



The Candidate Profile is a biographical information form accepted by schools participating in the Gateway to Prep Schools. These schools are dedicated to simplifying the application process for admission candidates and their families. Visit gatewaytoprepschools.com to learn more about participating schools, their respective application processes, and the Gateway initiative.

Note: The Candidate Profile is only one section of a complete application.

Schools communicate frequently by e-mail. You may receive important messages about your application through e-mail. Be sure to check your e-mail frequently and let schools know if you change your e-mail address.

Biographical Information

Name _____			
_____	_____	_____	_____
Last	First	Middle	Suffix
Preferred First Name _____		Pronouns _____	
Permanent Address _____			

_____	_____	_____	_____
City/Town	State/Province	Country	Zip/Postal Code
Preferred Contact Number (Please enter a cell phone if possible.) _____		Type _____	
(e.g. 412 555-1212)			
Gender: ☐ Female ☐ Male ☐ Self-Identify _____		Candidate's E-mail _____	
		Please print clearly	
Date of Birth _____		Place of birth _____	
mm/dd/yyyy	_____	_____	_____
	City	State	Country
Language spoken in your home _____		Term of Proposed Entrance _____	
Current Grade _____	Applying for Grade _____	Residential Status: ☐ Day Student ☐ Boarding Student	

The Form I-20 is only necessary for citizens of other countries who wish to study in the United States. Upon entering the United States, international students must present the Form I-20 and the F-1 Visa. For more information, please go to: <https://studyinthestates.dhs.gov/students-and-the-form-i-20>

Will you require a Form I-20 for an F-1 Visa to enter the United States? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, which citizenship should be listed on the Form I-20? _____

Country of citizenship (if applicable) _____

Gateway member schools encourage applications from families of all educational backgrounds, including from students who will be the first in their families to attend college.

Will you be a first-generation college student (i.e., a student whose parent(s)/guardian(s) did not complete a bachelor's degree)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

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Optional Background Information

In an effort to fully capture the identities of all students in our community, we encourage you to consider checking all that apply.

- ☐ African American or Black, country of family's origin _____
- ☐ Asian American or Asian, country of family origin _____
- ☐ Hispanic or Latino/a/x, country of family origin _____
- ☐ Middle Eastern, country of family origin _____
- ☐ Native American or Alaska Native, tribal affiliation: _____ date enrolled: _____
- ☐ Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander, country of family origin _____
- ☐ White or Caucasian, Non Hispanic/Latinx, country of family origin _____
- ☐ Other, please specify _____
- ☐ Prefer not to respond

Educational Background

Name of present school _____

Have you attended your current school for fewer than 2 years? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Start Date of Attendance _____ Present school ends after grade _____

School Address _____

Street

City/Town

State/Province

Country

Zip/Postal Code

School Type: ☐ Public School ☐ Private School: Day Student ☐ Private School: Boarding Student
☐ Parochial School ☐ Charter School ☐ Home School ☐ Online School

List the names and addresses of any other school you have attended since sixth grade:

Year(s) Attended	School Name	School Address
-	_____	_____
-	_____	_____
-	_____	_____

Have you ever been dismissed, suspended, placed on probation, or received other serious disciplinary sanctions? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Have you withdrawn from school voluntarily for an extended period of time for other than reasons of health? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If the answer to either of these questions is yes, please provide an explanation.

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Please consult each school's policy regarding standardized testing. Contact information for the schools can be found at <https://www.gatewaytoprepschools.com/schools>.

Interests and Activities

Please check the academic areas you are most excited about studying.

- ☐ English
- ☐ World Languages
- ☐ Classical Languages
- ☐ Math
- ☐ Computer Science
- ☐ Science
- ☐ Social Sciences
- ☐ Visual Arts and Performing Arts

In the grid below, please note your interests and activities in areas such as music, drama, art, community service, debate, writing, athletics, employment, or hobbies. We understand that some candidates have more opportunities for organized activities than others, but we are interested in how you spend your time outside of the classroom.

