



SOUTHWEST CAREER & TECHNICAL ACADEMY STUDENT COUNCIL

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Welcome to SWCTA!

In August 2015 the Southwest Career and Technical Academy will be adding approximately 350 new students from across the valley. It is our goal at SWCTA to create a warm, welcoming environment that allows each student to feel at home. The Student Council program at SWCTA is integral in creating a positive school environment, facilitating excellent student activities and establishing traditions that will persevere through the years to come.

Student Council is more than planning fun events and making banners. At Southwest Career and Technical Academy, Student Council is a way of life. Student Council teaches its members valuable life skills that will be useful beyond high school. The Student Council class is an elective class on a student's schedule. The Student Council curriculum will be centered on service learning and the National Association of Student Councils (www.nasc.us) Certified Student Leader standards. SWCTA Student Council members will have the opportunity to be nationally recognized as NASC Certified Student Leaders, an honor that is recorded on a student's transcript for colleges and universities to see.

If the description above interests you, then Southwest Career and Technical Academy Student Council is where you need to be.

For freshmen, membership in Student Council will be by application only. To become a member of the organization, please complete the included application and return to the school. Time is of the essence; applications are due **May 8th. Late applications will not be considered. Interviews will take place on Monday 5/18/15, Tuesday 5/19/15 and Wednesday 5/20/15.**

We look forward to meeting each of you and know we will have an awesome school year.

Sincerely,

Miriya Julian

Miriya Julian
SWCTA
2015-2016 Student Council Advisor

Rachel Martínez

Rachel Martinez
SWCTA
2015-2016 Student Body President

Application for Student Council

Timeline for Applications/Selection:

May 8th DELIVERED/FAXED/EMAILED applications DUE

May 18th-20th interviews of students

May 21st students notified of selection/non-selection

May 26th Parent Night for 2015-2016 Student Council members

Student Information

Student Name: _____ Student Id #: _____

Program Area: _____

Current Middle School: _____

Home Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Parent/Guardian Information

Parent Name(s): _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone (optional): _____

I have read the above timeline and give permission for my student to participate in the application process. Furthermore, I understand that Student Council is more than a class and may at times require my son/daughter to stay after school or attend weekend functions with his/her own transportation.

Student Signature _____ Date

Parent Signature _____ Date

APPLICATIONS ARE DUE MAY 8th 2015

Deliver to: Southwest Career and Technical Academy ATTN Mrs. Julian

Fax to: 799-5751 ATTN Mrs. Julian

Email to: mcjulian@interact.ccsd.net

PLEASE SCHEDULE YOUR STUDENT INTERVIEW. INTERVIEWS WILL TAKE PLACE IN THE FRONT OFFICE AT SWCTA ON MONDAY 5/18/15, TUESDAY 5/19/15, OR WEDNESDAY 5/20/15. ALL INTERVIEWS WILL TAKE PLACE IN A GROUP SETTING AND WILL TAKE UP TO 45 MINUTES.

PLEASE INDICATE WHEN YOU WILL ARRIVE FOR YOUR INTERVIEW:

Monday 5/18/15 at 3pm Tuesday 5/19/15 at 3pm Wednesday 5/20/15 at 3pm
 Monday 5/18/15 at 4pm Tuesday 5/19/15 at 4pm Wednesday 5/20/15 at 4pm
 Monday 5/18/15 at 5pm Tuesday 5/19/15 at 5pm

Please answer the following questions. Please use complete sentences and be thorough in your response. If you would prefer to write your answers, you may print out the form and hand write your answers in the space provided.

1. What leadership experiences have you had that would make you a qualified Student Council member?

2. Describe a time when you felt like a leader, what were the circumstances?

3. What is your definition of Leadership? Explain.

4. How does the definition you wrote above apply to you? Explain.

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