

The Board of Trustees for School District 132 will provide the opportunity for selected high school students to enroll in courses at Albertson College of Idaho for the purpose of enrichment.

The enrichment program is an adjunct to the gifted and talented program which is offered for students in lower grades. Students who exhibit exceptionally high academic performance are encouraged to take advantage of the opportunities provided in these classes. Students need not be identified as gifted and talented to participate. However, they must exhibit exceptionally high academic performance in their high school subjects to receive consideration.

Students will be permitted to enroll in any Albertson College of Idaho course, on a space available basis, provided the class does not duplicate one offered at Caldwell Senior High School. Determination concerning the duplication of courses will result from a review of course content by the high school principal and /or his designee. By agreement between Albertson College of Idaho and the Caldwell School District, extended education tuition rates will apply to college courses undertaken by high school students. The tuition costs will be shared equally, half being paid by the student and half by the Caldwell School District. Students who are not part of the enrichment program may enroll for any college level courses at Albertson College of Idaho or other institutions at their own expense if the college will accept them into their program and if the student can arrange their high school schedule to accommodate such enrollment.

The courses taken in this program are for the purpose of enrichment. High school credit can not be awarded.

Counselors will make students aware of the program and provide information to individual students who express an interest in the program. Students must submit an application to a counselor who will present it to a screening committee composed of the appropriate high school department chairperson, principal and counselors. The screening committee shall consider each student's application based on the following criteria:

1. Staff recommendation:
 - A. Demonstrated interest in specific subjects at a level that is unavailable at the high school.
 - B. Expressed desire to explore and experience learning in subject matter not included in the high school curriculum.
 - C. Personal adjustment deemed to be in the best interest of the student.
2. Grade point average, grades in specific subjects and standard test scores.
3. School citizenship.

4. Seniors shall be considered as primary candidates. Juniors shall be considered as secondary candidates.

The total number of participants during any one semester shall not exceed two (2) percent of the senior class. EXCEPTION: Percent may be adjusted in accordance with the annual school district budget and funds available.



Exhibit 604 Application for Enrichment Program
Exhibit 604 a Faculty Recommendation for Enrichment Program

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