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CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT

NUMBER 5320	ENGLISH NAME Kodeskii Arch	AGENCY Cherokee	NATION Cherokee
BAND	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS mother - Irene Cousin, Cherokee, N. C.	
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD 2	BLOOD free	AGE 15	HEIGHT 4-10
FATHER	MOTHER	WEIGHT 85½	FORCED INSP. 28¾
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Oct. 22, 1914	FOR WHAT PERIOD Three years	DATE DISCHARGED Aug. 8, 1917	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Time out
TO COUNTRY 2-20-16	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS Fred D. Watson, Morrisville, Pa.		FROM COUNTRY 7-17-16

SHAW-WALKER, MUSKOGEE, MICHIGAN. 47445

Months in school before Carlisle. 4 yrs.

Grade entered at Carlisle.

Grade at date of Discharge.

Trade or Industry.

Church. Methodist

2½ mi. to school

[illegible]

Progress from _____, _____, to _____,
(Date)

FIRST YEAR IN THIS SCHOOL	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.
Class or grade.....								
Academic.....standing*								
Industrial.....standing* (Department)								
Musical: Band.....standing*								
Vocal.....standing*								
Orchestra.....standing*								
Department.....standing*								
Physical condition.....								

Remarks:

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BRIEF.

Application of

Irma Orsini

FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Kodaskie Arch

IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

Carlisle, Pennsylvania

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Cherokee N. C.

Date of enrollment, _____, 190~~4~~

Term of enrollment, _____ (*three*) years

Application for Enrollment in a Non-reservation School.

(For a child enrolled at an Agency)

For and in consideration of the Government of the United States assuming the care, education, and maintenance in the United States Indian School at Carlisle Pa.

of Codiskie Arch ; male ; date of birth June 2, 1899
(Name of Child) (Sex)
Cherokee
(Tribe)

NAME OF FATHER (Both Indian and English)	Living or Dead	TRIBE	BAND	DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD
<i>(Legitimate)</i> <u>Wm John Wayne</u>	<u>living</u>	<u>Cherokee</u>	<u>Eastern</u>	<u>full</u>
NAME OF MOTHER				
<u>Irene Cousen</u>	<u>living</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>

I, Irene Cousen, do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to his
 enrollment in said school for a period of 3 years, and also obligate myself to abide by all
(Not less than 3)
 the rules and regulations for Indian Schools.

The said child has been enrolled in the following schools:

NAME OF SCHOOL	DATE OF ENROLLMENT	DATE OF DISCHARGE	CAUSE	GRADE
1. <u>Cherokee Boarding</u>	<u>1908</u>	<u>1914</u>	<u>Transfer</u>	<u>Fourth</u>
2.				
3.				
4.				<u>11</u>

Irene Cousen
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin)

P. O. address: Cherokee male
M. C.

Two Witnesses:

William Shagahnetah
G. W. Foster

PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have this day carefully examined the above-named child herein proposed for transfer and find him to be in proper physical condition to attend school, and not afflicted with tuberculosis or any disease which would be a menace to the health of other pupils.

This 21st day of Oct., 19 14

Leo L. Elliott

Physician at Eastern Cherokee Agency.

CERTIFICATE OF AGENT OR SUPERINTENDENT.

I hereby certify that the statements made in the foregoing application and certificate, to the best of my knowledge and belief, are true, that the consent of Jane Connor
(Parent, guardian, or next of kin.)
was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of said child.

This 21 day of Oct., 19 14

James E. Henderson

Agent or Superintendent.

SPECIAL NOTE.

This form must be executed in duplicate when a child is transferred from a reservation to a non-reservation school. The Superintendent of the nonreservation school will retain the original for his files, and the duplicate shall be deposited in the Agency records. The agent will then send to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs his certificate as provided by law. All the blanks must be properly filled in every case.

NOTE.—Age limits, fourteen to twenty years. Preferably fourteen to eighteen. Students must be at least one-fourth Indian, preferably full Indian. Special cases beyond the age limit will be given consideration. An industrial course only can be taken and the term reduced to three years, in exceptional cases.

INDORSEMENTS.

