**Chattahoochee HS**

**APPLICATION FOR DIRECTED STUDY Class of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

Last NAME:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ First Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Student Email:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Counselor:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Student Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**TITLE AND DESCRIPTION: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

Request: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ S1 \_\_\_\_\_\_S2 \_\_\_\_\_YEARLONG \_\_\_\_\_ Preferred Period (not guaranteed)

A successful directed study requires an exceptional student with strong motivation and self-discipline. The goal of the Directed Study should fit into one or several of the following categories:

1. To conduct extensive investigation in an area of particular interest to the student but not offered in the regular curriculum.
2. To work on an individual creative project in an area in which the students has previously demonstrated independence and expertise.
3. To complete an individualized course included in the regular curriculum but not available that semester at the local school (this can include AP courses that either are not offered that semester or if there is an unresolvable scheduling conflict).

Please answer the following questions to help your TAG teacher(s) evaluate your candidacy:

1. What interest area(subjects, topics or projects) do you want to develop into a directed study? Explain why this interest is important to you.
2. What previous experience, if any, have you had in this subject?
3. What do you hope to accomplish at the end of this DS? What is your **goal**/objective?
4. What particular **activities** and/or **products or projects** did you have in mind?
5. What resources will you use for your topic? List specific resources that you have in mind (think people, print resources, online resources):
6. Directed studies work is done independently. Talk about your school attendance and work ethic.
7. Do you see your work being done mostly on campus or off campus? Why?
8. Did you have a period preference for Directed Studies? Why?

List a teacher in your field of study for a reference \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

List an adult that can vouch for your work ethic \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Agreement**

I understand that both the work and the behavior in directed studies reflect directly on the TAG program, the student and the teacher. I understand that both the TAG office and TAG classrooms are workplaces for teachers and students. I realize that directed study is a privilege. If accepted I agree to work on academic studies. I will be on time to directed study, prepared with necessary materials and remain on task.

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_