d) Please briefly explain your reasons for wishing to serve on the Stockbridge Youth Council:

I wish to serve on the Stockbridge Youth Council because I believe my voice and opinions would be impactful on the issues faced within youth society. I have a passion to present my leadership skills and advocate for the concerns of my peers. To add, My diligence, commitment, and ambition would all be of immense use to the Stockbridge Youth Council. Finally, my community matters greatly to me, and being a part of an organization that cares about it as much as I do would be a great opportunity for me.

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Breana Howell

Breana Howell

07/13/2023

Signature

Printed Name

Date

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Parent/Guardian Printed Name Kimberly Howell

Parent/Guardian Signature Kimberly Howell

Date 07/13/2023

ACADEMIC OFFICIAL STATEMENT

I confirm that the applicant currently has a GPA of 2.7 and can serve on the Youth Council.

Printed Name of Guidance/School Counselor Wallace Corker

Signature of Guidance/School Counselor Wallace Corker

Date 07.13.23

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To Whom It May Concern:

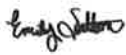
I am writing this letter of recommendation on behalf of Breana Howell, a Veterinary Science pathway completer and former FFA member at the Academy for Advanced Studies. Breana has completed the Veterinary Science course and was an active member in the AAS (Academy for Advanced Studies) FFA Chapter by attending meetings and serving as an alternate for several CDEs.

Although I have only known Breana for a year, she has shown great promise in the brief time I have known her. Based on Breana's hard work, dedication, and sincere interest in FFA, I would highly recommend considering her for an FFA Officer position.

Breana has shown great promise as a young professional. She has worked on various assignments and projects in the classroom and FFA including dog grooming, rabbit care and breeding, guinea pig care, a supervised agricultural experience project, serving as an alternative competitor for Horse Evaluation during Spring Break, and organizing our Petting Zoo for the FFA Fall Festival. Breana has worked in our student-led school-based enterprise, Barks and Bubbles, a dog grooming business. Breana has overcome working with difficult dogs by remaining patient, thinking quickly, and utilizing her knowledge in Veterinary Science.

In conclusion, I would highly recommend Breana Howell for a Stockbridge Youth Council position. She would greatly benefit your Council by bringing in innovative ideas, hard work, and dedication. If you should ever need more information or have questions, feel free to email me at emily.sutton@henry.k12.ga.us anytime.

Sincerely,



Emily Sutton Veterinary Science Instructor-FFA Advisor, Academy for Advanced Studies



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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant Name: Alejandra Holgate

Name you prefer to be called: _____

Home Address: _____

City: Mcdonough Zip: 30253

Home Phone: (____) _____

E-Mail: _____

Cell Phone: (____) _____

School (Home school is acceptable): Eagles Landing

Rising school year grade level: ____ 9th ____ 10th ____ 11th ☒ 12th

Parent(s)/Guardian Name: Kediann Whyte Home Phone: _____

Parent(s)/Guardian Email: _____@hotmail.com Cell Phone: _____

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☒ Yes ☐ No

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I am a member of Beta club, TSA, and Deca; I play lacrosse and swim for my school. In addition to my extracurriculurs I manage operations at the cafe located inside AAS with the business class.

c) In your opinion, what is one of the most challenging issues facing youth today, and how does it affect your generation?

A big challenge many youth face is being unprepared for life after graduating highschool. After high-school for the most part children are on their own, and do not have the skills or knowledge to make those adult choices. Information such as finances, credit and debit cards, formal emails, even changing a tire is valuable knowledge children need to succeed after highschool.

d) Please briefly explain your reasons for wishing to serve on the Stockbridge Youth Council:

Not to long ago I became a swim instructor, where I teach kids to adults how to swim. Before that I never realized how important knowing how to swim was, I previously thought it was just a fun skill to have. However, now I know it is a life saving skill and to see my students progress and become comfortable in water is truly amazing. I want to help and share knowledge with the people in my community.

