

**Current Grade: _____ Link Leader Application
Link Crew 2014-2015**



Name _____ T-Shirt Size: _____

Year of graduation _____ Email: _____

Homeroom Teacher _____ Phone Number: _____ cell/home

Below are dates and events you are required to attend as a Link Leader:

Please make sure you are available to attend these events before you apply.

May Development Day: April 28, 2014

Link Leader training: Two Days Prior to School

Freshman Orientation: First Day of School; arrive @6:30am and wear your Link Leader shirt

Link Crew Meetings: During Class Meeting (one Thursday) of each month

Link Crew Social Events: One in Fall Semester and one in Spring Semester

Answer the following questions about yourself (may attach extra sheets):

What activities are you involved in both inside and outside of school? (i.e. teams, council, band, etc.)

If your friends had to describe your personality and character, what would they say?

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As a Link Leader, you will be expected to answer freshmen questions and help as needed with any difficulties. What is one challenge that you faced **in high school**, and what did you learn from it?

We have learned that an individual's personality is important as a successful Link Leader. How would you describe yourself? (Use at least three adjectives.)

We will receive more applications than open positions for Link Leaders. As such, think about what distinguishes you from other applicants. What can you contribute as a member of Link Crew Leaders?

Link Leader vs. Link Substitute/Helper Leader

We understand that there are many interests and opportunities in high school, and that those interests may pull you in different directions. Know that if you are a Link Group Leader, you are responsible for approximately 8-10 freshmen the entire year. You are their mentor, and they will look up to you. Being a Link Group Leader has many expectations, and it takes a dependable person to fulfill this role.

If being a Link Group Leader is not right for you, yet you still want to be involved in the Link Crew Program, we are offering a Link Substitute/Helper Leader position. The main focus for a Link Substitute/Helper Leader is filling in for absent Link Group Leaders and helping the coordinators as needed. There is less responsibility and expectations with being a Link Substitute/Helper Leader; however you must be able to follow directions and take orders well for this position.

- Select one position, read the expectations and required dares, sign, and have a parent sign for your desired position. Understand that this will serve as a contract for the 2014-2015 Link Leaders.
- Be prepared for a possible interview with Link Coordinators.



Special Note: You may or may not be asked to do an interview. If you were not given an interview it doesn't mean you won't be a member of Link Crew. If you are given an interview it doesn't mean you will be a member of Link Crew. The interviews are designed for us to get to know potential leaders better.

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Link Group Leader Expectations



- **May Development Day:**
 - April 28, 2014- Periods 7/8-12 @ the GYM
- **Link Leader training:**
 - Two Days Prior to School-8:30-2:00 @ H.S. Gymnasium
- **Freshman Orientation/First Day of School:**
 - First Day of School; arrive @6:30am and wear your Link Leader shirt
- **2014-2015 School Year**
 - Initiate and maintain regular contact with 8-10 freshmen in your Link Crew Group.
 - Attend regularly scheduled training sessions prior to all academic sessions.
 - Facilitate regularly scheduled academic follow-up session help during advisory periods.
 - Attend both social events held after school hours.

I understand that if I do not attend 8/18 and 8/19 training sessions or 8/20 orientation I will be removed as a Link Group Leader. I also understand that if I do not attend academic and/or social sessions, I may be removed as a Link Group Leader. Finally, I understand that if my grades and/or behaviors impede me from being a proper role model, I will be removed as a Link Group Leader.

Student Signature

Date

Parent Signature

Date

Link Substitute/Helper Leader Expectations



- **May Development Day:**
 - **April 28, 2014**- Periods 7/8-12 @ the GYM
- **Link Leader training:**
 - **Two Days Prior to School**-8:30-2:00 @ H.S. Gymnasium
- **Freshman Orientation/First Day of School:**
 - **First Day of School**; arrive @6:30am and wear your Link Leader shirt
- **2014-2015 School Year**
 - Attend regularly scheduled training sessions prior to all academic sessions.
 - Substitute for Group Leaders OR help coordinators as needed during regularly scheduled academic follow-up session help during advisory periods.
 - Attend at least one social event held after school hours.

I understand that if I do not attend 8/18 and 8/19 training sessions or 8/20 orientation I will be removed as a Substitute/Helper Leader. I also understand that if I do not attend all the academic and at least one social events, I may be removed as a Link S/H. Finally, I understand that if my grades and/or behaviors impede me from being a proper role model, I will be removed as an S/H Leader.

Student Signature

Date

Parent Signature

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