

STUDENT ENROLLMENT PACKET 2023-2024

OFFICE USE ONLY —— Date Received _____

Accepted Date _____

Denied Date _____



ENROLLED STUDENT REQUIRED DOCUMENT CHECKLIST

- □ APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION
- □ STATEMENT OF COOPERATION
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- □ ACADEMIC RECORD REQUEST
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- □ ENROLLMENT FEE
- □ INTERVIEW COMPLETED
- □ TRANSCRIPT REQUESTED
- □ COPY OF STUDENT TRANSCRIPT RECEIVED
- □ COPY OF STUDENT BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- □ STUDENT S.S. CARD
- □ STUDENT IMMUNIZATION RECORD/HEALTH RECORDS
- □ PARENT AFFIDAVIT
- □ EMERGENCY RELEASE FORM



APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

Student's full name			
	Last	First	Middle
Physical Address			
Mailing Address			
Birth date: Month	Day	YearBi	rthplace
Grade last attended:	Any grade re	peated?	Io Grade Entering
Phone Sex □ M □ F Social Security #			
Email Address		Се	ll #
Was student ever dism	nissed, suspended or d	isciplined at any school?	□ Yes □ No If yes, explain.
Does student have any physical disability? Yes No Nature			
Where does applicant	attend church?		
Is applicant a member	of the above-mention	ed church? 🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
How often does applic	ant attend? 🗆 3x weel	kly 🗆 2x weekly 🗆 weekl	у
□ Monthly □ Every ti	me church has a servic	ce in the second s	
Has applicant made a	profession of faith in Je	esus Christ? 🗆 Yes 🗆 No)
If so, please give a brie	f testimony including	the date when decision w	vas made
Any unusual factors in	the student's life?	Yes 🗆 No	
Explain:			
Do you plan for your c	hild to attend Destiny I	Leadership Academy thro	bugh the end of the eighth grade?
If not, please explain?			
Father's Name:		Mother's	Name:
Employer:		Employe	r:
Employer's Phone:		Employe	r's Phone:
Marital Status: Divorced Marrie	idowed □ Separated ed □ Single		Status: □ Widowed □ Separated ed □ Married □ Single



ADMISSION POLICIES

- A. A parent or parents must desire to cooperate fully with the school in helping to develop their child academically, spiritually, mentally and physically.
- B. We are seeking students who exhibit the following:
 - 1. The student is capable of academic success at Destiny Leadership Academy as indicated by school records and standardized test results.
 - 2. The student has been promoted to the preceding school year or the parents are willing to have him/ her repeat, if deemed necessary by Destiny Leadership Academy.
 - 3. The subject has a sufficiently positive record of disciple and emotional adjustment to school to insure adjustment at Destiny Leadership Academy.
- C. All new students who enter Destiny Leadership Academy will be accepted on a nine-week probationary period. Students who are unable to adjust in the academic program will be asked to withdraw.

ADMISSIONS PROCEDURES

- A. Before applying, read the Statement of Cooperation Form and Standard of Conduct Code carefully to determine whether Destiny Leadership Academy offers the type of education you want for your child.
- B. Fill out and return to the school admission office:
 - Application for Admission form complete
 - $_{\odot}$ $\,$ The \$100.00 application fee
 - The signed Statement of Cooperation
 - The signed Standard of Conduct Code
- C. An interview will be scheduled with you and your child when a completed application is submitted.
- D. Please provide a copy of the child's last report card, progress report and most recent academic test results at the time of the interview.
- E. A decision on your child's admission status will be made after the interview.



STATEMENT OF COOPERATION (PG.1)

The administration has full responsibility for placing my child in the proper grade.

Since the fees do not cover the actual cost of educating each child, we recognize that our participation is needed in prayer, service, and gifts in order to properly share in his training.

The school reserves the right to dismiss any student who himself, or whose parent does not respect its spiritual standards or cooperate in the educational process.

We understand students are accepted on a conditional basis. If acceptable progress has not been shown by the end of the first grading period, the student shall be withdrawn from the Destiny Leadership Academy and placed in a program more designed to meet his/her needs. The teacher's judgment shall be relied upon for the acceptability of his progress.

We pledge our loyalty to the aims and ideals of the Academy and will bring any and all questions and criticisms directly to the administration so that those in authority may properly consider them.

It is my understanding that it is the school's policy to make no refunds on registration fees.