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Alejandra Holgate

Alejandra Holgate

07/30/23

Signature

Printed Name

Date

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Parent/Guardian Printed Name Kediann Whyte

Parent/Guardian Signature Kediann Whyte

Date 07/30/23

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Printed Name of Guidance/School Counselor _____

Signature of Guidance/School Counselor _____

Date _____

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Eagles Landing High

301 Tunis Rd
McDonough, GA 30253-4204
(770)954-9515

Holgate, Alejandra Zavanna**FTE/SSN #:****Student Address:****GTID:****Date Entered 9th Grade:** 08/17/2020**Grad Program:****Diploma Seal:****Diploma Type:****Weighted GPA:** 4.26**Non-Weighted GPA:** 3.96**Class Rank:** 21 of 326**Diploma Date:****Attendance Summary**

Year	Days Absent
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2023	4.5

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CTAE						
2592.4YBL2	Intro to Digital Technology	11.4150004	2021 2	91	1.000	Eagles Landing High
3001.4YBL2	Marketing Principles	08.4740004	2021 2	98	1.000	Academy of Advanced Studies
0200.4YBL2	Intro to Business & Tech	07.4413004	2021 4	100	1.000	Academy of Advanced Studies
2628.4YBL2	Computer Science Principles	11.4710004	2022 4	96	1.000	Eagles Landing High
0202.4YBL2	Legal Environment/Business	06.4150004	2022 2	99	1.000	Academy of Advanced Studies
2731.4YB2.AAS	Promotions/Professional Sales	08.4510004	2022 2	98	1.000	Academy of Advanced Studies
2684.4YBL2	Entrepreneurship	06.4161004	2023 2	100	1.000	Academy of Advanced Studies
2942.4YBL2	Integrated Marketing Commun	08.4520004	2023 2	99	1.000	Academy of Advanced Studies
3179.4YB2.AAS	Intro to Graphic & Design	48.5610004	2023 2	99	1.000	Academy of Advanced Studies
ELECTIVES						
6548.2YBL2	AP Human Geography	45.2770024	2021 4	85	1.000	Academy of Advanced Studies
FOREIGN LANGUAGE						
1512.3YBL2	Spanish I	60.3710004	2022 2	95	1.000	Impact Academy High
HEALTH/SAFETY/PHYSICAL ED						
3022.0SBL2	Personal Fitness	36.0510002	2021 3	91	0.500	Eagles Landing High
3012.0SBL2	Health	17.0110002	2021 4	90	0.500	Eagles Landing High
LANGUAGE ARTS						
3202.2YBL2	Honors 9th Grade Lit & Comp	23.2610014	2021 4	98	1.000	Eagles Landing High
3206.2YBL2	Honors World Lit & Comp	23.2630014	2022 2	97	1.000	Eagles Landing High
3778.2YBL2	AP Language/Comp/Amer Lit	23.2530024	2023 2	97	1.000	Eagles Landing High
MATHEMATICS						
4451.2Y	Honors GSE Algebra I	27.2990014	2019 4	100	1.000	Eagles Landing Middle
4461.2A2	Honors GSE Geometry A	27.2991013	2020 2	100	0.500	Eagles Landing Middle
4461.2B2	Honors GSE Geometry B	27.2991016	2020 4	96	0.500	Eagles Landing Middle
4471.2YBL2	Honors GSE Algebra II	27.2992004	2021 2	96	1.000	Eagles Landing High
4530.0YBL2	GSE Pre-Calculus	27.0974004	2022 4	96	1.000	Academy of Advanced Studies
SCIENCE						
5534.2A2	Honors Physical Science A	40.2110013	2020 2	100	0.500	Eagles Landing Middle
5534.2B2	Honors Physical Science B	40.2110016	2020 4	97	0.500	Eagles Landing Middle
5665.2YBL2	Honors Biology I	26.2120014	2021 2	91	1.000	Academy of Advanced Studies
5723.2YBL2	Honors Chemistry I	40.2510014	2022 4	96	1.000	Academy of Advanced Studies
SOCIAL STUDIES						
6545.2YBL2	AP World History	45.2811024	2022 4	94	1.000	Academy of Advanced Studies

Total Credits: 23.000

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Holgate, Alejandra Zavanna

EOCT Test Scores

Test	Score
End of Course Algebra I	92
End of Course American Literature and Comp	90
End of Course Biology	93

Schedule

Course #	Course Name	Teacher	Period	Room
6574.2YBL2	AP US History	Hardin, Seth	1	204
4764.2YBL2	AP Calculus	Maranganti, Ranga Chary	2	211
1533.0YBL2	Spanish II	Lainez, Loida	3	307.1
5903.0YBL2	Earth Systems	Robinson, De'Andre Martez	4	420

Signature and Title of School Official

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August 1st, 2023

Maddie Melton
The Swim Center
1090 Regency Plaza Blvd
McDonough, GA, 30281

To whom it may concern,

It is my pleasure to recommend Alejandra Holgate for admission to the Stockbridge Youth Council.

