



# WRITING THE COLLEGE ESSAY

## Welcome, Incoming Seniors!

Applying for college or a scholarship in the fall?

Interested in developing the skills you need to write a college essay that stands out from the crowd?

Get a head start and sign up for Writing the College Essay, a week-long summer workshop.

At the end of the week, you will have revised drafts of two college essays. These sections will be kept smaller (12-16) in order to provide more individual guidance.

- Read and analyze successful college and scholarship essays
- Perfect your personal style
- Write sentences that stick out
- Draft, revise, edit, and share a college essay that will get you noticed by schools

## ABOUT THE INSTRUCTORS

All Oregon Writing Project college workshop instructors are full-time high school educators. They have completed an intensive four-week summer institute on the teaching of writing, plus three follow-up college classes that lead to the Certificate in the Teaching of Writing. These courses focus on learning effective teaching strategies, prompts, and pacing.

### Past Participants have said...

*"I was extremely thankful to have a solid start to my essay going into the college application season. I applied to ten schools and was accepted into seven initially."*

*"Thanks so much for teaching my son! I loved the essays he wrote and was really surprised by the fishing one. I will absolutely recommend the program."*

## WORKSHOP INFORMATION

### 2019 DATES

**Session 1:** June 17-21, 9 a.m.–noon

**Session 2:** June 24-28, 9 a.m.–noon

**COST** \$175, \$100 for free/reduced lunch (verified by school)

**LOCATION** Lincoln High School,  
1600 Salmon St., Portland, OR 97205

See reverse for registration form

**OREGON WRITING PROJECT**  
at Lewis & Clark College  
*SUMMER PROGRAMS IN PORTLAND*

## College Essay Writers 2019 Registration Form

Writer's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Preferred Name: \_\_\_\_\_

*DEADLINE for submission of form: MONDAY, JUNE 10, 2019*

*This program is designed for Fall 2019 seniors.*

**CHOOSE — Please CIRCLE one session's letter:**

Session A — Monday through Friday, June 17 – 21, 9 a.m. - noon

Session B — Monday through Friday, June 24 – 28, 9 a.m. - noon

### Student/Parent/Guardian Information:

Student: Grade Sept. 2019: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Circle pronoun: He She They

Parent/Guardian Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Best Daytime Contact Phone (s): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's School Sept. 2019: \_\_\_\_\_

### Health/Emergency Contact Information:

Name of Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Best Daytime Phone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Physician: \_\_\_\_\_

Physician's Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies, if any: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any medical problems that our staff should know about: \_\_\_\_\_

### Payment Information — Cost: \$175, or \$100 for free/reduced lunch (verified by school)

Check enclosed payable to Lewis & Clark College \_\_\_\_\_ Charge to my VISA/Mastercard \_\_\_\_\_

Card Holder Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Card No. \_\_\_\_\_

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Card Holder Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

**For your security, please do not send credit card numbers via email as attachments.**

Submit this form and payment to:

Linda Christensen, OWP Director

Lewis & Clark — **MSC 85**

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