

# Lower School: How to Apply

International Students, Grades K-6

# Sierra Canyon School

We welcome your application! Please refer to the checklist below and contact us with any questions:

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## STEP 1: SUBMIT AN ONLINE APPLICATION

- Apply Online:** Submit the Sierra Canyon Online Application by December 16, 2024. (We do not accept the SAO application for Grades K-6 international applicants.)

## STEP 2: SUBMIT REQUIRED DOCUMENTS AND RECOMMENDATION FORMS BY JANUARY 10, 2025

- Passport and Visa Information (all applicants):** Please email copies of the applicant's passport and (if applicable) visa as soon as possible.
  - English Proficiency Testing (Grades 3-6):**
    - Junior TOEFL, ages 11+ (scores of 700+ are preferred)
    - Primary TOEFL, ages 8+ (scores of 100-115+ and a Lexile measure of 550L+ are preferred)
    - Duolingo (scores of 90-115+ are preferred)
  - Recommendation Forms (all applicants):** Please download the required forms from our website. Click "Required Documents" at [SCInternationalAdmission.org](https://www.sierracanyonschool.org/SCInternationalAdmission.org).
    - Grades K-2: Teacher and Administrator Recommendation Forms
    - Grades 3-6: Math Teacher, English Teacher, and Administrator Recommendation Forms
  - Transcripts/Progress Reports and Standardized Testing (Grades 1-6):** Please submit a completed Transcript/Progress Report Request Form to enable your child's school to release official documents to Sierra Canyon.
    - We require official grades/progress reports and standardized testing from the current school year and previous two years. (First grade applicants may submit documents from the current and previous school year.)
- \* **All recommendation forms and transcripts must be sent directly from the applicant's school to Sierra Canyon.** For your convenience, you may email these forms to your school directly from your admission portal checklist or download them from our website ([SCInternationalAdmission.org](https://www.sierracanyonschool.org/SCInternationalAdmission.org)) to submit. Schools should email documents directly to [LSadmission@sierracanyonschool.org](mailto:LSadmission@sierracanyonschool.org).

## STEP 3: SCHEDULE A FAMILY INTERVIEW

- If you plan to visit Los Angeles:** If you are in Los Angeles on a school day, we welcome you to visit our beautiful campus and meet with a member of our Admission Team. We can complete the family interview during your visit.
- If you are unable to visit Los Angeles:** For families who are unable to come to campus, we will happily schedule a Zoom family interview. **We require at least one parent or guardian to accompany the student during the interview.** Please also enjoy our virtual tours at [SCVirtualTours.org](https://www.sierracanyonschool.org/SCVirtualTours.org).

We look forward to meeting you! Please contact us at [LSadmission@sierracanyonschool.org](mailto:LSadmission@sierracanyonschool.org) or call 818-882-8121.



Application Deadline:  
**December 16, 2024**

\* Applicants for Grades K-6 must plan to live with a parent or legal guardian.



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