My name is Maddie Melton, Aquatics Director for The Swim Center. I have had the pleasure of working with Alejandra since November of 2022 when she became a swim instructor for The Swim Center. Alejandra has become a stand out instructor at our swim school.

During the past months, Alejandra has shown herself to be a life long learner through her constant dedication to be a better instructor. She is inquisitive, a problem solver, and someone who is not afraid to ask questions. She enriches our team by not only helping others in need but using her time and energy to learn from others.

Alejandra has an impeccable work ethic, she is always on time if not early, she fulfills her responsibilities as a swim instructor, and goes above and beyond for her coworkers as well as her students. She is a great asset to our team as she often picks up shifts for those who need to call out last minute. She also proves herself valuable with her optimistic and joyful spirit, she brings smiles to her team members and her students. While contributing so much to our swim school she still does an amazing job of balancing her school and home life responsibilities. She is an extremely mature and well rounded young lady.

I am happy to confidently recommend Alejandra Holgate as a remarkable candidate for the youth council. I am sure she will make a valuable addition to the council!

Please feel free to contact me at (404)-642-0702 or maddie@theswimcenter.com with any questions or requests for further elaboration.

Sincerely,

Maddie Melton

Aquatics Director

The Swim Center



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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant Name: Laylah Simpson

Name you prefer to be called: Laylah

Home Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: 30253

Home Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Cell Phone: _____

School (Home school is acceptable): _____

Rising school year grade level: _____ 9th ☒ 10th _____ 11th _____ 12th

Parent(s)/Guardian Name: _____ Home Phone: _____

Parent(s)/Guardian Email: _____ Cell Phone: _____

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☒ Yes ☐ No

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- Partners/Disability Club
- Next Up Basketball and Service Club
- Dutchtown Varsity Basketball Team
- JV and Varsity Volleyball Team

c) In your opinion, what is one of the most challenging issues facing youth today, and how does it affect your generation?

I believe that drug usage is one of the leading problems with youths in my generation today. Many young people are influenced to use drugs, especially marijuana. Marijuana is easily accessible and most kids feel as though it is to smoke or eat edibles at our young age. Some parents are not on top of their kid's activities and do not teach their kids the dangers of drugs. Marijuana is a gateway drug, meaning that it can lead to youth getting hooked on more hard core drugs such as cocaine and heroin.

d) Please briefly explain your reasons for wishing to serve on the Stockbridge Youth Council.

I am interesting in serving on the Stockbridge Youth Council to become a more active member in my community while helping others to do the same. I wish to become expand my knowledge and become a more rounded person and use my my voice, my platform to present an alternative influence to kids my age. I believe that influence plays a major part in some of the problems that we youth face today and I desire to minimize the bad influences and maximize the good.

e) Include (2) two letters of recommendation from an adult (non-relative but does not have to be a teacher) who has known you and can provide a testimony of your leadership potential and ability to manage the demands of both school and the Youth Council!

City of Stockbridge Youth Council Application

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Laylah Simpson

8/1/2023

Signature

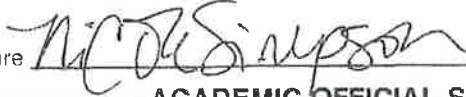
Printed Name

Date

PARENT/GUARDIAN STATEMENT

As the parent/guardian of this applicant, I support his/her participation and commitment to the City of Stockbridge Youth Council and will encourage their full participation and communication of conflicts as needed. I understand, acknowledge, assume and accept the risk that accidents may occur while my child participates in Stockbridge Youth Council. I, the undersigned assume the risk for any and all injuries occurring to my child arising out of any and all events at Stockbridge Youth Council.

Parent/Guardian Printed Name Nicole Simpson

Parent/Guardian Signature 

Date 8/2/2023

ACADEMIC OFFICIAL STATEMENT

I confirm that the applicant currently has a GPA of 3.62 and can serve on the Youth Council.

