



APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

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UPPER DIVISION STUDENT APPLICATION | GRADES 9-12

Name of Student _____ Applicant for Grade _____

Please list the extracurricular activities that mean the most to you.

Activity	Level of Participation	Years of Involvement	Intend to pursue at Garden (Yes/No)

Additional Notes:

Please respond to questions 1&2 and select one other of your choosing: (attach all response)

1. [Required] Community is a big part of Garden. Why are you applying to Garden and how will you contribute to our community? (150 words)
2. [Required] At Garden we are proud of our diverse student body. How will you contribute to the diversity of our student body? (150 words)
3. If you could spend the day with anyone, real or fictional, living or not, famous or not- who would it be, how would you spend the day and what three questions would you ask them? (150 words)
4. Explain the impact of an event or activity that has created a change in your life or in your way of thinking? (150 words)
5. What book have you read recently and how has it impacted your life? (150 words)

Please respond to one essay prompt - (attach response)

1. This year, our school theme is equity. What does equity mean to you? Please cite an example of a time you witnessed an inequitable situation and describe how you reacted and/or responded. (300-500 words)
2. Each person has a unique set of character skills they learn and develop over time. Take a moment to think about the character skills that make you who you are. Describe one of your character skills and a time or situation when they came in handy. (examples of character skills include: initiative, open-mindedness, social awareness, and self-control) (300-500 words)

Student Signature _____ Date: _____