



# SPECIAL TALENT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

*(This form is used by parents or guardians who wish to apply for their own child.)*

Our Special Talent Scholarship program is part of Yadkin Valley Community School's ongoing commitment to help students identify strengths and talents and to nurture and encourage the development of those gifts. Recipients receive an award of \$500 in their initial year. Although students may be identified as "academically gifted", we believe in cultivating a variety of interests, including, but not limited to, dance, art, building and engineering, outdoor skills, science, creative writing, leadership, and helping others.

Scholarships are awarded based on skills and personal passion, as determined through the interview and recommendation process described below. Financial need is not a selection factor.

Scholarship applications are accepted if received in our office no later than **June 14th, 2016**. You may send your completed application form via email to [kim@yadkinvalleyschool.org](mailto:kim@yadkinvalleyschool.org) or by mail to: Yadkin Valley Community School, PO BOX 809, Elkin, NC 28621.

CHILD'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

GRADE (2016/2017 SCHOOL YEAR) \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT INFORMATION FOR CHILD'S FAMILY:

PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL CHILD IS CURRENTLY ATTENDING: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF PERSON COMPLETING THIS FORM: \_\_\_\_\_

RELATIONSHIP TO CHILD: \_\_\_\_\_

WHAT IS THE CHILD'S TALENT OR INTEREST?

DANCE / MUSIC / PERFORMING ARTS

CREATIVE WRITING

SCIENCE / NATURE / OUTDOOR SKILLS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

COMPUTER SCIENCE

VISUAL ARTS

WHY DO YOU THINK THE CHILD IS A GOOD CANDIDATE FOR THIS SCHOLARSHIP?

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