Printed Name of Guidance/School Counselor Dr LaNekia Pruitt/Lead Counselor

Signature of Guidance/School Counselor 

Date 8/2/2023

Please return signed application to:

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City of Stockbridge	Email BOTH: cityclerk@cityofstockbridge-ga.gov &
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August 2, 2023

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To whom this may concern:

I am pleased to highly recommend Ms. Laylah Simpson for the Stockbridge Youth Council. Over the past year I had the pleasure of engaging with Laylah, who impressed me with her ability to develop and articulate her own opinion about difficult concepts and texts. She is an independent thinker who looks to help others and does not follow the crowd. I was given the opportunity to observe her on a daily basis as she displays her actions of helping others. Laylah volunteers with the partners club/disability students weekly by assisting kids to their classroom and communicating to better understand their needs and struggles. She's a truly gifted server to others while also striving to meet her greatest potential. Laylah actively participates in competitive sports that included Volleyball and Basketball in the school and community setting while actively displaying her leadership role as team captain. Laylah displays motivation educationally as she continues with a focus on her taking challenges of being enrolled in honors courses and AP classes, even Spanish 3 which is not required. Laylah has superb time management skills by successfully balancing both academic and extracurricular activities by maintaining a GPA of 3.62

Laylah demonstrates openness and empathy for the opinions, feelings, and perspectives of others, along with shrewd powers of observation, all qualities that makes her outstanding as a student and overall person. Laylah consistently seeks out constructive feedback so she can improve her skills, which is a rare and impressive quality in a high school student. Laylah is truly a stand-out individual who will impress everyone she meets.

Laylah is talented, caring, intuitive, dedicated, and focused in her pursuits. I am certain that she will continue to do great and creative things in her future. I highly recommend Ms. Laylah Simpson for admission to your organization as a youth council member. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions at lanekia.pruitt@henry.k12.ga.us.

Sincerely,



Dr. LaNekia Pruitt
Lead Counselor, Dutchtown High School



Via U.S. Mail

August 2, 2023

City of Stockbridge
4640 North Henry Blvd
Stockbridge, GA 30281

To whom this may concern:

With much enthusiasm and pure joy, I write this letter to recommend Laylah Simpson for her inclusion of the Stockbridge Youth Council organization. In my opinion, she is best fitted for this post.

I have been continually impressed by the growth of Laylah into her teenage years. I have most knowledge of her on a personal level and in a volunteer setting. She has shown interest in both the political and social justice aspects within our society. In our conversations, she often asks thought provoking questions and makes complex and compelling arguments. During elections she has worked the phones, ensuring that all citizens understood their right to vote while being poised and professional. I have often witnessed her positive working attitude, productivity, and liveliness as I stood alongside her while preparing essential items that were passed out to those less fortunate. She has all the required academic qualifications necessary for this role. From my observation, I found her to be a smart, hardworking, and dedicated person full of positive energy and great enthusiasm. She has a talent for planning and organizing educational and sports events with peers to maintain a vibrant program. She displays an optimistic attitude and good spirit; she established appropriate relationships and supported her fellow youth members. Having extensive knowledge of social media, she put them to use and maintained them to keep the youth members updated about the organized events in case. I can assure you that she has all the qualities that can make her a good youth leader. She is an excellent speaker and motivator with significant decision-making and good problem-solving skills.

I would strongly recommend that you consider Laylah Simpson for a seat at the table with the Stockbridge Youth Council. For additional information I can be reached at Lreid@reidlawgroup.net.

Sincerely,

LeKeyia D. Reid, Esq.
Attorney and Founder
Reid Law Group, P.C.

Date Entered 9th Grade: 08/03/2022

Weighted GPA: 3.62

Grad Program:

Non-Weighted GPA: 3.38

Diploma Seal:

Class Rank: 109 of 481

Diploma Type:

Diploma Date:

Attendance Summary

Year	Days Absent
2023	7.0

Course #	Course Title	State C.I.P. #	Sch. Year Term	Course Grade	Units Earned	School Name
CTAE						
8572.4YBL2	Intro to Healthcare Science	25.5210004	2023 2	91	1.000	Dutchtown High
0200.4YBL2	Intro to Business & Tech	07.4413004	2023 4	89	1.000	Dutchtown High
ELECTIVES						
5403.0A2	Study Skills I A	35.0610003	2023 2	100	0.500	Dutchtown High
6527.0YBL2	Honors World Geography	45.0711014	2023 2	87	1.000	Dutchtown High
4452.1B2	GSE Algebra I Support B	27.1997006	2023 4	91	0.500	Dutchtown High
FINE ARTS						
1006.0A2	Visual Arts/Comprehensive I A	50.0211003	2022 2	89	0.500	Dutchtown Middle
1006.0B2	Visual Arts/Comprehensive I B	50.0211006	2022 4	77	0.500	Dutchtown Middle
FOREIGN LANGUAGE						
1515.0A2	Honors Spanish I A	60.0710013	2022 2	76	0.500	Dutchtown Middle
1515.0B2	Honors Spanish I B	60.0710016	2022 4	80	0.500	Dutchtown Middle
1588.0YBL2	Honors Spanish II	60.0720014	2023 4	88	1.000	Dutchtown High
HEALTH/SAFETY/PHYSICAL ED						
3012.0SBL2	Health	17.0110002	2023 1	93	0.500	Dutchtown High
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LANGUAGE ARTS						
3202.0YBL2	Honors 9th Grade Lit & Comp	23.0610014	2023 4	87	1.000	Dutchtown High
MATHEMATICS						
4450.0YBL2	GSE Algebra I	27.0990004	2023 4	91	1.000	Dutchtown High
SCIENCE						
5534.0A2	Honors Physical Science A	40.0110013	2022 2	91	0.500	Dutchtown Middle
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Simpson, Laylah Nicole

