

Whitney High School



College & Career Center
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Subject: Boys State Nomination

Boys State will be held on the Sacramento State University Campus June 16 – June 23, 2018. All junior boys are eligible to apply to be the Whitney High School California Boys State Delegate.

Boys State is an exciting, fast-paced week of activity geared toward understanding government, developing leadership skills and just plain fun with top-notch juniors from across California. Citizens of Boys State are considered the builders of the future and your participation could be a life-changing event. College admissions officers and scholarship committees both recognize Boys State citizens as being outstanding young men with tremendous potential to change the future.

If you would like to compete to be one of the Whitney High School Boys to be interviewed to attend Boys State, please complete the information outlined below and return to the College & Career Center by Noon February 8th.

You must be available to interview and attend the entire week of Boys State so check your family vacation plans and coach's summer schedule to confirm your availability. **Boys State interviews will be in the College & Career Center on February 13th. You must also attend a mandatory orientation on Saturday, May 19th at the Rocklin Community Center.**

Please come by the College & Career Center if you have any questions about Boys State. .

Completed Boys State Application Packet, stapled at the top left corner, will include the following:

- Page 1 - Cover sheet with personal data, (including mailing address and home phone number),
- Page 2 - List of your activities, awards, leadership experience, etc.
- Page 3 - Essay, one page only, double spaced, no smaller than 12 point type. Essay prompt:

“Tell us what you know about our government from city to state to the national level. Also, include what is your understanding of our legislative process and what is your interest in politics.”

Application Deadline – Noon, February 8, 2018 in the College & Career Center