The laws relating to the transfer of Indian children from reservations and schools are as follows:

That hereafter no Indian child shall be sent from any Indian reservation to a school beyond the State or Territory in which said reservation is situated without the voluntary consent of the father or mother of such child if either of them is living, and if neither of them is living without the voluntary consent of the next of kin of such child. Such consent shall be made before the agent of the reservation, and he shall send to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs his certificate that such consent has been voluntarily given before such child shall be removed from such reservation. And it shall be unlawful for any Indian agent or other employee of the Government to induce, or seek to induce, by withholding rations or by other improper means, the parents or next of kin of any Indian to consent to the removal of any Indian child beyond the limits of any reservation. (28 Stats., p. 906.)

Provided, that hereafter no Indian child shall be taken from any school in any State or Territory to a school in any other State against its will or without the written consent of its parents. (29 Stats., p. 348.)

The rules provide that—

A pupil who has been regularly enrolled in a nonreservation school must not be taken to any other nonreservation school without the consent of both Superintendents and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, and Superintendents will be held to strict accountability for such pupils taken to their schools.

An Indian boy or girl 18 years old and over may, without the consent of parents or others, personally sign the application form on its being changed to suit the case.

This form is to be used only in transfers from reservations or Indian schools to nonreservation schools.



NAME Rodeskie Arch Sex ☒ Male. ☐ Female.

Tribe ☒ Full ☐ Cherokee State N. Carolina Oct 21, 1914

Age 15 years Respiration 18 Condition of, Eyes normal

Height 4 ft. 10 ins. Ears normal

Weight 85 1/2 lbs. Mensuration { Insp. 28 3/4 Exp. 26 1/2 Throat normal

Temperature _____ Vaccination yes Cervical glands normal

Pulse 76 Vision good Skin normal

Inspection normal

Palpation normal

Percussion normal tympany

Auscultation Breath & voice sounds normal. no rales

Heart normal

(Menstruation) _____

FAMILY HISTORY.

	LIVING.	CONDITION OF HEALTH.	DEAD.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Father			yes	
Mother	yes	good health		
Brothers	one	good health	one	unknown
Sisters	Two	good health.	none	

Personal history _____

Present condition _____

Les I Elliott, M. D.

This form is for the record of the physical condition of pupils of boarding or nonreservation Indian schools. It should be filled in by the school physician at the time of the admission of the pupil.

Physicians in the field should use this form to record the examination of pupils for transfer to nonreservation schools. It should accompany the pupils' transfer blanks.

The reverse side is intended as a card-index case-record for use by all Service physicians.

(On _____, 19____)

Kodaski Arch

PRESENT NAME

OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

Name of Student Kodaski Arch		Home Address Erene Arch, Cherokee, N.C.												Tribe Cherokee	
Age at Entrance 15	Date of Entrance 10-22-14	Shop	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	TOTAL OR AVERAGE
Patron Fred D. Watson	Locality	Days in School													
Address Morrisville Pa.	R. R. Station	Conduct					y	y	y	y					
Recommended by	Grade in School	Ability					y	y	y	y					
Grade of Home	Church	Health					y	y	7.	7.					
Date of Outing 3-30-16	Date Returned 7-17-16	Wages Pick						4.	4.						

OUTING RECORD - CARLISLE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

Mr' Lipps:

This boy has had poison almost
all the time he has been under the outing
and has not earned enough to pay this and
his fare back to Carlisle too.

Respectfull y

NR Denny

July 15, 1916.

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ing professional services

Fallsington, Pa.,

July 1 1916

Carlisle Indian School

In Account with **J. N. RICHARDS, M. D.**

For professional services from.....19 to.....19 \$ 4.00

Credits Carlisle Indian School

Indian boy at Fred. A. Watson
Fallsing Lin Pa - Kodak Arch

Amount due, \$ 4.00

Received payment,

Office Hours: Until 8 A. M.; 1 to 2 and 6 to 9 P. M.

Book.....Fol.....

Kodesskie Arch.

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July 22, 1916

Dr. J. N. Richards,
Fallsington, Pa.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing herewith a new voucher covering professional services rendered Kodeskie Arch, an Outing pupil of this school. The date shown on the old voucher, July 19th, does not correspond with our records. The certificate is to be filled in and signed by our superintendent. The other dates are probably all right. However, it will not be necessary for you to fill them in.

I am enclosing herewith a franked envelope in which you may return the new voucher after signing same.

Yours very truly,

Chief Clerk.

CVP:LG

Enc.

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Sept. 15th, 1916.

Mrs. Irene Conseen,

Cherokee, North Carolina.

