

September 2, 2016

Dear Academy Student and Parent:

All students in the academy are required to complete one (1) graduation project. Students may choose from a variety of options:

1. Work experience (internship, volunteer, job, etc.)
2. End of year project through a school course
3. Attend a pre-approved summer camp
4. Place 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, or 3<sup>rd</sup> at a science fair outside of DHS
5. A pre-approved independent project

Students will need to:

1. Complete the attached graduation project request form and return to the Academy Coordinator.
2. Complete a portfolio and a poster and present both during the project presentation. Dates will be determined by the academy coordinator.

**Your request will not be reviewed until it is complete.**

A complete request will have no blank spaces and will include the following:

1. Graduation Project Request Form.
2. (For the Work Experience Option ONLY) Acknowledgement of Responsibility and Permission for Student Participation form.

You will be notified of the academy's approval or denial on or before the end of the academic school year.

Sincerely,



Brian Tucker  
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Coordinator, Math and Science Academy