We give Destiny Leadership Academy permission for our child to take part in all school activities, including bus trips, sports activities, and school sponsored trips away from the school premises.

We also believe that discipline is necessary for the welfare of each student, as well as for the entire school. We give permission for our child's teacher, and/or other agent of the school, to make and enforce classroom regulations in a manner consistent with Christian principles and discipline as set forth in the Scriptures.

We agree to hold the school and its agents harmless for any liability to our child or any guardian or parent thereof because of any claims on behalf of my child against the school or any agent thereof because of any injury or alleged injury to my child. Should legal action, for any reason, be taken against Destiny Leadership Academy or any employee or agent thereof, on my child's behalf and the school or its agent not be found at fault, we agree to pay any attorney fees, court fees, damages or other costs that Destiny Leadership Academy or its agent should incur to defend itself against such action, and would immediately withdraw our child from school as soon as such action has begun.

All music groups perform in various programs during the year. All elementary and secondary programs are considered part of the curriculum, and the attendance of all students in the programs is vitally important. We understand that if our child does not attend a program, his/her music grade will be adversely affected. Statement of cooperation page 1 of 2

This **STATEMENT OF COOPERATION** will be in effect for as long as my child listed (or others enrolled) attend Destiny Leadership Academy.



STATEMENT OF COOPERATION (PG.2)

We have read and understand the Statement of Cooperation and Standards of Conduct, and we are willing to abide by all the regulations stated therein.

We have read and are willing to abide by the principles and standards outlined in the parent-student handbook. If we are concerned by a policy or decision of the school, we will speak to the teacher first, then the principal, and finally to the administrator, rather than to other parents. If we cannot continue our support of the school, we will withdraw our child without seeking to discredit the ministry or its personnel.

Signature of parents or legal guardian must sign

Printed Name of Parent / Guardian	Printed Name of Parent / Guardian
Father	Mother
Sole Guardian	Date



STANDARD OF CONDUCT CODE (PG.1)

ABSENCE AGREEMENT

According to the FL Dept. of Education: School attendance is the responsibility of the parent. Since there is a strong relationship between attendance and academic performance, it is important that parents take an active role in working with the school to ensure their child's attendance on a daily basis. Schools provide information regarding attendance policies and procedures at the beginning of the school year. Parents must contact the school each time a student is absent. However, methods of notification vary among schools. Absences are classified as excused and unexcused, local school board policy lists the reasons for which an absence may be excused. Florida Statute 1003.24. Each district school year that a student must be in attendance and the number of absences and tardiness after which a statement explaining such absences and tardiness must be on file at the school. Each school in the district must determine if an absence or tardiness is excused or unexcused according to criteria established by the district school board. Florida Statute 1003.24

TARDINESS AGREEMENT

Attendance is taken promptly at the beginning of each day. Students entering the location of any class meeting after that time are recorded as "tardy". Tardy students will not be allowed into the classroom without a pass from the main office. Excessive tardiness may accumulate into absences.

Excused Absences – are allowed with written documentation and ONLY under the acceptable reasons:

- Automobile/Mechanical Circumstances
- o Sickness
- o Death
- Personal medical, dental, optometric or chiropractic appointment (Dr's note is needed)
- Funeral services for a member of the immediate family (limited to one day in the state, and three days out of state
- Observance of a religious holiday or ceremony (recommend three (3) days advance notice to school)
- For the purpose of spending time with a member of the pupil's immediate family who is an active duty member of the military
- Other reasons that are within the discretion of school administrators and, based on the factors of the pupil's circumstances, are deemed to constitute a valid excuse

Unexcused Absences

o Any other reason not included in "Acceptable Reason for Excused Student Absences."



STANDARD OF CONDUCT CODE (PG.2)

SCHOOL UNIFORM AGREEMENT

Every student is required to wear his/her uniform every day. Failure to do so will reflect their grade, and also disciplinary actions.