My dear Madam:

I have received your letter of the 12th instant and have noted that you are yet anxious about the condition of Kodaskie Arch's health. In reply thereto I can state that he is very well at this time, although our physician keeps him at the Hospital under close observation in order that any recurrence of his trouble can be prevented in so far as it is possible to do so. Kodaskie is used as an errand boy, is out and about all the time and you can rest assured that we are taking the best possible care of him. It will not be advisable, therefore, to let him return home because there is no necessity for such action.

Hoping that further encouraging reports can be conveyed to you from time to time about your boy's health and his progress in his school work, I am,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

Cherokee M.C.

Sept. 13/16

Dear Sir.

Well I will write you
a few lines to you to ask
you how is my boy -

Kodaskie Arch getting
along with his sickness

Well if he is not getting
better with his sickness

Will you please send
him back home to me

For I dont want him to
be send to Washington

And you know he would

get well up there, And -
You should send him
back home to me pretty
soon if he is not well
Because you should send
him as same as Ross
Ash with his ill.
Well you should pay his
transpiration or way back
home to Cherokee North Car
For I am ^{not} rich enough
to pay his way back
home. For I didnt pay

#3
his way up there to
Carlsbad Pa. and that
give you to pay his
way back home.
For I wouldnt been ~~being~~
asking you to send
him back if he wasnt
sick and for he want
to come home and so I
will be glad if you will
send him home
Well answer my
letter in Five Days

Return to
Irene Conseen
Cherokee
N.C.

Yours Truly

Irene Conseen

after in Five Days

Return to Cherokee, N.C.

Information regarding pupils to test eligibility and whether in need of
Federal aid.

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Date of report

Apr 28 1915

Name of child

Kodaskie Arch

Age

15

Grade

Third B.

Home post office

Cherokee North Carolina

Tribe

Cherokee

Degree of Indian blood

7/8

How many acres of land do you own

none

Location

—

What is the annual income from your land

—

Do you have any other income

How much

—

Is your father living

I do not know.

Father's name

I do not know.

Home post office

Tribe

Cherokee

Degree of Indian blood

3/4

Is he a citizen

How much land does he own

Allotment No

Land is not allotted

What is its estimated value

What is the annual income from his land

Does he have any other income

If so, how much

Does your father pay taxes on land or personal property

Is your mother living

yes

Mother's name

Irene Conseen

Home post office

Cherokee N.C.

Tribe

Cherokee

Degree of Indian blood

Full.

Is she a citizen

No

How much land does your mother own

None

Allotment No

Land is not allotted

What is its estimated value

What is the annual income from her land ~~She lives on it~~ It is Council land
Does she have any other income ~~No~~
If so, how much —
Does your mother pay taxes on her land or on personal property Yes to the Council.
With whom do you make your home Mother.
How many rooms in the house One.
How many live in the house Five.
How far is your home from nearest public school 3 miles
Why do you not attend that school Indian children are not
allowed to attend white schools.
How many teachers employed there 2
How many grades maintained 8
How many months of school each year 6
Did you ever attend a public school ~~Yes~~ No
If so, how long # Where A
How many brothers of school age have you One
How many sisters of school age have you Two
Are they in school One sister
Where E. Cherokee Boarding School.

Remarks and recommendations of superintendent with reference to eligibility and need of Federal aid:

Superintendent.

NOTE.—One of these blanks should be filled out by each pupil at Government boarding schools, preferably with the assistance of the superintendent or some one designated to act as his representative. If the superintendent is of opinion from the information given that the pupil is entitled to enrollment he should so indicate by signing the blank in the proper place and filing in the individual pupil's folder. In the case of pupils concerning whose eligibility or need of Government aid there is some doubt, superintendents should make proper remarks and recommendations in the space indicated and forward the form to the Indian Office for consideration.

REPORT OF Stadoskie Arche pupil of Carlisle Indian
 School, who went 3/30/16 to live with Fannie Watson
(Date) (Patron)
 of Fallington, Bucks
(Post Office) (County)
Pg, Morrisville Pg Railroad Station
(State)

Conduct Very Good
 Health Good but for egg poisoning -
 Ability Excellent
 Cleanliness Good
 Economy Good
 Situation of Room Second floor - farm home
 Condition of Room Good - Excellent
 Condition of Clothing Good
 Wages five dollars per month
 Are careful accounts kept by patron? yes
 Are careful accounts kept by pupil? no
 Number of days at school attended school at Carlisle
 Distance to school at Indian school
 Grade or quality of school Indian School
 Name and address of teacher Govt Employees
 Qualifications of teacher — — — — —
 In what grade was pupil at Carlisle? 5th
 In what grade is pupil at present? 5th
 Attends what church and Sunday school? Methodist
 Distance to church One fourth miles
 Is there a Catholic church in locality? yes
 Who compose patron's family? man & wife only -
 What other help is employed? farm hands -
 Locality of home near Fallington -
 Home life and environments Good
 Trade at school None
 Nature of work farm
 Pupil's age 14 Experience Good

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June 5, 1917.

