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Requested documents for enrollment:

From parents/ De padres:

- Proof of Age (i.e. Birth Certificate) | *Prueba de edad* (i.e. *Acta de Nacimiento*)
 - Immunization Card | *Tarjeta de vacunación*
- Parent/Guardian Identification | *Identificación de los padres/tutor*
 - Proof of Residency | *Comprobante de domicilio*

Documents requested from current/previous school |

Documentos solicitados de la escuela actual/anterior:

This information does not affect nor is it required for enrollment |

Esta información no afecta ni es necesaria para la inscripción.

- Report Card | *Boleta de calificaciones*
- Attendance Record | *Registro de asistencia*
- Disciplinary Record | *Expediente Disciplinario*

(If the student does not have any disciplinary records, please request a letter from the school stating so |

Si el estudiante no tiene antecedentes disciplinarios, solicite una carta de la escuela que así lo indique.)

- State Testing Scores (3rd-8th graders) | *Puntajes de las pruebas estatales (3. ° a 8. ° grado)*
 - Special Education Documents | *Documentos de educación especial*
- Custody Court Documentation / *Documentación del Tribunal de Custodia*



CHAMPION SCHOOLS

WHERE ACADEMICS MEETS ATHLETICS

South Mountain

Free K-8th Grade Charter School (Fit Kids, Inc.)

Monday-Thursday 8:00am-3:30pm; Friday 8:00am-12:00pm

Before Care: 6:30am-7:30am- \$20.00 per week per student.
Sign up at championsouthmountain.org; Enrollment>Before Care

After School Tutoring: Math & Reading (Must be referred by teacher)

Free Breakfast and Lunch (Title 1 School)

School Uniform Dress Code: Uniforms must be purchased at championsouthmountain.org

Clear/Mesh Backpack Policy

Free Bus Transportation

Daily Workout Class

Varsity Level Sports:

- Girls Volleyball
- 7on7 Football
- Tackle Football
- Girls Basketball
- Boys Basketball
- Co-Ed Track & Field

Take a virtual tour
on our website!

Junior Varsity Level

- Soccer
- Cheerleading
- Volleyball
- Kickball
- Basketball
- Flag Football

All Champion School students are required to play sports.

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THE LINK BETWEEN ATHLETICS AND ACADEMICS

For any child to achieve their highest potential, you need to address both a child's mind and body. The ability for academic learning and higher-level cognitive skills is directly related to a child's core strength and sensory-motor skills development. We believe for students to achieve their highest cognitive potential; their core strength and sensory-motor foundations must be strong and fully developed.

- Champion Schools provides 180-220 minutes per week of CORE strengthening exercises, bilateral coordination, balance, upper-limb coordination, running speed, and agility to ALL students.
- 150 minutes per week of multiple After School K-3 and Junior Varsity Sports Activities: Soccer, Kickball, Cheerleading, Volleyball, Basketball, and Flag Football. All students qualify to play.
- 480-580 minutes per week of Varsity Competitive Sports: Flag Football, Basketball, Volleyball, and Track. Students must qualify to play.

ATHLETIC REQUIREMENTS FOR CHAMPION STUDENTS

Mandatory Sport Requirement: It is mandatory at Champion Schools that every student must participate in a sport during the school year. Students in Kindergarten -3. grade are required to participate in one sport during the two terms. (Fall or Winter). Students in 4. -8. Grade are required to participate in 2 sports during the three terms. (Fall, Winter, Spring)

The Difference between Varsity & Junior Varsity: Only 5. -8. grade students are allowed to try-out for our Varsity Teams. Varsity is a much more rigorous time schedule, and the program is designed for the more advanced athletes. Varsity teams will play in the Canyon Athletic Association (CAA). Junior Varsity is broken up between two grade groups. K-3. division and 4. -8. division. JV is used to improve student skills and knowledge of sports, preparing them for the varsity teams in the future.

Parent/Guardian Signature | Firma de padre/tutor

Date/Fecha

Student Signature | Firma de estudiante

Date/Fecha



EL VÍNCULO ENTRE EL ATLETISMO Y LA ACADÉMICA

Para que cualquier niño alcance su máximo potencial, debe abordar tanto la mente como el cuerpo del niño. La capacidad para el aprendizaje académico y las habilidades cognitivas de alto nivel están directamente relacionadas con la fortaleza central del niño y el desarrollo de habilidades sensoriomotoras. Creemos que los estudiantes alcancen su máximo potencial cognitivo; su fuerza central y sus bases sensoriales y motrices deben ser sólidas y estar completamente desarrolladas.