UNIFORMS/DRESS CODE

- Navy blue, black or khaki slacks/shorts, skirts/skorts, or uniform dress
- Navy, Light Blue, or White polo shirts with logo
- Appropriate length (knee length or lower for girls)
- Appropriate size (nothing tight fitting)
- Belt must be worn with clothing that has loops (both girls and boys)
- Shirts must be tucked in (both girls and boys)
- Baggy or sagging, pants, cargo pants, overalls, jeans, hoodies, t-shirt or tank tops are NOT permitted

DRESS DOWN FRIDAYS

- o Students can wear Jeans on Fridays with the school shirts
- Jeans must NOT be tight nor baggy

• DRESS FOR SUCCESS WEDNESDAYS and CHAPEL

- Boys White, Blue, or Black Button Down Dress Shirt and Tie with Navy or Black slacks
- Girls Blue or Black Skirt or dress (knee length or longer) and dress blouse or shirt (no sleeveless, spaghetti sleeves, etc.)
- Black, Brown, or Navy Dress shoes and flats (rubber bottom preferred)

SHOES

- Sneakers/Tennis Shoes are allowed with uniform
- NO open toe or heel shoes are permitted (both girls and boys)
- Black, Brown, Navy Dress shoes and flats are permitted on DRESS FOR SUCCESS Wednesdays



PRIVATE SCHOOL ENROLLMENT INFORMATION

Please complete for each student.

Application Fee - \$100.00 per student (non-refundable)

If your child is accepted and enrolled an Enrollment Fee of \$300.00 will be due. ****** COPY OF BIRTH CERTIFICATE REQUIRED ******

Student Information	
First Name	Middle Initial
Last Name	
Date of Birth	SSN
Mother's Information:	Custodial Parent: () Yes () No
First Name	Middle Initial Last Name
SSN	DL#
Home Address	
Home Phone	Cell Phone
Employer	Work Phone
Email Address	
Father's Information:	Custodial Parent: () Yes () N0
First Name SSN	Middle Initial Last Name DL#
Home Address	
	Cell Phone
Employer	Work Phone
Email Address	



REQUEST FOR SCHOOL RECORDS

Parental permission is no longer required when records are requested by authorized school personnel. (Family Education Rights and Privacy Act, <u>Final rule on Education records</u>, Federal Register, June 17, 1976. Vol 41, No. 118, Page 24G73).

DATE		
	Student Information	
Last Name:		
First Name		
Middle Name		
DOB:		
Last school attended:		
Current Grade Level:		
Address of school	Phone Number_	

Please release all records of the above named student and forward to:

Destiny Leadership Academy

Attn: Student Records

4790 North US Highway 441

Ocala FL 34475

Thank you for your assistance and early attention to this request. DLA Enrollment Services



WAIVER OF LIABILITY HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT FOR TRANSPORTATION OF MINORS BY A DLA STAFF MEMBER

Description of Activity:

Transporting students to and from DLA related activities by automobile by a DLA Staff member.

Please read this form carefully and be aware in signing this waiver for your minor child/ward to be transported by automobile by a DLA staff member and any activities associated therewith you will be waiving your rights to all claims for injuries you and/or your minor child/ward might sustain arising out of being transported by automobile by a DLA staff member and you will be required to indemnify, hold harmless and defend Destiny Leadership Academy, FALCON, Pentecostal Full Gospel, its officers, contractors, agents and employees, for any claims arising out of your minor child/ward being transported by automobile by a DLA staff member.

In consideration of my minor child/ward being allowed to be transported by automobile by a DLA Staff member, as the Parent or legal guardian of a participant under 18 years of age, I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury associated with being transported by automobile by a DLA staff member. I agree to assume the full risk of injuries that may be sustained by any minor child/ward of mine, as a result of being transported by automobile by a DLA staff member and all activities connected or associated therewith. I agree to waive and relinquish all claims on behalf of my minor child/ward that the minor child/ward may have against Destiny Leadership Academy, FALCON, Pentecostal Full Gospel, its officers, contractors, agents and employees, as a result of the minor child/ward's being transported by automobile by a DLA staff member.

I do hereby fully release and discharge Destiny Leadership Academy, FALCON, Pentecostal Full Gospel, its officers, agents and employees from any and all claims from injuries, damage or loss which I, or any minor child/ward may have or which may occur to my minor child/ward on account of his/her being transported by automobile by a DLA staff member. I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless and defend Destiny Leadership Academy, FALCON, Pentecostal Full Gospel, its officers, contractors, agents and employees from any and all claims sustained by me or my minor child/ward, and arising out of, connected with, or in any way associated with being transported by a DLA staff member.

The invalidity or unenforceability of any of the provisions hereof shall not affect the validity or enforceability of the remainder of this Agreement.

I have read and fully understand the above Waiver and Release of all claims.