James E. Henderson, Supt.,
Cherokee Indian School,
Cherokee, N.C.

Dear Sir:

Will you please advise me regarding the return home of Kodaski Arch whose term of enrollment according to our records expires this month.

Kodaski has not done very much during the time he has been at Carlisle. He has been handicapped by the skin trouble which he has. He has worked in the hospital kitchen most of the time he has been here, has learned no trade, and I do not see that he could do very much at home during the summer.

However, you can get in touch with his people and let me know whether you think it advisable for him to go home.

Very truly yours,

D:R

Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

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Cherokee, N.C., June 11, 1917.

Mr. John Francis, Jr., Superintendent,
Carlisle Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Francis:

I am in receipt of your communication with
reference to Codaskie Arch returning home this summer.

His mother wishes him to be returned home but
owing to their being so poor, I would suggest that if the
boy will agree that he remain at Carlisle and ^{go} out to the
country during the summer. His mother is a very ignorant
woman who is unable to control him or make him work. the
chances are that he would loaf most of the time if here.

Very respectfully,

J. E. Hudson
Superintendent.

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June 27, 1917.

Mrs. Irene Arch Conseen
Cherokee, N. C.

Dear Madam:-

I have your letter dated June 23rd asking that your son Kodaski Arch be returned to you as his time had expired. It is true that Kodaski has been at Carlisle three years and that he is entitled to go home this summer. The reason I did not arrange for him to go to you was that I consulted with Mr. Henderson and we decided that as Kodaski was getting along nicely here and his services were not needed at home, that the best thing for him was to remain here. Like all other boys of his age, he naturally wants a change and I think this is the only reason he wants to go home. He has had some kind of skin affection ever since he has been at Carlisle and he has been kept in the hospital where he could get constant treatment for his trouble. He has not been sick at all but we find that if we let up on his treatment, there is a recurrence of his skin trouble. I think this is another reason why he should remain here. He can get this treatment free of cost.

Mrs. Irene Arch Conseen-2

I hope that you will understand that this decision regarding your son was made after careful consideration and that it was made with his best interest in view.

I am mailing an application blank to Mr. Henderson today so that you can have your son enrolled for another term.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

NRD

June 23th 1917.

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Cherokee N.C.

Dear Sir John Francis

Well I am dropping you a short
letter for you to read for a season
Well Mr. Francis will you please
send my boy Kodaskie Arch home
And it has been three years
sence he left from home And I
was satisfied that he ~~xxx~~ put his
~~three~~ three years at Carlisle.
And that ~~xxx~~ he has put his 3
years at Carlisle. Three years is all
I could let him ~~st~~ stay at Carlisle
And so ~~Id~~ I want him to come home
Well that is all for this time
Please send in my boy home
for I need him to help me work
on our farm

From Your Truly

Mrs. Irene Arch Conson
Cherokee N.C.
Swain County

Please send in my boy
in next week some time
for he is wanting to come home

After in five days
Answer in five days

Will does he have to get
off at Swanton N.C.

Tell me where he has to get off
the train.

June 27, 1917.

Mr. J. E. Henderson
Superintendent Indian School
Cherokee, N. C.

My dear Mr. Henderson:-

I have had a letter from the mother of Kodaski Arch asking for his return home but have answered this letter discouraging this idea. Kodaski is getting along nicely here, getting regular treatment for his skin trouble and seems contented except that he wants a change of some kind. If it were not for this trouble which he has, I would have sent him under the outing where he would have been more contented.

I enclose an application blank for his re-enrolment, if his mother approves.

Very truly yours

Superintendent.

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August 1, 1917.

Mrs. Irene Conseen,
Cherokee, N.C.

Dear Madam:

I have your letter asking for the
return home of your son Kodaski and have *ack*
referred the matter to Mr. Henderson again.

As soon as I have his recommendation
I will give the matter of the return home
of Kodaski immediate attention.

Very truly yours,

D:R

Chief Clerk in Charge.

August 1, 1917.

