

Science and Technology Academy @ Knights Landing Sci-Tech KL



2024-2025 Application Packet Grades TK-6

Sci-Tech KL is a school of choice and interested in students who are willing to:

- Make a commitment to realize their academic potential
- Meet high behavioral expectations
- Cultivate self motivation for lifelong learning
- Make a commitment to attend school everyday on time
- Participate in hands-on learning
- Participate in science and technology activities

All new students must fill out an application packet. The completed packet must be received at Sci-Tech Academy by 2:00 on *December 15th*, or <u>postmarked by December 31st</u>.

Sci-Tech KL 9544 Mill Street Knights Landing, CA 95645 (530) 735-6435 Sci-Tech KL PO Box 458 Knights Landing, CA 95645

*Limited bussing may be available to our school from one location in Woodland. *Limited bussing may also be available in the Knights Landing area.

Sci-Tech KL is a public charter school with an open enrollment policy. Students will be enrolled according to the following criteria.

- 1. Children of current Sci-Tech employees
- 2. Siblings of students admitted to or attending Sci-tech who reside in WJUSD.
- 3. Students who reside within a 5-mile radius of the school.
- 4. Siblings of students admitted to or attending Sci-Tech who currently attend any WJUSD school.
- 5. Residents of the District.
- 6. All other applicants.

A lottery drawing will be held on Friday February 2, 2024 at 4:30pm <u>if needed</u>

Enrollment Information

All new student applicants will receive notification of their enrollment status no later than February 9, 2024

If your child has been accepted to our campus, you will be <u>required</u> to complete additional paperwork. **It is the Parent/Guardian's responsibility to complete these documents.** Enrollment documents not received by February 23, 2024 may result in loss of your child's spot in our school or placement on our waiting list.

If your child has not been accepted at this time, his/her name will be added to our waiting list according to the lottery placement and priority status. You will be notified if an opening occurs and enrollment forms will be required at that time.

Application Checklist

Applications should be turned in with one staple in the left corner. Documents must be arranged in the following order.

Incomplete packets will not be accepted.

- 1. Application for Admission
- 2. Family Agreement
- 3. Parent Assurances
- 4. Copy of Birth Certificate (for TK, Kinder, new to WJUSD)
- 5. Up to date copy of immunization records (for incoming Transitional Kindergarten, and kindergarten students, or new to WJUSD)



Science and Technology Academy Application for Admission

Student Name	Grade in 202	Grade in 2024 - 2025		
Home Address	Mailing Address			
City	Zip code			
DOB	Gender_			
Parent/Legal Guardian information	on			
Name	Relationship			
Address if different				
Home Phone	Cell Phone			
Email address				
	Relationship			
Address if different				
Home Phone	Cell Phone			
Email address				
Last School Attended:	City	State		
Is your child currently enrolled in If yes, please circle all that apply Other	n any special programs? Yes : GATE IEP 504 plan (If your student receives IEP or 5	No ELD		
	r application) ed from another school or district? and which District	Yes No		
Parent/Guardian Signature				

Office use only		
Date Received	Application Complete	Criteria Priority:

BEHAVIORAL EXPECTATIONS

Each family that becomes a part of Sci-Tech is required to sign the following Family Agreement, which outlines behavioral expectations, academic expectations, and mutual assurances.

Science and Technology Academy - Family Agreement

Here at the Science and Technology Academy at Knights Landing, we believe that in order for our students to reach their full potential; families, students and school staff must work together as partners. Therefore, we agree to the following:

As a student I will:

- Believe that I can, and will, learn.
- Read outside of school.
- Behave respectfully, responsibly, and safely as I participate in school.
- Complete my homework and turn in assignments on time.
- Know and follow the school and class rules.
- Follow the school's dress code.
- Regularly talk to my parents and my teachers about my progress in school.
- Respect my school, classmates, staff, and family.
- Ask for help when I need it.
- Always strive to do my best.

Student signature	

As a parent/guardian or family member I will:

- Make School Attendance a Priority for our Family:
- Send my child to school ready to learn: fed, rested and dressed for the day!
- Make sure that my child attends school every day, unless they are ill.
- I will not schedule extended weekends or vacations that will cause my child to miss school.
- Contact the school office for any missed school: (530) 735-6435
- Contact my child's teacher to arrange make-up for missed assignments.

2. Communicate:

- Talk to my child's teacher when I have questions or concerns.
- Attend each of my child's parent teacher conferences.
- Talk to my child regularly about his or her school day.
- Make sure that my child reads every day.
- Ask to see his or her planner and flyers sent home every day.

Check Seesaw on a daily basis.

3. Help My Child be a Successful Student at Sci-Tech:

- Make sure my child's homework is completed and ready to turn in.
- Support the school's rules and dress code.
- Monitor my child's progress in school.
- Participate in my child's school events such as Open House and Back-to School Night.

4. Make School Events a Priority for our Family:

- I understand that volunteering and attending school events are not required, but I
 am encouraged by the staff to attend as I am able.
- I am encouraged to support my child by participating in classroom events and projects as I am able.

5. Respect:

 Make it a priority to show respect to the school, as well as the staff, classmates, students, and families of Sci-Tech.

Family	member	signature	
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As a teacher I will:

- Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction.
- Communicate high expectations for every student.
- Inspire my students to learn.
- Participate in professional development opportunities that improve teaching and learning and support the formation of partnerships with families and the community.
- Enforce rules equitably and involve students in creating a warm and caring learning environment in the class.
- Communicate regularly with families about their child's progress in school.
- Provide assistance to families on what they can do to support their child's learning.
- Respect the school, staff, students, and families of Sci-Tech.

Teacher signature	
We make a commitment to work together	to carry out this agreement.
Signed on this day	of, 20

Science and Technology Academy Parent Assurances

Please take time to read over the following statements and initial and date each item.

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I understand that it is important to attend back to school night and all parent conferences.	Initials	Date
I understand that students are held accountable to the state standards of achievement, and I also understand my child may be required to participate in additional academic interventions if he/she is not meeting the state standards.	Initials	Date
I understand that my child is required to be at school every day, on time, and stay for the entire school day. I understand that my child's absences may only be excused in accordance with WJUSD board policy.	Initials	Date
I have read and support the student behavior contract and expectations. I understand that my child will be held accountable for his/her behavior. Students may be disenrolled in accordance of Sci-Tech's behavior plan.	Initials	Date
I will support the policies that govern the Science and Technology Academy at Knights Landing.	Initials	Date

Science and Technology Academy Student Behavior Plan

As a charter school of choice, parents select our campus knowing positive student behavior is an integral component of our school.

Sci-Tech KL holds high student behavior expectations to sustain a climate of academic focus and success.

Patterns of chronic or severe student behavior that may result in enrollment at Sci-Tech KL being jeopardized include:

- Two or more office referrals in a given four week period
- One or more home suspensions at any time for a Class 1 offense per Ed. Code 48900, including but not limited to fighting, weapon/dangerous objects use or possession, controlled substances use or possession, robbery/extortion
- Two or more home suspensions at any time for a Class 2 offense per Ed. Code 48900 including but not limited to property damage, defiance/disruption, harassment
- Any combination of the above

Parents will be notified in writing should their child's behavior escalate to any of these levels and the case will be forwarded to the Governance Committee. Parents will be informed in writing of the committee's decision.