

Lively District Secondary School

INNOVATIVE INTEGRATED TECHNOLOGY APPLICATION



Lively District Secondary School Innovative Integrated Technology (InIT) Program



The school of Innovative Integrated Technology (InIT) provides students with specialized programming that combines a variety of core subjects with our high caliber technology classes. LDSS works in partnership with businesses and industries to provide relevant and meaningful activities to students through job shadowing, field trips and certifications that will prepare students to be competitive in a global market. The InIT program will also encourage the integration of personal electronic devices within the classroom, which is a very unique feature to this program. Lively District Secondary School offers a program of Innovative Integrated Technology. Students registered in this program are eligible for bussing from anywhere within the boundaries of Rainbow Schools.

Admission is based on all of the following:

- recommendation of Grade 8 academic teacher(s) and /or the principal
- good work ethic and positive approach to their learning
- excellent attendance (no unauthorized absences)
- learning skills that suggest self-discipline and commitment to learning
- completion of the application form with the necessary documentation

Standards for Ongoing Participation:

Students who have demonstrated success in the Grade 9 Innovative Integrated Technology program will be admitted to the second year of the InIT program. These students will have demonstrated that they have a strong academic background in the core subjects as assessed by their Grade 9 teachers in consultation with the InIT coordinator and a strong commitment to learning.

InIT Certification:

College bound students will be required to obtain six technology courses within their four years and maintain a minimum 70% average within all tech courses in order to obtain an InIT certificate upon graduating. University bound students will be required to obtain four technology courses within their four years and maintain a minimum 70% average within all tech courses in order to obtain an InIT certificate upon graduation.

The application package for the Innovative Integrated Technology Program is attached. *Incomplete applications may cause delays in processing.* Completed packages should be forwarded to the main office at Lively District Secondary School. Once the application is reviewed, students will be notified of their acceptance into the program.

Student Application Checklist - Have you completed the following?

- o Innovative Integrated Technology Program Student Information Form
- o Innovative Integrated Technology Program Profile Sheet Questionnaire
- o School Registration Form
- o Copy of your Grade 8 report card/high school transcript
- o Latest IEP if applicable
- o Written recommendation form from grade 8 teacher(s)/principal. This is to be submitted directly to
- o Lively District Secondary School, separate from this application (it will be accepted by the applicant if
- the recommendation is in a sealed and signed envelope only).

Lively District Secondary School (school use only)

Received by:

Date:

o complete

o incomplete

Lively District Secondary School Innovative Integrated Technology Application

To be completed by the student

| Student Information (Please Print) | | | | |
|---|-------------|----------|-------------|--|
| Last Name | First NameI | | | |
| Address | | | | |
| Street | City | Province | Postal Code | |
| Home phone | D.O.B | Gender | | |
| Current School | | | | |
| Were special education services received in elementary school? () yes () no If yes, indicate IPRC identification: | | | | |
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| Contact Information | |
|------------------------------------|------------|
| Name | |
| Address (if different than above): | |
| Home phone | Work phone |

Tell Us About Yourself

List the following personal and school-related details:

SCHOOL-RELATED current interests, hobbies, sports, teams, volunteer activities:

NON SCHOOL-RELATED current interests, hobbies, sports, teams, volunteer activities:

List the following awards and achievements:

SCHOOL-RELATED _____

NON SCHOOL-RELATED

List your reasons for requesting enrollment into the Innovative Integrated Technology Program at LDSS:

| Student Signature: | |
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Parent/Guardian Signature:

Date of Application:



LIVELY DISTRICT SECONDARY SCHOOL



Innovative Integrated Technology Program **Teacher Recommendation Form**

Subject(s) taught:

This form is to be completed by the Grade 8 teacher(s) best suited to comment on this student's suitability for the Innovative Integrated Technology Program.

Student:

School:

Teacher:_____

To the teacher: The above student is applying to the Innovative Integrated Technology Program. This integrated curriculum challenges students in how to learn, analyze, apply concepts, and problem solve. Students must have established strong scholastic backgrounds. Natural learning ability and self-motivation are key characteristics of the successful InIT student. Please complete this guestionnaire and add any additional comments you think will be helpful to our selection committee on the back of this page. We rely heavily on your professional judgment and appreciate the time and effort in completing these forms.

Check the column which best describes the student

| Learning Characteristics | Seldom | Sometimes | Usually | Always | Optional Comments |
|--|--------|-----------|---------|--------|-------------------|
| Performs well on class assignments, tests, projects? | | | | | |
| Manages time wisely? | | | | | |
| Grasps new or different concepts readily? | | | | | |
| Thinks independently? | | | | | |
| Takes initiative for his/her own learning? | | | | | |
| Problem solves? | | | | | |

| Motivational Qualities | Seldom | Sometimes | Usually | Always | Optional Comments |
|-------------------------------------|--------|-----------|---------|--------|-------------------|
| Shows excitement and enthusiasm | | | | | |
| for learning? | | | | | |
| Strives to produce work of high | | | | | |
| quality? | | | | | |
| Handles outside responsibilities as | | | | | |
| well as school demands? | | | | | |
| Imaginative and/or creative? | | | | | |
| Self-confident? | | | | | |

TEACHER RECOMMENDATION FOR InIT PROGRAM:

Highly Recommend ____ Recommend with Reservations ____ Cannot Recommend _____

| Teacher's signature: | Date: |
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To be returned to:

Lively District Secondary School, 265 Fifth Ave, Lively, ON P3Y 1M4 Phone: (705) 692-3671 Fax: (705) 692-9510