- Champion Schools brinda de 180 a 220 minutos por semana de ejercicios de fortalecimiento BÁSICOS, coordinación bilateral, equilibrio, coordinación de las extremidades superiores, velocidad de carrera y agilidad para TODOS los estudiantes.
- 150 minutos por semana de múltiples actividades deportivas después de la escuela K-3 y Junior Varsity: fútbol, kickball, porristas, voleibol, baloncesto y fútbol de bandera. Todos los estudiantes califican para jugar.
- 480-580 minutos por semana de deportes competitivos universitarios: fútbol de bandera, baloncesto, voleibol y atletismo. Los estudiantes deben calificar para jugar.

REQUISITOS DEPORTIVOS PARA ESTUDIANTES CAMPEONES

Requisito deportivo obligatorio: Es obligatorio en las Escuelas Champion que todos los estudiantes participen en un deporte durante el año escolar. Se requiere que los estudiantes de jardín de infantes a tercer grado participen en un deporte durante los dos períodos. (Otoño o Invierno). Se requiere que los estudiantes de 4° a 8° grado participen en 2 deportes durante los tres períodos. (Otoño, Invierno, Primavera)

La diferencia entre Varsity y Junior Varsity: Solo los estudiantes de 5.º a 8.º grado pueden probar para nuestros equipos Varsity. Varsity es un programa de tiempo mucho más riguroso y el programa está diseñado para los atletas más avanzados. Los equipos Varsity jugarán en la Canyon Athletic Association (CAA). Junior Varsity se divide en dos grupos de grado. K-3ª división y 4ª -8ª división. JV se utiliza para mejorar las habilidades de los estudiantes y el conocimiento de los deportes, preparándolos para los equipos universitarios en el futuro.

Firma de padre/tutor

Fecha

Firma de estudiante

Fecha



Cell Phone Policy

Please review and discuss with your student the Champion Student Cell Phone and/or any other Communication Device Policy for the safety and accountability of all students. Cell phones are to remain in the off position and in backpacks or in the teacher designated area during the School Day. Additionally, cell phones may not be used while on campus. We have school phones available if a student needs to contact a parent/guardian.

-Revise y discuta con su estudiante el telefono celular Champion estudiante y/o cualquier otra politica de dispositivos de comunicacion para la seguridad y la responsabilidad de todos los estudiantes. Los telefonos celulares deben permanecer en la posicion de apagado y en las mochilas o en el area designada por el maestro durante el dia escolar. Ademas, los telefonos celulares no pueden usarse mientras se encuentre en el campus. Tenemos telefonos escolares disponibles si un estudiante necesita contactar a un padre/tutor.

1st Offense: Cell phone confiscated, and parent must pick it up in the office. Student will be assigned 30 minutes of Campus Community Service.

1^{ra} ofensa: Telefono celular sera confiscado y los padres deben recogerlo en la oficina. Al estudiante se le asignara 30 minutos de servicio comunitario en el campus.

2nd Offense: Cell Phone confiscated, and student will receive a 1 day in school suspension.

2^{da} ofensa: Telefono celular confiscado, y el estudiante recibira 1 de suspension en la escuela.

3rd Offense: Parent and Student will meet with administration to discuss further action.

3^{ra} ofensa: El padre y el estudiante se reuniran con la administracion para discutir acciones adicionales.

Student Name / Nombre de Estudiante

Grade / Grado

Student Signature / Firma de Estudiante

I understand that if my son or daughter uses the cell phone in a way not specified in the policy that he or she may face disciplinary actions and the cell phone will be confiscated.

Entiendo que si mi hijo/a usa el telefono celular de una manera no especificada en la politica, el o ella pueden enfrentar acciones disciplinarias y el telefono celular sera confiscado.

Parent Name / Nombre de Padre

Parent Signature / Firma de Padre

Date / Fecha



Champion Schools-Student-Family Accountability Contract

When you joined the Champion Schools Community, you joined a team. The goal of this team is getting our students/children the education they deserve. To achieve our goal, we must work together. We all need to have a full and clear understanding of the responsibilities of the members of this team. By signing this Student-Family Accountability Contract it means you have reviewed the Champion Schools Student and Parent Handbook and have a clear understanding and acceptance of the procedures and policies within it.

Cuando te uniste a la Comunidad de Champion Schools, te uniste a un equipo. El objetivo de este equipo es que nuestros estudiantes/hijos reciban la educacion que se merecen. Para lograr nuestro objetivo, debemos trabajar juntos. Todos necesitamos tener una comprension complete y clara de las responsabilidades de los miembros de este equipo. Al firmar este Contrato de Responsabilidad de Estudiantes y Familias, significa que ha revisado el Manual de Padres y Estudiantes de Champion Schools y tengo un claro entendimiento y aceptacion de los procedimientos y politicas dentro de el.

