

# Application for the Alachua County Continuing Education for Pregnant/Parenting Teenager (ACCEPT) Program

Located at the Professional Academies Magnet @ Loften High School

## Admission Criteria:

- Less than 19 years of age with an academic standing for on-track or timely graduation
- Submit a completed application to the ACCEPT Program. If you are interested in an academy, speak with the Professional Academies Magnet Guidance Counselor, Ms. Lash, or Assistant Principal, Ms. Allen
- Contact the school guidance counselor at your zoned school to obtain academic materials (Withdraw from your current school after acceptance)

## Requirements to REMAIN in the ACCEPT Program:

- Maintain a minimum unweighted cumulative GPA of 2.0 and no grade lower than a "C" in all academic courses.
- Students must enroll in a 0.5 credit course in Parenting Skills and/or Health for Expectant Parents.
- Demonstrate exemplary conduct with no discipline referrals of Level I or Level II.
- Maintain a good attendance record, meeting attendance criteria established by State and District policy.
- Absences related to pregnancy or parenting are excused with documentation (all coursework must be made up)
- Exhibit a level of maturity and responsibility which will allow the student to take part in the real-life opportunities offered by the ACCEPT Program.

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## Student Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
*Last First Middle Date of Birth Current Age*

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_  
*Street Apt City Zip Code Home/Cell Telephone Number*

Mailing Address (if different from above) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Current Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_

Current School \_\_\_\_\_ Zoned High School \_\_\_\_\_

Last School Attended \_\_\_\_\_ Date Last Attended \_\_\_\_\_

★ What is your expected due date or age of your child? \_\_\_\_\_ (Answer Required)

Do you need Child Care?  Yes  No

Do you need bus transportation?  Yes  No

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## Parent/Guardian Information (If Guardian, please state relationship)

**Mother** \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**Father** \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

# Application for ACCEPT Program

## Please provide the following information:

Tell us about yourself – for example: your interests, work, and/or volunteer experiences, hobbies, clubs, and skills:

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What are three of your personality/character traits? \_\_\_\_\_

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What are your goals? \_\_\_\_\_

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Why do you want to attend the Professional Academies Magnet and (if eligible) which Academy program interests you? (View PAM @ Loften High School Website for more information: <https://www.sbac.edu/domain/6334>)

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★ If you have not attended school for a semester or more, why do you want to re-enroll in school? (Answer Required)

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(Note: This application authorizes the PAM @ Loften Administration to access the student's school records.)

## STUDENT AND PARENT/GUARDIAN AGREEMENTS

If I am accepted by the Professional Academies Magnet, I will enroll in the required academic/academy courses. I understand that I must abide by the requirements listed below and on the front of this application in order to remain in the program. Failure to meet these requirements will result in being reassigned and returning to my zoned school.

- Grades – Maintain a minimum grade point average of 2.0 in my academic/academy courses and in my cumulative grade point average.
- Attendance – Maintain a good attendance record; daily attendance is mandatory and absences beyond the state policy limits may be grounds for dismissal (Absences related to pregnancy or parenting are exempt, but must be made up).
- Discipline – Demonstrate exemplary conduct and reflect a positive image on the academy; any Level 1 or 2 violation of the Code of Student Conduct may be grounds for immediate removal from the Professional Academies Magnet.

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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I have read this application, the information accompanying it, and the above agreement signed by my son/daughter. I approve his/her participation in this educational program, and I will work with my son/daughter and the ACCEPT, Academic, or Academy teachers to ensure that he/she accepts the responsibilities and receives the benefits provided through this program and/or the magnet academy.

I am aware that ACPS bus transportation is provided via satellite stops.

Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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The ACCEPT Program is located at the Professional Academies Magnet, if you are interested in attending one of the academies at the PAM @ Loften High School, please visit: <https://www.sbac.edu/loften>