



INVITATION

The Reformed Grammar School of Sárospatak College, Primary School and Dormitory
with the support of the Prime Minister's Office, State Secretariat for National Policy,

have the pleasure of inviting applications

for the term of 2021/2022

for the following educational course.

English-Hungarian dual language course, five years in duration with a maximum class size of 34 students with compulsory dormitory accommodation. This course is open to students who have graduated from 8th grade, are aged 14-15 and are of Hungarian origin and roots, who are part of the Hungarian diaspora.

At weekends the course (special college system) covers different segments of Hungarian culture.

The training outcome is the General Certificate of Hungarian Education, and optional International Baccalaureate.

The course is free of charge for students who prove their Hungarian citizenship, or can attest that the application for Hungarian citizenship is in process by the date of 30 June 2021 (date of enrolment).

Three meals a day are to be paid for by the student (currently 858 HUF/day).

Different sport facilities will also be available (handball, basketball, volleyball, soccer, gymnastics, kayaking, canoeing, archery, martial arts, table tennis, etc.).

APPLICATION INFORMATION

for the term of 2021/2022

for the 5-year English-Hungarian dual language class course

offered by

The Reformed Grammar School of Sárospatak College, Primary School and Dormitory
with the support of the Prime Minister's Office, State Secretariat for National Policy
for students of Hungarian origin, and with Hungarian roots, living in the diaspora

Applications will be considered from potential students who meet the requirements and whose application form is filled in and received by 31. May 2021 with the following compulsory documents included:

- Applicant's covering letter, explaining his/her motivation for wanting to participate on the course (letter in English and in Hungarian)
- Parental covering letter(s) explaining the parents motivation for their son/daughter to participate on the course (letter in English and in Hungarian)
- copy of school report cards (final grades of Year 7 and midterm grades of Year 8)
- letter of recommendation from the pastor and/or the scout leader and/or head of the Sunday School and/or from the leader of any Hungarian religious communities
- consent to General Data Management

The applicants will take part in a video interview with a panel of our teachers between the dates of 1 June and 14 June 2021. The purpose of the interview is to learn about the applicant's personality, interests and the level of their Hungarian and English, not measuring their academic knowledge.

In line with the above conditions the headmaster will decide on successful applicants onto the course by 15 June 2021.

Should you have any further queries regarding the course and application process do not hesitate to contact us:

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APPLICATION FORM

for the term of 2021/2022

offered by

the Hungarian Government and The Reformed Grammar School of Sárospatak College,

Primary School and Dormitory

for students of Hungarian origin, and with Hungarian roots, living in the diaspora

5-year English-Hungarian dual language class course

Applicant's personal details

Name: _____

Date of birth: _____ year _____ month _____ day

Place of birth: country _____ city _____

Address: country _____ city _____

road/street/square _____ number _____

floor _____ door _____

E-mail: _____

skype: _____

Nationality (ies): _____

Language(s): _____

Religion: _____

Parent(s) name(s) _____

Parents' Language(s): _____

Applicant's Primary school

Name of school:

Address of school:

Applicant's final grade average for Year 7 _____ midterm grade average for Year 8 _____

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Applicant's ties to a local Hungarian community



COURSE OUTLINE

The Reformed Grammar School of Sárospatak College has a history stretching back almost 500 years. Hungarian history has always challenged and influenced our school and its students through its flourishing and turbulent times. Three milestones characterised education in Sárospatak in the 20th century: from 1931 onwards students had the opportunity to learn modern foreign languages in the English boarding school, from 1987 onwards the dual language class attracted high performing students from all over the country. By 1990 the school was once again run by the church. Through the school the church was able to model good living and high values by providing a high level of education and moral teaching especially in areas such as modern languages, life coaching and religious values. Students studying here can count people such as Lajos Kossuth, Ferenc Kazinczy and Zsigmond Móricz as some of the respected Reformed Grammar School alumni. They can learn about the life of Hungarians living in minorities outside Hungarian borders through the international relations we foster here. Students studying at this school reap the fruits of talent a healthy lifestyle, service and the encouragement to love one another.

Students in the diaspora class take part in 5 years of education (1+4 school academic years). The aim of the preparatory year is to acquire and reach the necessary level of Hungarian, especially with regards to secondary school leaving examination subjects. It is followed by the dual language class system according to Hungarian laws and regulations, it includes the preparation for the secondary school leaving examination and university entrance exam. The final exam, the Hungarian secondary school leaving examination, is at the end of the fifth year at standard or advanced level depending on the subject. During the last two years students have the opportunity to prepare for the International Baccalaureate exam as well.

Information regarding the number of lessons per week for each subject in the 5 year course:

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Hungarian as a foreign language	14	2	2	0	0
Hungarian language	0	2	2	2	3
Literature	3	3	3	5	5
History (Human studies and Ethics at 12th grade)	1	2	2	3	4
English language	0	0	0	2	4
German/ Italian language	0	3	3	3	3
Mathematics	3	4	4	4	4
Information Technology (IT)	0	2	2	2	0
Physics	2	3	3	0	0
Chemistry	2	2	2	0	0
Biology/ hygiene	1	3	3	2	0
Geography	2	2	2	0	0
Drawing and Visual Culture	0	1	1	0	0
Music	0	1	1	0	0
Religious music	1	0	0	0	0
Religious Education and Ethics	2	2	2	2	2

Physical Education	5	5	5	5	5
Arts				1	1
ADDITIONAL COURSE (Student's own choice)	0	0	0	6	6
TOTAL	36	37	37	37	37

The course (special college system) will at weekends cover different segments of Hungarian culture. The curriculum includes folk dance classes, introduction to Hungarian heritage with excursions in the Carpathian Basin, cooking lessons to sample our cuisine, museum pedagogy, and so on.

An integral part and contribution to this 5 year course is the "The Patron Godparents" network (host families). The network aims to provide a home from home for the students while they are away from their families and home countries. The host families will provide a welcoming, caring and supportive home to provide for all the personal and emotional needs of their guest student. The host family will welcome and host the student (who stays at the dormitory on weekdays) at weekends, at school breaks and holidays, treat the student as a member of their family and serve as a second family for the student as "Patron Godparents".

The host family provide accommodation, meals and also a loving environment for the student. Host family responsibilities for the patron godparents also include, representing the student at school, looking after his/her interest and mediating the student's needs and problems if necessary. The patron godparents keep in contact with the teachers so they can ensure that the student receives the appropriate education according to their development. They are also informed about grades and performance.

STATEMENT OF CONSENT

regarding the management, reproduction and transmission of personal data

I, the undersigned, (name),
born in (place and date of birth),
..... (mother's name),
declare my consent to the management of personal data concerning the application of my child
..... (name of child), born in
.....(place and date of birth),
..... (mother's
name), to the Reformed Grammar School of Sárospatak College, Primary School and
Dormitory and to those involved in the application procedure and selection process.
Furthermore, I consent to the transmission, reproduction (passing on information to third parties
acting on behalf of the authorities) of the entire document concerning the application procedure
of the applicant.

date

name