

FY-24D

Early Graduation Application

To apply for early graduation, the student must complete the following application, attach all required documentation, and submit to the Principal. A conference with the Principal, parent(s)/guardian(s), if appropriate; and the student is required to determine eligibility for early graduation. Once eligibility has been established, the student will present his/her request for early graduation to the Board. Submission of this application does not guarantee the student early graduation.

Student's Name	<u>Hardin</u>	<u>Abby</u>	<u>F</u>
	<i>Last Name</i>	<i>First Name</i>	<i>Middle Initial</i>
Student's Address	<u>Scottsville</u>	<u>KY</u>	<u>42164</u>
	<i>City</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Zip Code</i>
Student's Age	<u>17</u>	Date of Birth	<u>12/5/05</u>
Student's Phone Number	<u>270-943-2831</u>		
District High School presently attending	_____		
Parent/Guardian Name	<u>Robert Hardin</u>	Parent/Guardian's Phone Number	<u>270-606-1933</u>

State below the reason(s) for requesting early graduation. Be very specific in your application, including your plans for the future and how early graduation will help you achieve your goals. Attach additional page(s), if necessary.

In addition to the above statement, attach the required documentation specified.

- For attendance at college, a post-secondary vocational training school, or accredited apprenticeship training program, provide a copy of the acceptance letter from the institution and the high school transcript.

<u></u>	<u>8/9/23</u>
<i>Signature of Applicant</i>	<i>Date</i>
<u></u>	<u>8/9/2023</u>
<i>Signature of Parent/Guardian</i>	<i>Date</i>

I do do not recommend this student for early graduation.

9/1/23

Signature of Principal *Date*

Review/Revised:2/17/2020

To whom it may concern,

Throughout my highschool career, I have worked hard for the prospect of graduating early and I have a desire to move forward. I want to begin my life, go to college in the spring, move out of my parents' house and into one of my own. I have put great effort into ensuring that I would meet the requirements for an early graduation, through dedication and striving for the best work I can provide. By December, I will have all 27 of my required credits, and each required class according to grade level will be complete. I have also already completed the requirements in two career pathways, Medical Science and Family and Consumer Science, as well as passed a KOSSA test in both Family and Consumer Science and Fashion.

My GPA has maintained a status above 3.0 for my entire highschool career, which currently rests at 3.4, and I've never failed a class in any of those years. I have maintained good grades, as I have been working towards early graduation for much of my highschool course. I have a complete ILP portfolio as well that I have completed in accordance with each year, a completed and passed civics exam, and My ACT score was above benchmark at a 23 composite, therefore I am career and college ready. I wish to become an elementary English teacher, and an early graduation would look wonderful on my record as I pursue that career. I hope through my hard work and perseverance, I will be granted that approval to graduate early.

My home life has granted me the ability and the drive to become an independent person, and I am fully capable of beginning my own life as soon as December, and I wish to do so. I am driven and inspired to become my own responsibility and move out of my home and begin my journey into adulthood early, especially considering the circumstances surrounding my pursuit of graduation being so personally advantageous. I will be able to attend college early or enter the workforce in my pursuit of that position, and that will provide me with the satisfaction and opportunity to achieve that I would be so grateful to have. This opportunity of course is very important to me, and I hope to be given the chance to experience it thanks to this advantage the highschool has offered me.

Thank you,
Abby Hardin

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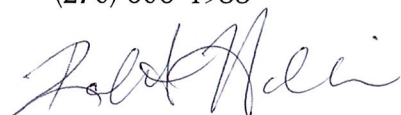
My daughter, Abby Hardin, is requesting to graduate in December 2023. Abby had been preparing to graduate early for a couple of years when she brought the possibility to my attention. Abby is ready to begin her life as an adult and venture out on her own, and I am proud of her commitment to reach her goal. Abby advised me before this school year began that she would have all of the requirements met to graduate, and that I would have to write a letter to express why she would be an early graduation candidate. Abby is a smart, responsible, hard working young woman who has set goals for her future that include becoming self reliant, preparing for college, and moving out on her own to Tennessee. She is passionate about becoming an elementary school teacher, and has the willpower and preparation to meet that career goal. Abby cares nothing about the ceremonies that come with graduation, class night, or prom. She is ready to be an adult and has my full confidence. There is no point in her finishing the last five or six months in school. Abby is ready to chase her dream. Please let her graduate in December so she can use the confidence, motivation, and work ethic she has proven instead of holding her back.

Abby's Father,

Robert Hardin

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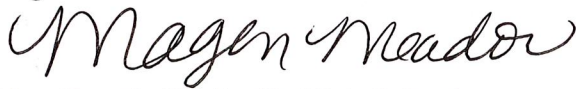
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To Whom It May Concern;

Abby Hardin is requesting to apply for Early Graduation with a High School Diploma obtaining 27 credits. She has completed the Early Graduation Application and has been approved by the High School principal. Abby currently has 24 credits and will be finished with her Personal Finance and English credit at the end of this semester, as well as other classes to reach 28 credits total. She is college ready in our Consumer and Family Services and has passed the CTE for that test as well as Fashion and Interior Design. She has also met benchmark on the ACT. She is working towards completing her ILP by Christmas and at that point will have met all the requirements to obtain her high school diploma.

I recommend Abby for Early Graduation due to her hard work ethics and plans to start college early or start in the workforce after Christmas of her senior year.

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Allen County Scottsville High School
9th and 12th Grade Guidance Counselor

8/31/23