



*Surry Academy for Global Education (SAGE)*  
*Surry County Public Schools*



**WHAT IS SURRY ACADEMY FOR GLOBAL EDUCATION (SAGE)?**

*Surry County Public Schools and Thomas Nelson Community College have entered into a partnership to offer a dual enrollment program in Surry County for students in grades 9 & 10. This program is called Surry Academy for Global Education (SAGE).*

**WHAT IS DUAL ENROLLMENT?**

*Dual enrollment is allowing high school students to meet the requirements for high school graduation while simultaneously earning college credit.*

**WHAT ARE THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR ENROLLMENT?**

*Students must:*

- *be enrolled in Surry County Public Schools*
- *be in grade 9 or 10 for the 2008-2009 school year*
- *have parental consent*
- *be recommended by the principal*
- *meet requirements of the college placement test, and*
- *be recommended by the college president*

**WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF SAGE?**

*Some of the major benefits of SAGE are:*

- *Earn an associate degree while in high school*
- *Save thousands of dollars in college tuition*
- *Improve academic skills for the SATs and other key tests*
- *Build employability skills in Surry County*

**The first class will be offered during the summer of 2008 for rising 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> graders. If your child is ready to meet the rigor of college courses, please complete the attached enrollment form and mail it to the address below.**

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