

# OAK CANYON JUNIOR HIGH

## PUBLICATIONS APPLICATION



Course: Publications

Taught by: Michael Redford

**Course Description:** Students will be responsible for creating the yearbook. Through the year, students will learn journalism concepts, and apply these to the publications. The book is created online, so INTERNET PERMISSION IS REQUIRED. Deadlines are strict, so occasional after school work is required.

Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Current English Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

Staple this form to the front of ALL other work. In order to be considered, please **submit ALL** of the following:

1. Answers to the following questions, in complete sentences, on a separate sheet of paper.
  - a. What computer or photography skills do you have?
  - b. How often do you turn in late work?
  - c. Why should you be considered for the publications staff?
2. Submit a 2 minute video about yourself. Include what you like to do, your favorite school subjects, etc. Also include why you should be on the yearbook staff. Turn your video in to Mr. Redford on a DVD, thumb drive, or e-mail in .mov, mp4, or wmv format.
3. Three pictures. Submit THREE photos that you think are quality photos, **or** that would be good in a yearbook. These **do not** have to be pictures you have taken. Write a paragraph (5-6 sentences) explaining why you chose these pictures. (If requested, pictures will be returned in May).

Give the teacher recommendation forms to two **current** teachers.  
**Ask them to return their recommendations to Mr. Redford.**

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

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

The criteria for Publication selection is weighed equally between this application, teacher recommendation, and the student's GPA.

Applications due to Mr. Redford by Friday, March 27th, 2015