EOCT Test Scores

Test	Score
End of Course Algebra I	85
End of Course Biology	87

Schedule

Course #	Course Name	Teacher	Period	Room
6545.0YBL2	AP World History	Shine, Natoria	1	120
0202.4YBL2	Legal Environment/Business	Owens, Terrone R	2	320
8527.4YBL2	Intro Law/Pub Safe/Corr/Sec	Cutts Perry, DaQuinia	3	409
4454.0YBL2	Honors Geometry	Reagan, Heidi B	4	223



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OFFICIAL RECORDS





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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant Name: Ashley Baines

Name you prefer to be called: Ashley

Home Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: 30252

Home Phone: (____) _____

E-Mail: _____

Cell Phone: (____) _____

School (Home school is acceptable): Eagle's Landing Christian Academy

Rising school year grade level: ☒ 9th ☐ 10th ☐ 11th ☐ 12th

Parent(s)/Guardian Name: _____

Home Phone: _____

Parent(s)/Guardian Email: _____

Cell Phone: 1

City of Stockbridge Youth Council Application

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I've been at my dance studio, Tumble'n Dance, since I was 3. I'm currently apart of beta and sga at my school. I have been vice president of jr. beta club during middle school.

c) In your opinion, what is one of the most challenging issues facing youth today, and how does it affect your generation?

One of the biggest challenges youth are facing is finding where they "fit in". This affects my generation, specifically, because it leaves us wondering and hoping to find that space where they fit in. However, I believe, this challenge can be conquered if we celebrated creating a new space where you do fit in. So instead of changing yourself to fit in, stand out and create a space where you do, guarantee you're never the only one.

d) Please briefly explain your reasons for wishing to serve on the Stockbridge Youth Council:

- 1) I would be able to see the Stockbridge community outside of all the places I'd normally go to.
- 2) Gives me an opportunity to be around people who all have one similar interest as me
- 3) Allows me too pratice my social skills in large groups of people
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Ashley Raines

Signature

Ashley Raines

Printed Name

July 27, 2023

Date

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Parent/Guardian Printed Name

Taremonisha T. Raines

Parent/Guardian Signature

[Signature]

Date

7-25-23

ACADEMIC OFFICIAL STATEMENT

I confirm that the applicant currently has a GPA of _____ and can serve on the Youth Council.

Printed Name of Guidance/School Counselor _____

Signature of Guidance/School Counselor _____

Date _____

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Gradebook



Ashley

Eagle's Landing Christian Academy

09th GRADE

Q4 ▼

08 Beginning Guitar

A+ 100%

Joseph Tucker

Bible

A+ 100%

Emily Land

English Honors

A 93%

Gracie Camp

Health

A+ 99%

Anthony Lorenzo

Georgia History

A+ 100%

Wesley Owens

Honors Math 8/Algebra I

A 96%

Nettie Newman

Physical Science Honors

A 94%

Angela Stitt

Candis Alston-Davis
Tumble N' Dance
4518 N. Henry Blvd., #111
Stockbridge, GA 30281
CandisA.Davis@gmail.com
Studio: (770)507-5120
Cell: (919)824-8681

Youth Council Selection Committee
Stockbridge Youth Council
Stockbridge, GA

Dear Selection Committee,

I am delighted to endorse Ashley Raines for membership in the Stockbridge Youth Council. As her dance instructor and mentor, I have had the privilege of witnessing her outstanding dedication and accomplishments both in the world of dance and beyond. Ashley is an exceptional individual with remarkable leadership potential, and her ability to manage the demands of her diverse extracurricular activities is truly commendable.

