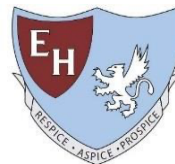




# ERIC HAMBER SECONDARY SCHOOL

## Challenge Studio Program

### Grade 8 Application Form (2024-2025)



The deadline for the application package is **Thursday, December 21, 2023 at 3:00PM**. This application form, along with all supporting documents, should be submitted to the main office. Our address is 5025 Willow Street.

#### **SECTION 1: STUDENT INFORMATION**

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Legal First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Usual First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_ Gender \_\_\_\_\_ Pronouns \_\_\_\_\_ Student Email \_\_\_\_\_  
YYYY/MM/DD

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Current School \_\_\_\_\_ Student # \_\_\_\_\_ PEN # \_\_\_\_\_

#### **SECTION 2: PARENT INFORMATION**

**Parent 1:** Name \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent 2:** Name \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

If your child is accepted into the Challenge Studio program, do you consent to your email address being shared with the Challenge Studio Parent Group for communication purposes? ☐ YES ☐ NO

#### **SECTION 3: CURRENT PROGRAM**

Please indicate below if the applicant is currently in any of the following programs.

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Early French Immersion Program (Gr K-7) | <input type="checkbox"/> Early Mandarin Bilingual Program (Gr K-7) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Late French Immersion Program (Gr 6-7)  | <input type="checkbox"/> Mandarin Bilingual Program (Gr 4-7)       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Intensive French Program (Gr 6-7)       | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____                               |

#### **SECTION 4: PAST PROGRAMS**

Please indicate below if the applicant has participated in either of the following.

☐ MACC Program

☐ Gifted Enrichment Centre

#### **SECTION 5: APPLICATION PACKAGE**

The following items (except for the video) should be submitted to Hamber's main office as part of the application package. They will help determine the suitability of applicants. Please check off to indicate that the item has been included and/or completed.

☐ This Challenge Studio Application Form.

☐ A thoughtful response to the five questions on the next two pages.

☐ A copy of your grade 6 term 2 (or mid-year) report card **and** your grade 6 final report card. If you are interviewed, please send your mid-year grade 7 report card when you receive it in January.

☐ A 60 to 90 second video sharing your passion(s). You must appear and speak in the video. Show us who you are. This item should be sent via the link provided on our website.

#### **INFORMATION ITEMS:**

- Note that there will be an assessment for all applicants. Please register for it via the link on our website.
- Interviews will be held in early February. Check the date on our website.
- All students take a total of 8 courses each year. Students accepted into the Challenge Studio Program would take the following courses in their grade 8 year:

Program courses:    English 8CHST  
                             Social Studies 8CHST  
                             Science 8CHST  
                             Critical Thinking/Fine Arts 8CHST

Plus:    Mathematics 8 (or higher)  
           French 8 (or higher)  
           PE 8  
           ADST 8

Thank you for your interest in our program!



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### 2024-2025

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name, First Name YYYY/MM/DD

Elementary School: \_\_\_\_\_

The following questions should be completed **by the student**. Please answer the following questions on this fillable PDF.

1. Why do you think the Challenge Studio Program is the right program for you? Why do you desire/require something different from the regular school program?
2. How do you spend your time outside of class? Describe your main three ways.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last Name, First Name)

Elementary School: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Share three interesting facts about you, so we can get to know who you are. (These facts should not be the same answers as question 2.)
4. What is one thing you have overcome or would like to overcome?
5. If you had unlimited funding and resources, what topic/issue would you love to investigate on a long-term basis?