GUIDELINES FOR FILLING OUT YOUR 2016-2017 APPLICATION

1. Complete Student Application form which consists of the application form, student reflections, a recent transcript, and teacher recommendation forms. Please fill out all the information requested.

2. Complete the three student reflections in your own handwriting. These short paragraphs should be representative of your best writing ability.

3. On the SCHOOLS OF CHOICE Teacher Recommendation form, you should complete the top part legibly in your own handwriting and then give the form to two academic teachers. **One of those teachers must be an English teacher.** Teachers must return their recommendation directly to Central Junior High School.

4. You must include a recent transcript from your current school that you will obtain from your school counselor. This transcript should include your courses, grades, the most current standardized test scores, and your attendance record for this school year.

5. When all materials are complete, place all of them in an envelope and return to: Randy Belcher, Principal Central Junior High School 3191 W. Pipeline Road Euless, TX 76040 RandyBelcher@hebisd.edu
Hurst Euless Bedford ISD/Schools of Choice Application
International Business Initiative - Arabic – Hindi – Mandarin Chinese
Startalk Summer Academy

Student Name/Student ID (Please print)  Current District/Campus/Grade Level

Name of Parent/Guardian  Parent/Guardian Telephone Numbers (required)

Student’s Home Address  Apt #  City  Zip

E-mail address (Please print legibly)

Check all that apply. List first, second, third choice of language

__________ IBI Language Program at Central JH only (no summer program). Please indicate the language for which you are applying. __________________________

__________ Startalk Academy and Arabic IBI/Pre-International Baccalaureate Program.

__________ Startalk Academy and Hindi IBI/Pre-International Baccalaureate Program.

__________ Startalk Academy and Mandarin Chinese IBI/Pre-International Baccalaureate Program.

__________ Startalk Summer Academy only. Please indicate the language you prefer._______________

Please check the following items to indicate that they are included: (Applications MUST be complete in order to be reviewed.)

_______ Completed application form

_______ Official campus record with current year’s attendance and grades. Include all standardized test scores.

_______ Teacher recommendation forms given to:
Teacher names 1. __________________ and 2. ________________

Parent/Guardian Approval Statement:

I understand the requirements for this program and request that my student be accepted in the program indicated above. I also understand that the district does not provide transportation for Schools of Choice or Advanced Academic transfer students.

_________________________________        _______________________
Parent or Guardian Signature            Date

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HEB ISD Advanced Academics/Schools of Choice
Student Application

Responses should be in the student’s handwriting. Please write legibly.

1. Why do you want to be considered for admission to the IBI/Startalk/Pre-IB Program?

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2. Give a personal example of being self-motivated. Please elaborate.

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3. Give a description of your academic goals after high school. Be as specific as possible.

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Dear teacher: I am applying for admission to the International Business Initiative program. Part of the application process involves securing teacher recommendations. Please fill out the information requested and return this form in a sealed envelope directly to Randy Belcher, principal, Central Junior High School, 3191 W. Pipeline Road, Euless, TX 76040, or by email to RandyBelcher@hebisd.edu, or fax to 817-354-3357. Questions to 817-399-2072. Thank you in advance for taking the time to fill out this recommendation.

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2. Student’s work is usually of a high quality. 5 4 3 2 1
3. Student’s study skills are adequate for advanced classes. 5 4 3 2 1
4. Student handles stress well. 5 4 3 2 1
5. Student exhibits proper academic integrity in my class. 5 4 3 2 1
6. Student shows a genuine interest in learning. 5 4 3 2 1
7. Student has good attendance. 5 4 3 2 1
8. Student demonstrates initiative. 5 4 3 2 1
9. Student gets along well with other students and teachers. 5 4 3 2 1

Please add any comments you might have about this student’s ability or desire to participate in the above named program.

______________________________  __________________________
Teacher’s printed name     Teacher’s signature

______________________________  __________________________
Teacher’s E-mail address    Today’s date

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