How to get accepted into Gateway Institute of Technology - St. Louis Premier Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics College Preparatory High School?

1. The applicant must have interest and aptitude in (STEM) science, technology, engineering or mathematics, and expect to attend post secondary education at a university, community college or technical school with the interest to attain a diploma.

2. All potential Gateway students must have an evaluation of excellent or good for each item in the Official Recommendation Checklist Form and be completed by two of the following: the applicant’s teacher, counselor, principal or designated administrator. To demonstrate this, all freshmen applicants must submit a transcript reflecting aptitude and success in mathematics, science and writing and have maintained a minimum of a C average in middle school. All sophomores and juniors wishing to transfer into Gateway must have a 3.0 G.P.A. and an impeccable discipline record. Students with excessive discipline infractions or received a Type 1 discipline infraction will not be considered for enrollment.

3. The applicant must successfully complete an entrance essay reflective of the student’s view of the mission of Gateway Institute of Technology as a Mathematic, Engineering, Science, and Technology College Preparatory High School.

4. The applicant must successfully demonstrate in a student interview with a member of the candidate acceptance committee a commitment to academic excellence, and positive student behavior.

5. The applicant’s parents should commit to parental involvement in their child’s education through the Jaguar PTA, advisory committees, booster clubs etc.

Actual placement into Gateway Institute of Technology is based on the following:

1. Applicant meeting established entrance criteria
2. Conformity with the district’s racial guidelines
3. Availability of seats
4. A small percentage of applicants’s enroll through the lottery. (Magnet School Lottery Process).

Accepted students are highly encouraged to attend Gateway’s mandatory 9th Grade Summer Transition Program.

For more information please contact:

Mrs. Danielle DeLoatch - Assistant Principal
Recruitment Coordinator
Gateway Institute of Technology
(314) 776-3300
Official Recommendation Checklist Form

Teacher/Counselor/Administrator

PLEASE COMPLETE, SIGN AND RETURN THIS FOR TO:

Recruitment
Gateway Institute of Technology
5101 McRee Avenue
St. Louis, MO 63110
(314) 776-3300
(314) 776-8267

IF NECESSARY PLEASE USE THE REVERSE SIDE FOR ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

STUDENT’S NAME: ______________________________________________________

SCHOOL: ______________________________________________________________

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____ I DO NOT RECOMMEND THIS STUDENT FOR GATEWAY INSTITUTE of TECHNOLOGY

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