

Vanderbilt Summer Academy

PAPER ADMISSION APPLICATION

Please type or print in blue or black ink.

Applicant's name

Last

First

Middle

Preferred name

Date of birth ____/____/____ Gender ____ Current grade (School year 2018/2019) 6th 7th 8th 9th 10th 11th
Month Day Year

Race/Ethnicity (optional) Asian African American/Black Hispanic Middle Eastern/North African Multiracial
 Native American Pacific Islander White Other

Mailing address

Number and street, or box

City, State, ZIP

Home telephone () _____ Applicant email _____

Applicant cellphone () _____

Are you applying for financial aid? Yes No

If yes, you may enclose a completed financial aid application at this time, or when you have gathered all supporting documents.

You may apply for financial aid at any point in the application process.

For rising seventh-grade applicants only: Did you apply for financial aid through your Career Connections application? ____ YES ____ NO

If yes, your previous financial aid application will be applied to VSA, and no further financial aid application is required.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Primary Contact:

First

Last

Relationship to Student

()

Email Address

Preferred Phone #

Secondary Contact:

First

Last

Relationship to Student

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Email Address

Preferred Phone #

We will send most VSA correspondence via email, including admissions notices, to student and primary contact emails. Please ensure that email addresses are accurate and legible.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

T-shirt size (Adult sizes) Small Medium Large Extra large 2XL

How did you hear about Vanderbilt Summer Academy?

I am a returning student Catalog Mailing Teacher School Counselor Web Search Postcard Friend Open House

E-Newsletter Vanderbilt Publication Duke TIP Social Media Parent Magazine Other: _____

2019 APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED BEGINNING FEBRUARY 6, 2019
APPLICATION PRIORITY WINDOW: NOON, FEBRUARY 6–NOON, FEBRUARY 13
APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED UNTIL ALL COURSES ARE FILLED.

Session I: June 9–14, 2019 • Session II: June 16–28, 2019 • Session III: July 7–26, 2019

Send completed application to:

Vanderbilt Summer Academy Admissions

PMB 506 • 230 Appleton Place • Nashville, TN 37203-5721

(615) 322-8261 • pty.vanderbilt.edu

Online application available on PTY website.

COURSE INFORMATION

Please rank your course choices in order of preference. You may rank as many choices as interest you. We will place you in your highest ranked classes based on available openings. **Rank only those classes that you are willing to take.** A nonrefundable 10 percent tuition deposit will be required to hold the course placement for the admitted student.

Session I: June 9–14, 2019 (Rising 7th and 8th graders)	Session II: June 16–28, 2019 (Rising 9th and 10th graders)	Session III: July 7–26, 2019 (Rising 11th and 12th graders)
<input type="checkbox"/> Aerospace Engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> Agents of Change or Hot Rhetoric	<input type="checkbox"/> The Bard in 2019
<input type="checkbox"/> Behavioral Economics	<input type="checkbox"/> Astrophysics	<input type="checkbox"/> Computational Thinking, Programming, and Agent-based Modeling
<input type="checkbox"/> Conservation Paleobiology	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>The Avengers Meet the Hero with a Thousand Faces</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Geology in the Twenty-first Century
<input type="checkbox"/> Is Green Energy the Answer?	<input type="checkbox"/> Destabilizing History	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold, God, and Glory in the Making of the Modern World
<input type="checkbox"/> Math and Music	<input type="checkbox"/> Fantasy Fiction Writing	<input type="checkbox"/> Le Voyage Imaginaire
<input type="checkbox"/> Neuroscience and Music	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold, God, and Glory in the Making of the Modern World	<input type="checkbox"/> Med School 101*
<input type="checkbox"/> Philosophy of Law	<input type="checkbox"/> Mapping Mentalities	<input type="checkbox"/> Microscopy of Nanomaterials*
<input type="checkbox"/> Rhetorical Advocacy and Criticism	<input type="checkbox"/> Math and Music	<input type="checkbox"/> Perfect Shuffles, Permutations, and Decimal Expansions
<input type="checkbox"/> The Science and Ethics of Genome Editing	<input type="checkbox"/> Nanoscience and Engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> Policy Making and Quantitative Analysis
<input type="checkbox"/> Sensors and Big Data Analysis	<input type="checkbox"/> Philosophy of Law	<input type="checkbox"/> Rhetorical Advocacy and Criticism
<input type="checkbox"/> Stellar Astronomy	<input type="checkbox"/> Policy Making and Quantitative Analysis	<input type="checkbox"/> Sensors and Big Data analysis
<input type="checkbox"/> Writing Poetry and Free Verse	<input type="checkbox"/> Strengths and Structures of Engineering Materials	<input type="checkbox"/> Treating the Whole Person
		<input type="checkbox"/> Writing Short Stories

*Course requires additional application information and/or prerequisites. See description in catalog for specific additional application components.

Check if interested in applying for the VINSE Scholarship for Session II: Nanoscience and Engineering. See page 23 for more information. Additional application materials will be sent after VSA application submission.

SCHOOL INFORMATION

School name _____

City/State _____

QUALIFYING OPTIONS

Students may qualify for VSA in multiple ways. Please submit either a copy of your SAT/ACT/PSAT scores or a portfolio along with your application. See page 9 for more information.

Test scores—based on the grade in which the student took the test.				Portfolio
Grade	Old SAT	New SAT	ACT	
7th Grade	500M or R	26M or 27 R	20M or R	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Most recent test scores on a nationally-normed, grade level test (ERB, Terra Nova, SAT-10, etc.) or cognitive ability test • School transcript • Two teacher recommendation forms (email request available on website under “Forms and Documents”) • Sample of relevant course work
8th Grade	550M or R	28M or 30 R	22M or R	
9th Grade	590M or R	30M or 32 R	25M or R	
10th Grade	620M or R	32M or 33 R	27M or R	
11th Grade	670M or R	35M or 35 R	29M or R	

*Rising 7th-grade applicants may qualify with either qualification method, but a portfolio is most common. Call our office with questions about rising 7th-grade eligibility.

Please read, sign, and date the following certification. We certify that all statements and supporting documents submitted in the application process are truthful, accurate, and complete. We also agree that the intentional submission of false or misleading statements or supporting documents constitutes cause for denial of admission or dismissal from the program.

Signature of parent or legal guardian _____

Date _____

Signature of applicant _____

Date _____

VSA is committed to principles of equal opportunity and does not discriminate on the basis of race, ethnicity, religion, sexual orientation, gender, or gender identity.

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APPLICATION STATEMENT

Student's name

In 200–300 words, please tell us why you think VSA would be a good fit for you. What contributions would you make to the VSA community, and what do you hope to get out of your VSA experience?

You may use a separate sheet of paper, if needed.

Note: Please speak freely. We use this statement to learn more about you. Your comments may be shared with VSA faculty and staff.

I hereby certify that the words and ideas above are my own.

Signature

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