James E. Henderson, Supt.,
Cherokee Indian School,
Cherokee, N.C.

Dear Sir:

I have again a letter from Mrs. Irene Conseen, requesting that her son Kodaski Arch be sent home to her. Her letter is very urgent and as his time is up I do not see how we can refuse the mother's demand.

Will you please let me know promptly if it seems with your approval to return Kodaski home.

David Thompson and Joseph Jesson will likely return from their outing homes to go to Cherokee within the next few days, and I can arrange for Kodaski to go with them if you will write me in time.

Very truly yours,

D:R

Chief Clerk in Charge.

Cherokee
-nc.

#1.

July 28/17

Dear Sir Mr John R Francis
Well I am asking you for my
boy to come home for it has
been long time since I
have seen him And when
I talked to Mr. Henderson about
it for him to come home till
Fall he said it would be
aright then he shall return
to you in Fall to go to school
after he ~~has~~ returned home
and fall come then would be
at Carlisle For we all want to
see for it has been a long time
since I have seen him
I dont believe it is right for you
to stop him keep from coming home

#2

For I ~~am~~ am his parent yet
who is still living at Cherokee
For you cannot hold him back
keep from coming home.

And Henderson said he was
going write to you to ask the boy
to come home till Fall,

Will you please send my boy
Kodaskie Arch to come home
For it is a long time since I have
seen my little boy Kodaskie Arch

Please do what I am asking
for you to do to send
my boy to come home till fall
Yours Truly

Mrs Irene Consee
Cherokee n.e.

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August 9, 1917.

James E. Henderson, Supt.,
Indian School,
Cherokee, N.C.

Dear Sir:

When Kodaski Arch left here
on Wednesday morning for his home he took
with him a Carlisle sweater valued at \$8
belonging to Clarence Cadotte, one of the
boys in small boys' quarters. That is the
report I have from Clarence Cadotte this
morning.

Can you help us to recover the
stolen article.

Very truly yours,

J:R

Chief Clerk in Charge.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Cherokee, N.C., July 30, 1917.

Mr. John Francis, Superintendent,
Carlisle Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Francis:

Irene Arch the mother of Kodaske Arch
a pupil of your school has been to see me a number of times
regarding the return of her son home. She has declined
to this date to sign the application for re-enrollment
of Kodaskie, but says that if you will return him for the
remainder of the summer she will see that he returns to
Carlisle in the fall.

Very respectfully,

James E. Anderson
Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

Cherokee, N. August 13, 1917.

Mr. John Francis, Superintendent,
Carlisle, Pa.

My dear Mr. Francis:

Your letter of August 9, saying that
Kodaskie Arch who left your school some days ago for
this reservation ~~is~~ suspected of having stolen a sweater
has been received. It will give me pleasure to find out
whether the boy took the sweater and if found I will
see that it is returned to the owner.

Very respectfully,

James E. Hudson
Superintendent.

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UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

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Cherokee, N. C. November 20, 1917.

Mr. John Francis, Jr.,

Superintendent Carlisle Indian School,

Carlisle, Penna.

Dear Sir:--

I am sending you by this mail the sweater
stollen by Codaskie Arch, when he left Carlisle this
summer. We were not able to get same until a few
days ago.

Very respectfully,

James E. Hudson
Superintendent.

CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

May 24, 1917

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This certifies that Kodeskie Arch

(Name of student.)

has made the following record in

Carlisle Indian School

(Name of school.)

SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL.

GRADE.

RATING.

English1V79General Exercises82Arithmetic71Geography74Physiology & Hygiene80Penmanship79Drawing73

Effort

Department

DETAILS SERVED.

LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH.

RATING.

General Work85and is ~~not~~ eligible to pursue work in the Fifth grade, academic; and

(Cancel one.)

grade or year vocational.

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Superintendent.

Principal.

CERTIFICATE OF PROMOTION

May 24, 1917, 191

This certifies that Kodeskie Arch
(Name of student.)
 has made the following record in Carlisle Indian School
(Name of school.)

SUBJECTS—ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL.	GRADE.	RATING.
English	IV	79
General Exercises		82
Arithmetic		71
Geography		74
Physiology & Hygiene		80
Penmanship		79
Drawing		73

Effort _____

Department _____

DETAILS SERVED.	LENGTH OF TIME IN EACH.	RATING.
General Work		85

and is on ~~XXX~~ Fifth grade, academic; and
(Cancel one.)
 _____ grade or year vocational.