

Honors Program

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Application

Answers can be typewritten or printed neatly. Where questions are not applicable, write N/A. Applications are received at anytime. However, an early return can facilitate enrollment in the Honors Program for the semester following admission.

Note that this application is separate and independent from your application for admission to the University. You must be accepted for admission before acceptance to the Honors Program.

APPLICATION TO THE HONORS PROGRAM

Name Social Security Number

Date of Birth Place

Address

City State Zip Code Telephone Number

Please check the item that applies to you.

- Currently enrolled in high school
- Currently enrolled at Montclair State University
- Currently enrolled at another college
- None of the above, but I am... _____

Please indicate your current grade point average and class ranking

____ Out of a possible _____ _____ Out of a possible _____
GPA CLASS RANK

Please list your best scores on the SAT

____ Verbal _____ Mathematics

Please indicate the high school that you attend and your guidance counselor's name.

High School Name

Address

City State Zip Code

Guidance Counselor's Name Telephone Number

For career or post graduate education, I would like to:

Please list any gifted, honors, accelerated, advance placement courses.

Have you ever taken any Advance Placement Tests? If so, please indicate the courses and the score achieved on the exam.

During my college experience, I expect my personal growth to include...

Please list any honors or awards, academic or otherwise, received.

Please list your extracurricular activities, interests, and work experiences.

Please list a single community or extracurricular activity, which has been especially meaningful or important to you.

If there is anything else that you would like to tell us, any unusual circumstance, or any special information about you that would be relevant, please describe it on a separate sheet and indicate "Special Considerations" at the top of the paper.

Please send with this application a recent term paper or essay, or an original typewritten essay of 500 to 1,000 words which reflects your thoughts on the following question: "If I had the opportunity to have a conversation with anyone in the world, past or present, who would I choose and why?" The essay offers an opportunity for you to help us become acquainted with you in ways different from courses, grades, test scores, and other objective data. It enables you to demonstrate your creativity to display your ability to organize your thoughts and express yourself.

Please submit two letters of teacher recommendations that outline your characteristics as a prospective honors student and have them send the letter directly to the Honors Program using the enclosed forms.

Although a personal interview is not mandatory for admission to the Honors Program, at the discretion of the Honors Program Advisory Board, an interview may be requested.

I, submit this application to the Honors Program answering all questions to the best of my ability and with truthfulness.

Signature

Date

All materials should be sent to:

Dr. Gregory Waters
Director, University Honors Program
201 Dickson Hall
Montclair State University
Upper Montclair, New Jersey 07043

Montclair State University
Honors Program
Student Waiver and Recommendation

Reference Statement Concerning: _____
Student's Name

I hereby waive my right to see this reference statement.

Student's Signature

Date

The student name above has applied for admission to the Honors Program. Will you please comment on his or her ability to participate in such a program, with special reference to the following areas: initiative, intellectual curiosity, cultural and social awareness, communication skills, and conceptual reasoning ability. Please also indicate how well you know the student and in what capacity. Please feel free to use the space provided or attach a letter on your school stationary.

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