LABETTE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
EDUCATIONAL TALENT SEARCH PROGRAM
PARTICIPANT APPLICATION

Site Location:  
1227 Broadway  
Parsons, Kansas 67357

Mailing Address:  
200 South 14th Street  
Parsons, Kansas 67357

http://www.labette.edu/studentaffairs/talentsearch  
(620) 820-1037 (Tel) (620) 421-4056 (FAX)

NAME:_____________________________________________Social Security Number:_______________________

First         Middle         Last (SSN Required by U.S. Dept. of Education for ALL PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS)

ADDRESS:___________________________________________GRADE:  6  7  8  9  10  11  12 (Please Circle One)

Number/Street Name           City/State          Zip

MAILING ADDRESS:_________________________________NAME OF SCHOOL:_____________________________

PHONE:____________________CELL PHONE:______________DATE OF BIRTH:___________________________

E-MAIL ADDRESS:_____________________________FEMALE__________MALE _____________

ETHNICITY: Are you currently in Foster Care? _____Yes _____No

_____American Indian/Alaska native  
_____Asian  
Have you ever been in Foster Care? _____Yes_____No

_____Black/African American  
_____White/Caucasian  
_____Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander  
_____Hispanic/Latino/Mexican  
_____Two or more races  
_____Race or Ethnicity unknown

How many people, including yourself, live at home? ____________ Please list them below:

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RELEASE OF INFORMATION AGREEMENT

NAME __________________________________________ DATE OF BIRTH ____________________________

NAME OF SCHOOL __________________________________________ GRADE 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 (Circle One)

This document will authorize Talent Search to receive and/or release copies of my child’s transcript (including Power School access/records), test scores, financial aid awards, and other materials necessary for participation in the LCC TALENT SEARCH PROGRAM. I understand that my records are projected under State and Federal Confidentiality regulations and cannot be released without my written consent unless otherwise provided for in the regulations. Federal regulations prohibit making any further disclosure without the specific written consent of the person, or as otherwise permitted by such regulation. This release may be revoked any time and shall be valid no longer than is reasonably necessary to accomplish the purpose for which it is given.

Student Signature __________________________________________ Date ____________________________

Parent Signature __________________________________________ Date ____________________________

PLEDGE OF PARTICIPATION

The Educational Talent Search staff pledges to provide activities and services that will be customized to specifically meet participants’ needs. All services are provided at no cost and are intended to help increase each participant’s potential, academically and personally. Services and activities available include but are not limited to:

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<td>Computer-Assisted learning activities</td>
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<td>Advice on Entry/Re-entry to secondary/post-secondary institutions</td>
<td>Parental Involvement with Talent Search</td>
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I, the student, would like to participate in the TALENT SEARCH PROGRAM because I share the goals for participants to complete secondary school or earn a GED, to receive good grades, and to strive toward academic preparation to pursue college level work. As a participant, I agree to do the following:

✓ To strive to improve my academic skills through good attendance, punctuality, participation, completion of assignments, and all other requirements.
✓ To meet with my educational advisor at least TWICE throughout the academic year to discuss my current status, review progress toward my goals and to assess my on-going academic, educational, and future career needs in the Talent Search Program.
✓ To remain in the Talent Search Program through my high school graduation, GED attainment, or college enrollment.

I am aware that any student who engages in any inappropriate behavior between members may have that behavior reported to their parents and/or any appropriate legal authorizes. Actions could result in : loss of trip privileges, dismissal from the program, and/or other legal actions.

Student Signature __________________________________________ Date ____________________________

I, the parent(s), pledge to support the participation of my child in the Talent Search Program by agreeing to support the objectives and the staff by:

✓ Cooperating with the Talent Search Staff in the completion and updates of required documentation on a routine basis.
✓ Cooperating and respecting the staff, faculty, and other participants while enrolled in Talent Search Program activities and while traveling on official business through approved trips in and outside the State of Kansas.
✓ I give permission to use photographs of my child for media purposes and identification.

Parent Signature __________________________________________ Date ____________________________
Parental/Confidential Income Information

Labette Community College’s Educational Talent Search Program is funded by the U.S. Department of Education. In order to receive the funds necessary to provide our 543 participants with free services, we are required to obtain income information. We cannot accept participants without this information; however, eligibility is not determined solely from income. If you have questions about completing this form, please call our office at (620) 820-1037 or (620) 820-1028. This confidential information will not be released to anyone. Talent Search keeps this information on file in a secured area, which is accessible only to personnel.

Please feel free to mail the application directly to our office if you prefer: Labette Community College, Talent Search Program, 200 S. 14th Street, Parsons, Kansas 67357.

Please check your annual TAXABLE NET INCOME—Income after all deductions—in the appropriate box below. You may attach a photocopy of your 1040, 1040A or 1040EZ. (Check one range of income)

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Are you on public assistance?  __________ Yes __________ No

If you are on public assistance, please check which public assistance applies to you:

_______ AFDC/TANF State Assistance  
_______ Food Stamps  
_______ Unemployment  
_______ Social Security

I, hereby, certify that the above information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that all information provided is subject to verification and it shall be held in the strictest confidence.

_________________________________________  __________________________
Parent’s/Guardian’s Signature  Date

Father/Male Guardian  
Name: ___________________________________________Name: ____________________________

Employer: ___________________________________________Employer: ____________________________

Telephone: ____________________________Telephone: ____________________________

Education: (Please check highest level attained)

_______ Some high school  
_______ High school graduate  
_______ Some college  
_______ Associate’s degree  
_______ Bachelor’s degree or higher  

Mother/Female Guardian  
Name: ___________________________________________

Employer: ___________________________________________

Telephone: ___________________________________________

Education: (Please check highest level attained)

_______ Some high school  
_______ High School graduate  
_______ Some college  
_______ Associate’s degree  
_______ Bachelor’s degree or higher