As an elite level competitive dancer, Ashley has consistently demonstrated a level of commitment and discipline that sets her apart. Her determination to continuously improve has propelled her talents immensely. Beyond her dance accomplishments, Ashley is an active participant in various extracurricular activities, including track and field, SGA, and Beta Club.

Ashley has also been able to effortlessly maintain academic excellence as well. Her intelligence and ease in grasping complex concepts have made her a standout student, earning her admiration from both peers and teachers alike. She consistently balances her academic responsibilities, dance training, and involvement in other activities with grace and poise. What truly sets Ashley apart is her exceptional leadership potential. As a role model in the dance studio, she encourages her fellow dancers to strive for their best. Moreover, Ashley's involvement in track and field, SGA, and Beta Club showcases her ability to effectively manage her time and responsibilities. She possesses a rare talent for multitasking, prioritizing, and executing tasks with unwavering determination, ensuring that she excels.

I have no doubt that Ashley's leadership skills and dedication will be invaluable to the Stockbridge Youth Council. Her experiences as a competitive dancer and involvement in other extracurricular activities have equipped her with the ability to collaborate with diverse groups of individuals, embracing different perspectives to achieve common goals. I wholeheartedly recommend Ashley for membership in the Stockbridge Youth Council. I am convinced that she will be an exceptional asset to the council and its initiatives.

Sincerely,
Candis Alston-Davis

Date: 7/31/2023

To: Whom it concerns

Ref: Recommendation for Youth Council

It is with pleasure that I proudly recommend Miss Ashley Raines for a position on the Stockbridge Youth Council. I have known Ashley since she was 6, and even at that young age she showed determination, dedication, and leadership in all that she did. She is a leader on her dance team, in all her sports activities, at school, and at church. Ashley is very organized, and ensures that she is present, and prepared for whatever activity she is doing. Due to her organizational skills and follow-up skills I fully believe she is able to meet the demands of both the youth council and school. She fully participates in all her activities, is engaging, and knowledgeable. She is not shy, and will communicate her needs, wants, and what she thinks about situations. She is definitely not a "group think" person; which we need more of in this world. I have no doubt that she will be a substantial addition to the Stockbridge Youth Council.

Kimberly Lunsford

Vice President

Mr. Dee's Electric Service LLC.



Whispering Willows Community Center

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant Name Garrett Bradley

Name you prefer to be called Garrett

Home Address _____

City Stockbridge Zip 30281

Home Phone (____) N/A

E-Mail _____

Cell Phone (____) _____

School (Home school is acceptable) Community Christian School

Current school year grade level 9th ☒ 9th ☐ 10th ☐ 11th ☐ 12th

Parent(s)/Guardian Name Mr. & Mrs. [illegible]

Parent(s)/Guardian Email [illegible]

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NHS, Beta, Soccer, Student government, Chess, math Bowl, quizz bowl, robotics, spelling bee, marching band, Youth Ministry

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social media, it changes the way you look at yourself and you compare yourself to others

d) Please briefly explain your reasons for wishing to serve on the Stockbridge Youth Council.

My school counselor thought I would be a good fit for this since I'm very involved in clubs and would bring

e) Include (2) two letters of recommendation from an adult (non relative but does not have to be a teacher) who has known you and can provide a testimony of your leadership potential and ability to manage the demands of both school and the Youth Council.

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Lavin Bradley

Signature

Lavin Bradley

Printed Name

7/10/23

Date

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Parent/Guardian Printed Name

Trisha Bradley

Parent/Guardian Signature

Trisha Bradley

Date 7/10/23

ACADEMIC OFFICIAL STATEMENT

I confirm that the applicant currently has a GPA of 4.2 and can serve on the Youth Council.

Printed Name of Guidance School Counselor

Cindy Balsam

Signature of Guidance School Counselor

Cindy Balsam

Date

7/10/23

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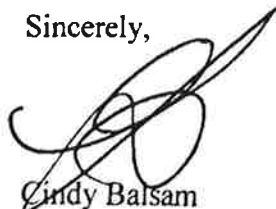
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To Whom It May Concern:

