

AIM HIGH - 2008 San Francisco Application:

DUE DATE: April 25th, 2008

NOTIFICATION DATE: Admissions letters mailed by May 10th

PROGRAM DATES: June 30th – August 1st

What is Aim High?

Aim High is a tuition-free, five-week, academic summer school for middle-school students. A typical day includes four classes (English, Math, Science, Issues and Choices), lunch, co-curricular activities and sports.

When is Aim High?

The dates of the 2008 program are: June 30th to August 1st from 8:00AM to 3:15PM Monday through Friday. Students are required to attend every day of the Aim High summer program. Students are eligible to participate in the program for THREE years.

Who should apply to Aim High?

Aim High is for middle-school students who not only want to have fun but also want to challenge themselves. Outdoor activities and field trips are essential parts of Aim High. Homework is required of all Aim High students. Preference is given to students from low-income families and from San Francisco public schools. Students with a range of abilities and talents are accepted into Aim High. Aim High is a free program, with lunch provided.

Where do we mail the Aim High application?

Aim High
P. O. Box 410715
San Francisco, CA 94141-0715
phone: (415) 551-2320

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AIM HIGH Summer Campus Locations

These are the LIKELY locations, but they may change:

San Francisco

- (1.) Aim High @ San Francisco State University; 1600 Holloway Avenue; (Parkmerced)
- (2.) Aim High @ The Urban School; 1563 Page Street (The Haight)
- (3.) Aim High @ Gateway High School; 1430 Scott Street; (Western Addition)
- (4.) Aim High @ Yick Wo Elementary; 2245 Jones Street; (Chinatown/North Beach)
- (5.) Aim High @ San Francisco Community School; 125 Excelsior Ave; (Excelsior)
- (6.) Aim High @ Visitacion Valley Elementary School; 55 Schwerin St; (Visitacion Valley)
- (7.) Aim High @ Lick Wilmerding High School; 755 Ocean Avenue; (Ingleside)

On the application, number your top three choices.

Applications with only one choice will not be considered.

Visit our website at: www.aimhigh.org

AIM HIGH STUDENT APPLICATION STATEMENT

Please read the following statement carefully:

I am very interested in the Aim High summer program. I understand that I am making a commitment to try my hardest and to attend all classes and activities. **If accepted, I will not plan any other events during the dates and times of the summer program (Monday, June 30th - Friday, August 1st).** I understand that there will be homework and that maintaining a positive attitude is necessary for my success in the program. I understand that disruptive and inappropriate behavior will not be tolerated.

Student signature: _____ Print name: _____

Please give the names of two of your teachers:

Name: _____ Subject: _____

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Student Questions (Please PRINT clearly):

(1.) Discuss two activities that you enjoy and why you enjoy them.

(2.) Something I am most proud of is:

(3.) What is an important experience you have had and what did you learn from it?

AIM HIGH FAMILY APPLICATION STATEMENT

Please read the following statement carefully:

I would like my child to participate in the Aim High summer program. If s/he is accepted, I will support my child's efforts. **I understand that daily attendance is required and expected for the entire program (June 30th to August 1st). My child will not miss any days of Aim High. I understand that if my child misses more than one day or Aim High, she/he may be asked to leave the program.** I will attend the required Family Orientation, Back-to-School Night and Celebration Day.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

(1.) Are there ANY conflicts with the dates of the program? (June 30 – August 1): Yes _____ No _____

If yes, please explain: _____

(2.) Why would you like to see your child enrolled in Aim High? Are there any areas of study where your child could use extra help and attention?

(3.) Please list the child's brothers and sisters and their ages: Have any of them attended Aim High?

(4.) What after school activities, teams, organizations, and lessons does your child participate in?

Choose your TOP THREE Aim High Choices

Aim High will be located at seven sites in San Francisco; the following locations are LIKELY, but they may change.

Please list your top 3 choices, by numbering 1,2,3, with 1 as you first choice.

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CHOICE #:

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STUDENT INFORMATION: (Please PRINT clearly)

Name: _____ Male: _____ Female: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____ email: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Date of birth: _____ Place of birth: _____

Current Grade (Circle one): 5 6 7 8 **Current School:** _____

Please list other schools you have attended: _____

FAMILY INFORMATION: (Please PRINT clearly)

With whom does the child live? _____ Relationship to the child? _____

Are parents separated/divorced? YES ____ NO ____

Does child live with step-parent? YES ____ NO ____

What is the highest level of parent/guardian education in your household?

Some high school ____ High school graduate ____ Some college ____ College graduate ____

(1) Parent/Guardian (one name at a time):

Name in full: _____ Relationship to child: _____

Address (if different from applicant): _____

Home telephone: _____ Cell: _____ Work: _____

e-mail: _____ Occupation: _____

(2) Parent/Guardian (one name at a time):

Name in full: _____ Relationship to child: _____

Address (if different from applicant): _____

Home telephone: _____ Cell: _____ Work: _____

e-mail: _____ Occupation: _____

In order to receive funding for Aim High, we **must have** the following information:

(1.) What is the ethnic background of your child (Latino, Chinese, etc.)? _____

(2.) 2007 YEARLY family income: \$ _____

(3.) How many people in the household? _____

(4.) Does your child qualify for free or reduced lunch at his or her school? ____ Yes ____ No

(5.) Language spoken at home (other than English): _____

(6.) **If your child is a San Francisco public school student, what is his/her student identification or HO number found on report cards:** _____