

École Salish Secondary School Class Valedictorian Application Form

Full Name		Student Number	
Email Address			

When responding, please do not exceed the space provided for each response.

▶ Describe your overall high school academic achievement.
▶ Discuss your extra-curricular involvement at Salish and/or within the community.

▶ **Describe your relationship with your graduating class and the Salish staff.**

▶ **Discuss your public speaking skills and/or experiences.**

▶ **Describe how you would approach the writing of the Class Valedictorian speech.**

Student References: please find 5 students from your graduating class who are willing to support your application and have them fill out the information below.

Grade 12 Student #1			
First Name		Last Name	
Student Number		Signature	
Grade 12 Student #2			
First Name		Last Name	
Student Number		Signature	
Grade 12 Student #3			
First Name		Last Name	
Student Number		Signature	
Grade 12 Student #4			
First Name		Last Name	
Student Number		Signature	
Grade 12 Student #5			
First Name		Last Name	
Student Number		Signature	

Salish Staff References: please find 5 Salish staff members who are willing to support your application and have them fill out the information below.

Staff #1			
Name		Signature	
Staff #2			
Name		Signature	
Staff #3			
Name		Signature	
Staff #4			
Name		Signature	
Staff #5			
Name		Signature	

<p>▶ In one complete sentence, finish the writing prompt below.</p> <p>My fellow graduates, I would be a worthy Class Valedictorian to represent all of you and the Salish school community because...</p>
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I hereby declare that all information provided on this application form is truthful and that I have not embellished, falsified nor intentionally misled the Class Valedictorian Committee in any way.

Your Signature		Date	
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Policy

- *Fully completed applications must be scanned and emailed to kuoch_p@surreyschools.ca or hand-delivered to the Upper Blue Pod no later than May 4th, 2020, 8:00 AM (late submissions will not be considered)*
- *The Salish Class Valedictorian Committee, consisting of a number of Salish staff members from a variety of departments, will review and assess all applications according to the following criteria: academic history, extra-curricular involvement, relationship with Salish students and staff, public speaking skills, approach to the speech*
- *A short-list of candidates who demonstrate an overall level of excellence in all of the aforementioned criteria will be determined by the Committee*
- *All applicants will be notified via email as to the status of their application*
- *Those short-listed will be asked to deliver an excerpt of their draft speech in front of an audience in the school theatre*
- *The Salish Class Valedictorian Committee will then determine the best candidate for this year's Class Valedictorian according to the criteria listed above, as well as the overall quality of the draft speech and delivery of it during the audition stage*
- *If you have any questions, please email kuoch_p@surreyschools.ca*