

Creswell High School

"Preparing Students for College and Careers"

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Dear Hardship Committee,

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This letter is in support of a hardship request for Santley Chee. Stanley has been in and out of many school districts in his educational career due to the lack of a stable home. He is currently living with the Sizemore family in Creswell. They are not his legal guardians.

Stanley will be entering his 11th grade year and will be in his 4th high school in that time. Stanley's parents, who are divorced, have severe drug and alcohol issues that make it unsafe and unhealthy for Stanley to live with either of them. His father lives in Texas and his mother in in jail on drug charges.

If you take a look at Stanley's transcript it will tell a very unique story. As a freshman, he started at Round Valley High School (AZ), transferred to Creswell (to live with Grandma) and then back to Round Valley. In the process he was only able to get 1 credit and entered his sophomore year way behind. He attended Mcneil High School in Texas and took extra classes in order to get caught up. He earned 9.5 credits in one school year. Stanley is now on track to graduate. He did this in a poor living situation that included large amounts of substance abuse. Upon coming to Oregon this summer Stanley was essentially homeless with no regular place to live and stay.

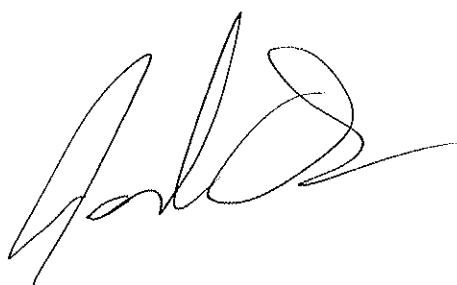
Stanley met the Sizemore's at a youth church outing about a month ago. They have since taken him in and provided him with a place that is both stable and loving. Being able to play sports would be an important piece for him to continue to be successful. We monitor academic progress in our student athletes every two week and offer 6 study hall sessions a week for athletes that are struggling. Please consider this request and let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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