

Requirements for Nomination

- Students must be in grade 10 or 11.
- Home school students must reside in a [Fulton County High School Attendance Zone](#).
- Home school students must have the following documents on file with Fulton County Schools: a) a declaration of intent to home school; and, b) a current home school attendance report.
- Students must meet the subject area criteria outlined in the [Governor's Honors Program 2010 Instructional Descriptions and Criteria for Selection in All Areas](#).
- Students shall be nominated in only one subject area, by the subject-area instructor with the approval of the student and parent/guardian. If applicable, the parent/guardian may serve as the subject-area instructor.
- Students must have demonstrated high aptitude and high interest in the area of nomination.
- Students must be in good physical health.
- Students nominated for the 2009 program who did not participate in the program may be nominated for the 2010 program.
- Students shall participate in the GHP summer residential program one time only.
- The school principal and counselor must endorse and sign all nominations. The parent/guardian may serve as the home school principal and counselor.
- The Home School Student Eligibility Verification Form must accompany each nomination form.
- An official transcript of high school grades must accompany each nomination form.
- A score on the preliminary scholastic assessment test (PSAT) or scholastic assessment test (SAT) is a requirement for any student selected as a semi-finalist by Fulton County Schools to attend state interviews. A photocopy from the testing service must be attached as the final page of the student nomination form. Handwritten or typed scores will not be accepted. PSAT/SAT scores arriving too late to be included in the nomination form for local interviews will be accepted if brought to the statewide interview/audition by the student.
- If invited, students must be fully committed to every aspect of the GHP process, including participation in the local interview scheduled by Fulton County Schools, the statewide interviews as scheduled by the Georgia Department of Education, the entire residential period of GHP. Inability to meet the attendance requirement for any aspect of the program will result in disqualification for consideration; and if selected for participation, will result in immediate dismissal from the program.
- Only typed and complete student nomination forms will be accepted. If student nomination forms are hand-written or incomplete in any way, students will not be invited to local interviews.