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2009-2010 Admissions Application to be Completed by Student

The CGS offers regularly scheduled tours and open houses in the fall.

Please check our website for dates and times.

Applications must be received by February 2, 2009. A lottery may be necessary for admission.

Applications received after that date will be considered only if there are vacancies.

Applicants will be notified of their status by March 1, 2009.

To be considered complete, each application must include:

1. This application form completed and signed by the student
2. **A 300 word essay written by the student explaining why he/she wants to attend CGS**
3. The application form completed and signed by the parent
4. Two recommendations (in this packet), one from your guidance counselor AND one from a teacher
5. Current and previous full year report cards
6. Most current CMT or other standardized test results
7. Home school course selection sheet indicating placement for math and science classes
8. Copy of student's current State of Connecticut blue health form.

Mail completed application to: Mrs. Laurie Cawley
Center for Global Studies
300 Highland Avenue
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Please Print or Type all information

Name: Last: _____ First: _____ Middle: _____

Gender (circle): Male Female Current Grade: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Street Address: _____

Town: _____ Zip: _____

Home Telephone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Present School: _____ Guidance Counselor: _____

How did you discover the CGS? _____

If you are not now attending a Norwalk Public School, have you done so in the past (circle): Yes No

If yes, please state the school you last attended in Norwalk and when you attended: _____

Please **circle** Race/Ethnicity for statistical purposes only: Asian Black Hispanic Native American White(non-Hispanic)

Multi-racial (list): _____

Language Choice (please **circle** one): Arabic Chinese Japanese

I understand that if I am accepted, I will attend the Center for Global Studies to study the language and culture chosen. I will obey the rules and regulations of the CGS and of Brien McMahon High School. If, for some reason, I choose not to obey the rules and regulations, or I cannot succeed academically, I will no longer be allowed to continue as a student in the Center for Global Studies and I must return to my home school to complete my education.

Applicant's Signature _____

Date _____

OUR MISSION

The Center for Global Studies will enable students to bridge international and cultural distances through study, travel, and state-of-the-art technology and will prepare them for life in a pluralistic world. Students will understand and accept differences they will encounter in our increasingly global society.

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Admissions Application to be Completed by Parent/s or Guardian

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Student's Name: _____

Student's Home Address: _____

Mother/Guardian Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Home Address: _____

Home Telephone: _____ Work Telephone: _____ Cell Telephone: _____

Father/Guardian Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Home Address: _____

Home Telephone: _____ Work Telephone: _____ Cell Telephone: _____

- I approve this application and I am eager for my child to attend CGS
- I understand that punctual and regular attendance is crucial for success and will enforce that requirement
- I understand that academic success requires parental support and agree to ensure that my child completes homework and all academic assignments
- I agree to encourage my child to participate fully in the life of the school
- I agree to encourage my child to participate in a Study Tour to Japan, China or Egypt at some point during his/her attendance in the CGS. I understand that financial aid is available.
- I agree to become involved in some aspect of the CGS myself since strong parental participation encourages high academic success.

Transportation

Will your son/daughter need transportation to/from the CGS? Please circle: Yes No

If yes, please circle: NHS district?

Other district? Name of district: _____

Indicate public middle school and high school closest to your home: _____

Indicate nearest Metro North Railroad Station: _____

Please note BMHS students receive transportation automatically-see bus schedules on the NPS website.

Parent's Signature

Date

**Center for Global Studies
Guidance Counselor Recommendation Form**

Student Name: _____

Current Grade: _____

Name of Student's Home District High School (circle): BMHS NHS Other: _____

Please attach a transcript of the student's records including:

1. Final 7th grade report card
2. Most recent 8th grade report card
3. CMT results from 6th and 7th grades, or most recent testing
4. Copy of IEP or 504 documentation, where applicable

If student is other than a current 8th grader, please provide a sealed transcript.

Please write a brief paragraph and fill in the form below stating why you feel this student is suitable for the Center for Global Studies program. If you have any reservations about the suitability for this student for the program, please indicate this as well. If you prefer, you can attach a sheet to this form instead of writing here.

Social and Academic Qualities	Rarely	Sometimes	Usually	Always
Acts respectfully towards other students				
Acts respectfully towards adults				
Is highly motivated to achieve				
Displays disciplined work habits				
Displays independence and initiative				
Communicates effectively				
Shows caring and compassion towards others				

This applicant is:

Highly Recommended
 Recommended
 Recommended with Qualification
 Not Recommended

Signature: _____ Title: _____
Please Print Name and Sign

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Teacher Recommendation Form

Student Name: _____

Current Grade: _____

Name of Student's Home District High School (circle): BMHS NHS Other: _____

Please write a brief paragraph and fill in the form below stating why you feel this student is suitable for the Center for Global Studies program. If you have any reservations about the suitability for this student for the program, please indicate this as well. If you prefer, you can attach a sheet to this form instead of writing here.

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