

Lakeside High School
“Summer Vikings” Bridge Program
Application

Name: _____

Last name

First name

Middle name/initial

Address: _____

Street Name

City

State

Zip Code

Parents/Guardians: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

In case of emergency, contact: _____ Phone: _____

Please list below any known allergies, and or, medical conditions that the school should be aware.

Student Signature

Parent Signature

Signatures indicate you understand the rules and procedures associated with summer bridge program and that you have read the rules and regulations governing the program.

Applicant: Do not write below this line

Office use only (Completed by Title I Coordinator)

Student Status: IDEA _____ ELL _____ If student is identified as IDEA or ELL, the classroom accommodations must be listed below and samples of accommodations attached: (Use back of form if necessary)

Accommodations:

Teacher Recommendation

Principal or Counselor

Dear Parent/Guardian:

We are very excited that your child has been offered an opportunity to attend our “*Summer Vikings*” Summer Bridge Program for rising 9th graders at Lakeside High School. This program is made possible through Title I funding awarded to schools within the DeKalb County School District

“*Summer Vikings*” is designed to help students make a smooth transition from middle school to high school, both academically and socially. While some students are prepared to meet the rigors of high school, research shows that many incoming freshmen are ill-prepared for high school and that more students fail 9th grade than any other grade level. It is also clear that if a student falls behind academically in 9th grade, that student is less likely to complete high school. Lakeside High School is committed to student success and believes that a solid freshman foundation will ultimately lead to academic and personal success throughout high school and beyond.

The goals of “*Summer Vikings*” are:

- To orient students to the high school facility and provide opportunities for students to begin building relationships with their freshmen teachers, counselors, administrators, and peers.
- To provide spirited and high-energy lessons that preview the 9th grade curriculum in English, math, science, social studies, fine arts, and our CTAE program, while embedding study skills and high school performance standards.
- To introduce students to college and career information through a variety of activities, including completion of goal setting and creating vision boards.

The program will run from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. from Monday, June 11-Thursday, June 14, 2018. Breakfast and lunch will be provided as well as school bus transportation with designated pick-up and drop-off locations. If you want your child to receive maximum benefits during the four day “*Summer Vikings*” program, we must work together to ensure attendance and a high level of involvement. Attendance is mandatory throughout the program. All in all, commitment to the program is essential. The DeKalb County School District Code of Student Conduct, as well as any other school rules, will be enforced while students are participating in any of the “*Summer Vikings*” activities.

Registration for “*Summer Vikings*” can be returned by:

Email: [LaMonica Tellis@dekalbschoolsga.org](mailto:LaMonica_Tellis@dekalbschoolsga.org) or [Jennifer Mason@dekalbschoolsga.org](mailto:Jennifer_Mason@dekalbschoolsga.org)

Fax: 678-874-6710

Mail: 3801 Briarcliff Rd., NE Atlanta, GA 30345

Main Office: Summer Bridge Box

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 1, 2018

There will be a box in the main office of LHS where you may leave the registration form. For more information about registration or any questions about the program, contact Ms. LaMonica Tellis or Ms. Jennifer Mason at 678-874-6718 or 678-874-6717.

We look forward to meeting your child and getting him or her off to a positive start at Lakeside High School.

Sincerely,

Mr. Damian Bounds, Principal

Lakeside High School