Blackstone Valley Regional Vocational Technical High School
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Representing
Bellingham • Blackstone • Douglas • Grafton • Hopedale • Mendon
Millbury • Milford • Millville • Northbridge • Sutton • Upton • Uxbridge

For more information about Blackstone Valley Tech, including access to the state-approved Admissions Policy, please visit: www.valleytech.k12.ma.us

Spanish: Se necesita de ayuda en español, por favor llame al escritorio de orientación al teléfono 508-529-7758.
Portuguese: Se você precisar de ajuda em português, por favor contactar o escritório de orientação no telefone 508-529-7758.

HOW TO APPLY TO BLACKSTONE VALLEY TECH (BVT)

DIRECTIONS FOR APPLICANTS/PARENTS/GUARDIANS
1. Complete the first two pages of the application.
2. You and your parent/guardian must both sign the application.
3. Return the application to your school counselor so that Section Three can be completed and sent to BVT by your current school. Check with your current school regarding local timelines. Blackstone Valley Tech must receive the completed application from your current school on or before the first Friday in February.
4. Acceptance is based on a rating which considers grades from English, Math, Social Studies and Science from the prior year and 1st and 2nd quarter of the current year as well as attendance, behavior, recommendation from the sending school and an individual interview.
5. If the applicant requires accommodations to complete this application, the interview, or any part of the application process due to a disability or language barrier, please alert your current Special Education liaison or the school counselor so that assistance can be delivered. You may also chose to contact the BVT Student Services Department for support in this process (x3117). It is the Parent/Guardian’s responsibility to request any accommodations. Information regarding required accommodations will have no bearing on the admissions process.
6. I have read and understand the above information regarding the application process.
   Parent/Guardian Initials

DIRECTIONS FOR SENDING SCHOOL/SCHOOL COUNSELORS
1. With the greatest accuracy possible, complete Section Three.
2. Verify the accuracy and completeness of the student and parent/guardian section.
3. Complete and sign certification section.
4. Return on or before the first Friday in February. Per the Blackstone Valley Tech state-approved Admissions Policy, applications received after that date will be considered late.

Section One: Application for Grade (Circle One) 9 10 11 12

Name of Applicant ___________________________________________ Today’s Date ______________
Street Address ___________________________________________ PO Box (if applicable) ____________
City/Town & Zip ___________________________________________ Date of Birth ______________
Current Grade ____________ Town to which Real Estate/Excise Taxes are paid ________________
Current School ______________________ Email address _______________________________________
   (Parent/guardian)
Parent/Guardian Name(s) (Please Print) ______________________________________________________
Home Telephone ____________________ Cell Telephone ____________________ Work Telephone ____________
   (Parent/guardian)

Our Mission:
At Valley Tech we create a positive learning community that prepares students for personal and professional success in an internationally competitive society through a fusion of rigorous vocational, technical, and academic skills.
VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL PROGRAMS

In the space provided below, please number your choice from 1-17. Place 1 next to your first choice, 2 next to your second choice and so forth until you reach 17 choices.

1. Automotive Collision Repair & Refinishing (470603)
2. Automotive Technology (470604)
3. Business Technology (Office Tech-520407)
4. Construction Technology (Carpentry-460201)
5. Cosmetology (120401)
6. Culinary Arts (120500)
7. Dental Assisting (510601)
8. Electrical (460302)
9. Electronics & Engineering Technology (Electronics-150303)
10. Engineering Technology (150000)
11. Health Services (Health Assisting-510000)
12. Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning & Refrigeration (470201)
13. Information Technology (Information Support Services & Networking-110401)
15. Multimedia Communications (Design & Visual Communications-500401)
16. Painting & Design Technology (460408)
17. Plumbing (460503)

Records Release Authorization:

We approve this application and hereby give permission for the release of records pertaining to grades, attendance, behavior/discipline and recommendation to Blackstone Valley Regional Vocational Technical High School. We shall advise Blackstone Valley Regional Vocational Technical High School of any changes in residence before and after enrollment in a timely manner.

_________________  ___________________  __________________
Signature of Student    Signature of Parent/Guardian    Date

NOTE: This application is valid for admission to school year 2020 – 2021.

Equal Educational Opportunity
Blackstone Valley Regional Vocational Technical High School admits students and makes available to them its advantages, privileges and courses of study without regard to homelessness, race, color, sex, religion, national origin, gender identity, sexual orientation or disability.

Dates to Remember

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<td>Admission Open House</td>
<td>Wednesday, November 20, 2019 5:30pm-8:00pm</td>
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<td>Application due to Sending School</td>
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<tr>
<td>Application due to Blackstone Valley Tech</td>
<td>Friday, January 31, 2020</td>
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<td>Accepted Freshmen Placement Testing</td>
<td>Saturday, April 4, 2020 7:30am-12noon</td>
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Please reference the Admissions page of the BVT Website for up to date information: www.valleytech.k12.ma.us
Section Two:
To be completed by Blackstone Valley Tech Interviewer (Maximum 30 points)

The interview will be comprised of 5 questions in the areas of interest in programs at BVT and career goals, and activities & interests inside & outside of school, personal characteristics, outstanding projects and safety. Each question’s value ranges, students may earn up to 8 points on a given question area.

**If the applicant requires accommodations to complete the interview due to a disability or language barrier, please alert your current Special Education liaison or the school counselor so that assistance can be delivered. You may also chose to contact the BVT Student Services Department for support in this process (x3117). It is the Parent/Guardian’s responsibility to request any accommodations. Information regarding required accommodations will have no bearing on the admissions process.**

POINTER AWARDED FOR INTERVIEW:

Section Three:

To be completed by the APPLICANT’S SENDING SCHOOL and forwarded to the Admission’s office at: BLACKSTONE VALLEY REGIONAL VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL

**SCHOLASTIC RECORD** (Maximum 25 points)

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<th>COURSE</th>
<th>PREVIOUS YEAR FINAL</th>
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**CUMULATIVE POINTS AWARDED**

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The final average for previous year is multiplied by four and then added to the first and second terms of current year. The total of these grades is divided by six to establish a final average grade for each subject. These final averages are added and divided by four to establish a cumulative average.

POINTER AWARDED FOR SCHOLASTIC RECORD:  

*To be completed by BVT staff*
ATTENDANCE (Maximum 15 points)

Provided by Sending School District

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<th>Previous Year</th>
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1. Total days absent from school
2. Excused absences (administrative verification required)
3. Subtract line 2 from line 1: Total days counted as absences

AVERAGE DAYS ABSENT PER TERM:

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The absences (from line 3 above) from previous year are added to the absences from the first 2 terms of current year and divided by 6 to establish a final average of absences per term. TOTAL POINTS FOR ATTENDANCE are awarded as follows:

POINTS AWARDED FOR ATTENDANCE:

BEHAVIOR RECORD (Maximum 15 points)

Please indicate the total number (combined previous year & current year) of Behavioral Incidents and/or days. These are considered all in-school and out-of-school Suspensions/Detentions/Logged Behavioral Episodes. This number is provided by the Sending School.

Current year ____________
Previous year ____________

POINTS AWARDED FOR BEHAVIOR:

SENDING SCHOOL RECOMMENDATION (refer to scoring rubric) (Maximum 15 points)

POINTS AWARDED FOR SENDING SCHOOL RECOMMENDATION:

I certify that this is complete and accurate.

Principal/Guidance Counselor ____________________ Date ____________

*To be completed by BVT staff