This letter of recommendation is for student Gavin Bradley for consideration in the City of Stockbridge Youth Council. I have known Mr. Bradley for the duration of five years, as his Middle/ High School Counselor. Gavin Bradley has earned several recognitions and awards throughout his middle and high school career, such as the presidential award, recognition in the National Honor Society, and athletic recognition. Mr. Bradley completed his freshman year at Community Christian School with a GPA of 4.18, he holds no negative sanctions to report and has completed over 100 hours of community service. Mr. Bradley is committed to his community and is consistently volunteering his time not only at his church but also within his school. Gavin Bradley has tremendous interpersonal skills, he demonstrates this in the way he communicated with administration, with his teachers and most importantly his respect for peers. Mr. Bradley is a leader among his peers and teammates, he has no fear in initiating tasks that need to be completed. In addition to his exceptional interpersonal skills, Gavin Bradley demonstrates a remarkable commitment to personal and professional growth. While many teenagers have taken the time to relax in the summer months, Mr. Bradley has sought this opportunity to intern in an automotive shop, volunteer at his school, and continue his discipline and practice soccer. Overall Gavin Bradley has consistently displayed exemplary leadership skills and qualities. He has truly made an impact within our school, and within his community. He is able to encourage others, make rational decisions, collaborates with others, and all while taking advanced placement courses and earning over a 4.0 GPA. If you would like to further discuss this student please feel free to reach me at cindy.balsam@communitychristianschool.net. I wholeheartedly recommended this student for consideration of the City of Stockbridge Youth Council.

Sincerely,



Cindy Balsam

M/H School Counselor



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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant Name: Gabriella Andino

Name you prefer to be called: Gabby

Home Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: 30281

Home Phone: (____) _____

E-Mail: _____

Cell Phone: (____) _____

School (Home school is acceptable): Woodland High School

Current school year grade level: ____ 9th ____ 10th ____ 11th ☒ 12th

Parent(s)/Guardian Name: _____ Home Phone: _____

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☒ Yes ☐ No

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Resume:

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c) In your opinion, what is one of the most challenging issues facing youth today, and how does it affect your generation?

I believe one of the most challenging problems our generation is facing right now is the issue of school shootings. As a high school student who has experienced a close scare in school, the fact I have to be scared and on such high alert at a school is extremely sad. In fact, most students, as well as parents, are scared that a school shooting may happen. As a generation, we are all, on some level, traumatized. We have all watched and heard the news stories of kids getting shot, we have all watched as the government has done little to nothing to protect us, and we all have to live with fear in the back of our minds that we may be next.

d) Please briefly explain your reasons for wishing to serve on the Stockbridge Youth Council:

I am a firm believer that there needs to be major changes made in our education system here in America. Due to this belief, it is my goal to one day become Secretary of Education so I may have the opportunity to positively affect our education system, and in result, lives. By serving on the Stockbridge youth council, I would get the opportunity to gain more experience with leadership, government, and how it works. Additionally, I would have the privilege to be surrounded by more like-minded peers who also have the goal of positively affecting our community in mind. I would also love to make more connections with more people and leaders in my community outside of my school.

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Gabriella Andino

Gabriella Andino

7/14/23

Signature

Printed Name

Date

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Parent/Guardian Printed Name Talitha Andino

Parent/Guardian Signature Talitha Andino Date 7/14/23

ACADEMIC OFFICIAL STATEMENT

I confirm that the applicant currently has a GPA of 4.17 and can serve on the Youth Council.

Printed Name of Guidance/School Counselor Dr. Renee Williams

Signature of Guidance/School Counselor _____ Date _____

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Dear Admissions Committee,

It is a great pleasure to recommend Gabriella Andino to your University. She is truly one of the most exceptional students that I have had the honor of working with in my 22 years teaching. I taught Gabriella in my Teaching as a Profession courses at the Academy for Advanced Studies.

Gabriella is a student who craves rigorous learning environments that will challenge her intellect and push her analytical reasoning. She is driven to understand everything that is presented to her in class. Her final project in class was especially impressive with her researching and examining the growth of the industrial model of education while developing an impressive argument for school reform citing the benefits of a modern, innovative and more personalized / individualized model of education on the learner and society at large. The arguments Gabriella presented for a restructuring of 21st century public education were both convincing and compelling.

Gabriella's personal strengths are as impressive as her intellectual accomplishments. She truly embodies all of the qualities we are looking for in the 21st century learner. She is a highly effective communicator, collaborator and critical thinker. Her 21st century skills combined with her commitment to her intellectual growth will be an asset to any institution of higher learning.