**The Champion Schools Student and Parent Handbook can be accessed online at championsouthmountain.org/home by selecting the About (tab) on the main menu bar and then selecting Handbook.*

Parent Name

Date

Parent Signature

Student Name

Date

Student Signature



Clear Backpack Policy

In an effort to improve the safety measures currently in place, Champion Schools requires all students to use clear backpacks. Students participating in varsity sports, are permitted to carry non-transparent bags to store their items, such bags will need to remain in the coach's offices in the gym. If your student's backpack rips, a one-week grace period will be given to replace the backpack.

By signing below, you acknowledge that you understand our clear backpack policy.

En un esfuerzo por mejorar las medidas de seguridad actualmente vigentes, Champion Schools require que todos los estudiantes usen mochilas transparentes. Los estudiantes que participan en deportes varsity pueden traer bolsas que no sean transparentes para mantener sus cosas, tales bolsas deberan permancer en las oficinas de los coaches en el gimnasio. Si la mochila de su estudiante se rompe, se le otorgara un periodo de gracia de una semana para reemplazar la mochila.

Al firmar a continuacion, usted reconoce que comprende nuestra politica clara de mochila.

Student Name/Nombre de estudiante

Student Signature/Firma de estudiante

Date/Fecha

Parent Name/Nombre de padre

Parent Signature/Firma de padre

Date/Fecha



RIGHTS OF HOMELESS STUDENTS

Champion Schools South Mountain shall provide an educational environment that treats all students with dignity and respect. Every homeless student shall have access to the same free and appropriate educational opportunities as students who are not homeless. This commitment to the educational rights of homeless children, youth, and unaccompanied youth, applies to all services, programs, and activities provided or made available.

McKinney-Vento Definition of Homeless **The term “homeless children and youth”— A. means individuals who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence [42 U.S.C. § 11434a(2)]**

A student may be considered eligible for services as a “Homeless Child or Youth” under the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act if he or she is presently living in one of the following situations:

- sharing the housing of other persons due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or a similar reason.
- living in motels, hotels, trailer parks, or camping grounds due to the lack of alternative adequate accommodations.
- living in emergency or transitional shelters; or are abandoned in hospitals,
 - have a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not designed for or ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings,
- living in cars, parks, public spaces, abandoned buildings, substandard housing, bus or train stations, or similar settings, or
- is a migratory child who qualifies as homeless for the purposes of this subtitle because the children are living in circumstances described above.

To remove educational barriers for children and youths experiencing homelessness, the McKinney-Vento Act mandates the following: **Immediate Enrollment:** Documentation and immunization records cannot serve as a barrier to the enrollment in school [42 U.S.C. § 11432(g)(3)(C)].

School Selection and Maintained Enrollment: McKinney Vento eligible students have a right to select from the options outlined below. Students may remain enrolled in their selected schools for the duration of homelessness, and until the end of the academic year upon which they are permanently housed [42 U.S.C. § 11432(g)(3)(A), 42 U.S.C. § 11432(g)(3)(B) and 42 U.S.C. § 11432(g)(3)(I) (i)].



School of Origin	School of Residency
The school the student attended when permanently housed	The school in the attendance area in which the student currently resides
The school in which the student was last enrolled	

Transportation Services: McKinney-Vento eligible students attending their School of Origin have a right to transportation to and from the School of Origin [42 U.S.C. § 11432(g)(1)(J)(iii)].

Participation in Programs: McKinney-Vento eligible students are guaranteed the right to services comparable to services offered to other students in the school [42 U.S.C. § 11432(g) (4) & (6)(iii)].

Unaccompanied Youth Experiencing Homelessness: McKinney-Vento eligible students are guaranteed the right to immediate enrollment without proof of guardianship [42 U.S.C. § 11432(g)(1)(H) (iv)].

Access to Extracurricular Activities: Removal of barriers to accessing academic and extracurricular activities for homeless students who meet relevant eligibility criteria [42 U.S.C. § 11432(g)(1)(F)(iii)].

Dispute Resolution: If you disagree with school officials about enrollment, transportation, or fair treatment of a homeless child or youth, you may file a complaint with the school district [42 U.S.C. § 11432(g) (3)(E)].

Appointment of a Local Homeless Liaison: The McKinney-Vento Act mandates the appointment of a local Homeless Liaison in every school district or local education agency (LEA) to ensure that homeless children and youth are enrolled in and have a full and equal opportunity to succeed in school [42 U.S.C. § 11432(g)(1)(J)(ii) and 2 U.S.C. § 11432(g)(6) (A)].

For more information, refer to [Arizona Department of Education, Homeless Education, 42 USC CHAPTER 119, SUBCHAPTER VI, Part B: Education for Homeless Children and Youths](#), or contact:

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