Name(s) of Minor

Printed Name of Parent/Legal Guardian

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian Date



MEDICAL RELEASE FORM

As the parent/leg	gal guardian of:				
Name of Student	t:				
threatening situa	ation. I/We understand that		rental contact except in a life- nergency every effort will be made in e.		
Date of Student's	s birth:	Date of last Tetanus Bo	ooster:		
Allergies:					
Other Medical Co	onditions:				
Student's Physici	an:	Phone#:			
Name of Parent/	Guardian:				
Street Address		City	State		
Zip Code	Phone# (C)	(H)	(W)		
Person responsik	ble for charges (if different f	rom above)			
Street Address		City	State		
Zip Code	Phone# (C)	(H)	(W)		
Person to notify	if parent/guardian unavaila	ble:			
Street Address		City	State		
Zip Code	Phone# (C)	(H)	(W)		
Medical and/or Hospital Insurance Co.		()	_ () Phone #		
Policy Holder		Policy Number			

Date



BREAKFAST – Currently DLA does not provide breakfast.

LUNCH - Currently DLA does not provide lunch. Parents are required to provide bagged lunch for their children. Heating of food is not permitted and microwaving is not available to students. Please be mindful of providing nutritious foods in your child's lunch that will promote healthy brain function and energy throughout the school day.

CLASSROOM - Students are to be in classroom by 8:30 a.m. to prepare and ready themselves for Assembly which will begin at 8:30 a.m. School ends @ 2:30 p.m. Students must be picked up promptly.

TRANSPORTATION – Transportation services are door to door and are available upon request in limited pickup areas. Call main office to set up your service and register your child. Fees will be applied. Cost is \$60.00 per week (subject to change depending on location).

If an emergency with a student arises, the first response is to the school administration. They have authorization to resolve any and all situations.

We thank you in advance for your cooperation in making our school become more efficient and continue to operate with excellence in all that we do.

□ Check here if you desire to use <u>TRANSPORTATION SERVICES</u>

Parent/Guardian (signature)	Date
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Parent/Guardian (signature)

Date _____



DESTINY LEADERSHIP ACADEMY EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

STUDENT DATA				
Student Name: (Print)			Gender:	M F
Current School & Grade (2023-2024):			Grade:	
Birthdate: / /				
Home Address:	City/State:	Z	ip Code:	
	FAMILY DATA			
Who does the child live with: Mother Fath	er Both Relativ	e Legal Guardian	Other	
Mother/ Guardian (Print)				
Home Address (if different from student)				
Home Phone: Work Phone:	Cell	/Pager:		
Mother/Guardian's Employer:	Mother/Guardian's Employer: Email Address:			
Father/Guardian (Print)				
Home Address (if different from student) Home Phone: Work Phone:		Cell/Pager:		
Home Phone: Work Phone: Father/Guardian's Employer:		· · · · · ·		
		Email Ac	adress:	
SIE		ATION		
If you have other children enrolling or atten				
Student Name:			New	Returning
Student Name: Current Grade:			New	Returning
Student Name:	Student Name: Current Grade: New Returning			Returning
EMERGENCY CONTAC	T AUTHORIZATIO	N TO RELEASE ST	UDENT(S)	
In case of emergency, the following relatives, their custody:	friends, neighbors n	hay be contacted and	d my child may	be released to
Emergency Contact 1:		Relationship:		
Home Phone:	Work Phone:		Cell Phone:	
Emergency Contact 2: Relationshi		Relationship:		
Home Phone:	Work Phone:	1	Cell Phone:	
Emergency Contact 3:		Relationship:		
Home Phone:	Work Phone:		Cell Phone:	
Verbal Password:				
NON-DISCRIMINATION POLICY DLA prohibits discrimination on the basis of a student's race, color, religion, national origin, language spoken, intellectual or athletic ability, measures of achievement or aptitude, or status as a student with special needs.				
THE FAMILY EDUCATIONAL RIGHTS AND PRIVACY ACT (FERPA)				
The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), a Federal law, requires that DLA with certain exceptions, obtain your written consent prior to the disclosure of personally identifiable information from your child's education records. However, DLA may disclose appropriately designated "directory information" without written consent, unless you have advised the DLA to the contrary in accordance with DLA's procedures. The primary purpose of				

directory information is to allow the DLA to include this type of information from your child's education records in certain school publications.