Gabriella has my highest recommendation for admission to your institution. She has demonstrated excellence in all that she has been asked to do, whether it is extensive research assignments, project-based learning tasks or collaborating with others. Gabriella's endless desire to engage in analytical and critical thought, her work ethic with regard to her studies and her impressive growth mindset leads me to the conclusion that there will be no limits to her achievements in college and beyond. Please don't hesitate to contact me at teresa.oliver@henry.k12.ga.us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Dr. Teresa Oliver
Teaching as a Profession Instructor
Academy for Advanced Studies
Henry County Schools



KENNESAW STATE
UNIVERSITY

March 5, 2023

To Whom It May Concern:

It is with great pleasure that I write this letter of recommendation for Ms. Gabriella Andino. As Ms. Andino's previous Honors English Instructor at the Academy for Advanced Studies in McDonough, Georgia, I can honestly testify to her great efforts and leadership in academic and extracurricular activity settings. I've been able to view Ms. Andino's work ethic firsthand, and her motivation and integrity allow her to excel in both a classroom and social environment. Ms. Andino is exceptionally devoted to her academic studies, extracurricular activities, and she has maintained a great deal of focus in her academic and career interests. As a current junior student, Ms. Andino has remained positive and motivated in the journey through her high school studies in order to obtain a prosperous future in her chosen academic and professional path, which includes becoming an educator and national leader in the field of education. Ms. Andino is equipped with the expertise and knowledge for the rigor that will come at any university of her choice.

Ms. Andino has shown her devotion in academics through the multiple assignments completed during her tenure as a student in my Honors English II (World Literature) course, which focuses solely on literature from across the globe and current events that relate to the literary elements studied. In Honors English II, Ms. Andino was always present to class meetings, communicated effectively, and exuded a strong willingness to learn more each and every week. She continuously motivated other students to speak out during class sessions in the Honors World Literature course, and she always provided interesting commentary about texts and lessons that we discussed and reviewed. She created a riveting project on the themes within the popular novel, *The Alchemist*, written by Paulo Coelho. Her project encapsulated the rigor and profoundness of college-level work.

Ms. Andino has proven her tenacity by maintaining her position as a top-ranking student at both Woodland High School (located in Stockbridge, Georgia) and the Academy for Advanced Studies. She has won a high-achieving award for an essay she wrote and submitted to the Georgia Laws of Life competition. She is currently ranked 20 of 345 students in her 2024 graduating class. She boasts a 4.11 GPA, while also being Volleyball Captain and the Secretary of Record for the Future Georgia Educator Club and BETA Club at her institutions. Ms. Andino also commits to giving back to her community in many ways. She has volunteered to complete multiple community service projects in the Metropolitan Atlanta area, and she enjoys leading her own initiatives in the community. Ms. Andino is an outstanding student. Alongside her academic prowess, she is an individual who truly cares for others and holds a passion for success.

Ms. Andino is very deserving of acceptance into any program and university of her choice. She certainly satisfies and exceeds the common qualities for colleges and universities across the nation. It is with great pleasure that I recommend Ms. Andino for the school of her choice. As an instructor, it is an honor to have had such a kind, tenacious, and hardworking student in class. I would be most willing to provide any additional information upon request.

Sincerely,

Emani Collins
English Instructor
Academy for Advanced Studies
Henry County Schools
emani.collins@henry.k12.ga.us



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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant Name: SYDNEY JOHNSON

Name you prefer to be called: SYDNEY

Home Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: GA

Home Phone: () _____

E-Mail: _____

Cell Phone: () _____

School (Home school is acceptable): DUTCHTOWN

Current school year grade level: ☒ 9th ☐ 10th ☐ 11th ☐ 12th

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Sydney Johnson

Signature

Sydney Johnson

Printed Name

7/14/23

Date

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Parent/Guardian Printed Name

MARCIA JOHNSON

Parent/Guardian Signature

Marcia Johnson

Date

7/14/23

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Signature of Guidance/School Counselor _____

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Before I moved back to America I lived in Dubai for 8 years, and while I was enrolled in school over there I served student council member. I served a few important roles such as helping students feel comfortable in school environment and giving teachers better ideas for lessons to help make classes more hands-on and interactive. I was also apart of the DMS track team and am currently on the UTA tennis team.

c) In your opinion, what is one of the most challenging issues facing youth today, and how does it affect your generation?

In my opinion one of the most challenging issues facing youth today is navigating the influence of negative peer pressure. It has had a negative impact on my generation because kids often make bad decisions based on whats cool or what other kids are doing.

d) Please briefly explain your reasons for wishing to serve on the Stockbridge Youth Council:

Being that I formally was apart of a Youth Council it is important for students to have a voice and a place to share ideas amongst their peers. I understand the importance of being welcoming to people from diverse backgrounds. I would also get a chance to collaborate with other council members about relevant topics present in Stockbridge.

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