



APPLICATION — 2018-2019

Entering into Grade 6 Grade 7 Grade 8

For Office Use Only - Application Number: _____ **Date Received** ____/____/____

PART I

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION (To be filled out by applicant's parent/guardian or school personnel)

Student's Name _____, _____
LAST NAME FIRST NAME M.I.

Student's NYC Office of Student Information Services (OSIS) Number: _____
Contact your child's teacher/school to obtain this 9 digit number.

Parent Name: _____

Please Print

Home Address _____
Building Number Street
City State Zip

Home Telephone: _____ Cell Telephone: _____

Email Address: _____

Gender: _____ Male _____ Female Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Current School _____ District _____

Mobility Status (Any Unique Needs): _____

Does student have an Individualized Education Plan (IEP) _____ if so, what are his/her needs?

Current School's Phone Number: _____ Fax: _____

Current Principal's Name: _____

Current Homeroom Teacher's Name: _____

Name: _____

PART II (To be filled out by school personnel only)

STANDARDIZED TEST SCORES, ATTENDANCE, and DISCIPLINE HISTORY

Include two years of test scores, attendance data, and discipline data relevant to grade level of student applying. (Eg: If applying for Grade 6 include scores from grades 3 & 4. If applying for Grade 7, include scores for grades 4 & 5. If applying for Grade 8, include scores for grades 5 & 6.)

In school year 2017-18, the applicant was in Grade: _____
NYS ELA Reading Performance Level _____ Scale Score _____
NYS Math Performance Level _____ Scale Score _____
Of Days Absent _____ Late _____

Explain reason(s) for absence(s) and/or lateness in excess of 10 days or more: _____

Disciplinary Incidents/Suspensions:

In school year 2016-17, the applicant was in Grade: _____
NYS Reading Performance Level _____ Scale Score _____
NYS Math Performance Level _____ Scale Score _____
of Days Absent _____ Late _____

Explain reason(s) for absence(s) and/or lateness in excess of 10 days or more: _____

Disciplinary Incidents/Suspensions:

STATEMENT OF DATA AUTHENTICITY:

MUST BE COMPLETED AND SIGNED BY AN AUTHORIZED SCHOOL OFFICIAL.

We attest that the data in Part II (above) is accurate and authentic.

Name of Person Completing this form

_____ Date ___/___/___
Print Name Signature

Title of Person Completing this form: _____

Contact Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Name: _____

PART III (To be filled out by applicant)

INTERESTS AND STRENGTHS

1. What is your favorite subject and why? (Provide at least three supportive details.)

2. Which subject do you feel is your strongest and explain why? (Provide at least two supportive details.)

3. What special honors and awards have you received? (Not necessarily academic)

4. Community Service

A. What school or community service events or organizations have you been involved with?
(Graffiti Removal, Park Clean Up, Student Council, etc.)

B. What school or community service events or organizations would you like to participate in?
(Graffiti Removal, Park Clean Up, Student Council, etc.)

Name: _____

6. Describe Your Computer/Technology Use (Check any that apply.)

I use the Internet for enjoyment only: _____

I use the Internet for schoolwork at home and in school on a regular basis: _____

I use the Internet at home or the library: _____

I use the Internet in school: _____

7. The Arts and Sports

A. Musical Ability/Interest (List any instrument that you have learned or would like to learn how to play):

B. Dance Ability/Interest. (List any dance instruction you have received or indicate an interest in receiving dance instruction.)

C. Choral (Singing): (List any singing experience or desire to be in chorus.)

D. Visual Arts (Sculpting, Painting, etc.): (List any experience/instruction you have had in this category or indicate desire to learn.)

E. Sports (Baseball, Soccer, Fencing, Tennis, Basketball, Double Dutch, and Step etc.) (List any organized instruction or participation.)

8. Describe any experiences that you have had performing in front of a large audience:

(Example: Drama, speech, choir, demonstration, chorus, band, recital, dance, or interpretive dance etc.)

Child's Name: _____

PART IV

TEACHER RECOMMENDATION: MUST BE COMPLETED BY A CURRENT TEACHER

Please describe this student's potential as a candidate for the Waterside School for Leadership.

In making the following ratings and comments, please keep in mind that they will be used to compare this student with his/her class. Please complete the checklist and the optional narrative portion of this form.

Checklist

	Below Average	Average	Good (Above Average)	Excellent (top 15% this year)	Outstanding (top 5% this year)	One of the top few I have ever encountered this year	No basis for judgment
Academic Motivation							
Academic Creativity							
Academic Self-Discipline							
Academic Growth Potential							
Leadership							
Self-confidence							
Warmth of Personality							
Sense of Humor							
Concern of Others							
Emotional Maturity							
Personal Initiative							
Reaction to Setbacks							
Respect for Peers							
Respect for Faculty							

If you checked below average or outstanding in any of the categories above, please explain:

Narrative (Optional): If you wish, please use the lines below to provide additional information about this scholar. Be certain to include any talents that this student may have as well as a record of his/ her behavior or character. You may wish to describe how he or she contributed to your classroom community.

Name of Teacher

Print

Signature

Date ___ / ___ / ___

Name: _____

PART V

PARENT STATEMENT: Please complete the following supporting your child's candidacy for this program. (If you attach additional paper, please indicate your child's name.)

1. Why do you think your child would be a good candidate for the Waterside School for Leadership?

2. What is your vision for your child's future? How do you see yourself supporting him or her to achieve that vision?

If my child is chosen for Waterside school for Leadership, I understand that my commitment to the school is critical. I understand that parent participation is not an option but a requirement. I understand that:

- I am required to attend Waterside's Parent Orientation, or to send a parent representative.
- I am required to and agree to attend a minimum of four (4) Parent Teacher Association Meetings.
- I am required to and agree to attend Parent/Teacher conferences.
- I must support my child in completing homework, projects and other graded assignments.
- I must ensure that my child has excellent attendance (*barring any health concerns*) and arrives to school on time.

Print Parent/ Guardian Name

Parent/ Guardian Signature

Date ___/___/___

Name: _____

**PART VI
CHECKLIST**

Please check each item to ensure that the application is completed in its entirety and that you have obtained all required signatures from school personnel. Incomplete applications will not be processed.

_____ **Part I Biographical Data:**

(Completed by an authorized school official or guardian)

_____ **Part II Academic, Attendance, and Disciplinary History:**

(Completed by an authorized school official and signed)

_____ **Part III Student Applicant Interests, Experience:**

(Completed by applicant)

_____ **Part IV Teacher Recommendation:**

(Completed by teacher and signed)

_____ **Part V Parent Statement:**

(Completed by parent and signed)

_____ I have enclosed a photocopy of my child's most recent report card.

_____ I understand that my child's disciplinary records may be reviewed.

_____ I understand that application to this program does not guarantee acceptance.

_____ I understand that my child's former teachers/administrators may be contacted for reference.

_____ I have made and stored a copy of this application in a safe place.

_____ I understand that my child may be contacted for an interview after review of this application.

I agree to the terms of this application.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

DATE

APPLICANT SIGNATURE

DATE

**All applications must be returned to Waterside School for Leadership ASAP.
Waterside School for Leadership
1-90 Beach 110th Street (Rm. 301)
Rockaway Park, NY 11694**