



GEAR UP UNIVERSITY APPLICATION

PROFILE

Legal name (as it appears on official documents): _____

Email address: _____ SSN: _____

Permanent address: _____

Language proficiency

Language: _____ Speak Read Write First Language Speak at home

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If you are American Indian or Alaskan Native, what is your tribal enrollment number? _____

FAMILY

Provide information about both parents even if one or more is deceased or no longer has legal responsibilities toward you.

Parent 1

Legal Name: _____

Occupation: _____ College (if any): _____

Degree earned: _____ year: _____

Parent 2

Legal Name: _____

Occupation: _____ College (if any): _____

Degree earned: _____ year: _____

Parent's divorce date, if applicable (mm/yyyy): _____

Legal Guardian (if other than parent)

Legal Name: _____

Occupation: _____ College (if any): _____

Degree earned: _____ year: _____

EDUCATION

Most recent high school attended: _____

Entry date (mm/yyyy): _____ Graduation/expected graduation date (mm/yyyy): _____

School type: public charter independent religious home school

Class rank: _____ Class size: _____

GPA: _____ Scale: _____

Academic Honors (distinctions or honors received since the 9th grade):

High School Courses (list all the courses you are taking this academic year):

Course Title: _____

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Course Title: _____

Course Title: _____

Concurrent Enrollment Courses:

College: _____

From date (mm/yyyy) _____ To date (mm/yyyy) _____

ACT score: _____

Extracurricular, volunteer & work activities:

WRITING

Write one essay between 250 and 650 words. You must stay within that word count. You will be asked to write a response to your choice of one of the five prompts listed below. This essay is designed to demonstrate your ability to write clearly and concisely and help you set your application apart.

1. Some students have a background or story that is so central to their identity that they believe their application would be incomplete without it. If this sounds like you, then please share your story.
2. Recount an incident or time when you experienced failure. How did it affect you, and what lessons did you learn?
3. Reflect on a time when you challenged a belief or idea. What prompted you to act? Would you make the same decision again?
4. Describe a place or environment where you are perfectly content. What do you do or experience there, and why is it meaningful to you?
5. Discuss an accomplishment or event, formal or informal, that marked your transition from childhood to adulthood within your culture, community, or family.