

Application Check List: School:

2024/25

NAME		A	B							
		See reverse for list of membership requirements	Member of historically underrepresented ethnic group	First generation college	Qualifies for free or reduced lunch	Cultural / linguistic minority (e.g., Russian Old Believer)	Qualifies for Title I-C Program (Migrant Education)	Qualifies for Title VII-A Program (Indian Education)	Qualifies for Title III Program (Language Instruction for Limited English Proficient and Immigrant Students)	Qualifies for OTHER Title Program(s)
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Teacher Signature _____ Date _____

Total Number of Completed Applications Received (includes applications NOT accepted) _____

Membership Eligibility

To be considered for SMILE membership, a student must meet **ALL** the requirements in Part A and **AT LEAST ONE** of the criteria in Part B.

Part A

- Student must be working at grade level or receiving grades of C or better in all classes, as determined by school records.
- Student must be able to help establish and maintain a safe club environment.
- Student must be able to participate in and contribute to cooperative learning, college-readiness and academic enrichment activities.
- Student must show an interest in math and science, as evidenced by class participation or extracurricular involvement.
- Student must exhibit good behavior and good school citizenship, as determined by school records and recommendations from school staff.
- Student must complete The SMILE Program application and obtain parental/guardian permission to participate.
- Student in high school **MUST** take and complete (with grades of C or better) both a math course and a science course during each school year. A **SENIOR ONLY** may take either a math OR a science course **IF** school course offerings and schedule do not allow the student to take both courses.

Part B

- Be a member of a group that exhibits high school graduation rates lower than the state average. Such groups include American Indian/Alaskan Native, African American, and Latino/Hispanic.
- Be from a low-income household (as determined by student's eligibility for free or reduced-priced lunch).
- Have parents who have not earned a bachelor's degree from a four-year university.
- Have linguistic or cultural backgrounds different from those that predominate in Oregon's elementary and secondary school system.
 - Title I-C: Education of Migratory Children
 - Title III: Language Instruction for Limited English Proficient and Immigrant Children
 - Title VII-A: Indian Education