Activity	Years of experience	Hours per week	Weeks per year	Level of involvement (such as first chair, junior varsity, travel team)	Positions held; awards, honors, leadership	Will you continue this activity?

If you need more space, please use the “Additional Information” section on page 1G.

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Academic, Athletic and Personal Achievements

List or briefly describe any academic or personal achievements of which you are especially proud. Use this area to note any academic honors you have received.

Multimedia

Please check with the school to see if they have other ways of accepting multimedia.

If you would like to provide a url to an existing website with multimedia content, you may do so below. Examples of multimedia content that students have provided in the past are: links to newspaper articles, YouTube videos, music files, or a personal website they have created. Be sure to provide a description of the link in the space provided. NOTE: If you have more than two links you may add them to the “Additional Information” section on page 1G.

Link to Multimedia _____

Category (eg instrument, sport, drama) _____

Description:

Link to Multimedia _____

Category (eg instrument, sport, drama) _____

Description:

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Family Information (Household 1)

Please note: it is important for schools to have as much information as possible for each candidate. Parents/guardians are listed according to the household in which they live. If the student has two parents/guardians living in the same household, please record their information in the parent/guardian sections under Household 1. If the student has two parents/guardians living in separate households, record one parent/guardian's information in the first section of Household 1 and the other parent/guardian's information in the first section of Household 2.

Parents/Guardians' marital status (relative to each other): ☐ Married ☐ Single ☐ Separated ☐ Divorced ☐ Widowed ☐ Domestic Partnership ☐ Other

Household 1 Information (Household 1 is the candidate's primary place of residence.)

Address _____

City/Town State/Province Country Zip/Postal Code

Home Phone _____
(e.g. 412 555-1212)

Household 1 Parent/Guardian

Parent/Guardian Type: ☐ Father ☐ Mother ☐ Guardian ☐ Living ☐ Deceased

Name _____
Prefix First Middle Last Suffix

☐ This Parent/Guardian has legal guardianship of the candidate. Preferred Name or Nickname _____

Employment Status: ☐ Employed ☐ Not Currently Employed

Occupation/Title _____ Employer _____

Business Address _____

Work Phone _____
(e.g. 412 555-1212)

Preferred Contact Number _____ Type _____ Secondary Contact Number _____ Type _____
(e.g. 412 555-1212) (e.g. 412 555-1212)

Preferred E-mail _____ Parent/Guardian's Place of Birth _____
City State Country

High School Attended (if any) _____

College Attended (if any) and Degree Earned _____

Graduate School Attended (if any) and Degree Earned _____

Household 1 Parent/Guardian

Parent/Guardian Type: ☐ Father ☐ Mother ☐ Partner ☐ Living ☐ Deceased ☐ Unknown
☐ Stepfather ☐ Stepmother ☐ Guardian

Name _____
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Occupation/Title _____ Employer _____

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Family Information (Household 2)

Household 2 Information

Address _____

City/Town	State/Province	Country	Zip/Postal Code
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Home Phone _____
(e.g. 412 555-1212)

Household 2 Parent/Guardian

Parent/Guardian Type: ☐ Father ☐ Mother ☐ Guardian ☐ Living ☐ Deceased

Name _____
Prefix First Middle Last Suffix

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Employment Status: ☐ Employed ☐ Not Currently Employed

Occupation/Title _____ Employer _____

Business Address _____

Work Phone _____
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Preferred Contact Number _____ Type _____ Secondary Contact Number _____ Type _____
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Preferred E-mail _____ Parent/Guardian's Place of Birth _____
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High School Attended (if any) _____

College Attended (if any) and Degree Earned _____

Graduate School Attended (if any) and Degree Earned _____

Household 2 Parent/Guardian

Parent/Guardian Type: ☐ Partner ☐ Stepfather ☐ Stepmother ☐ Living ☐ Deceased ☐ Unknown

Name _____
Prefix First Middle Last Suffix

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Employment Status: ☐ Employed ☐ Not Currently Employed

Occupation/Title _____ Employer _____

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Family Information (Siblings and Alumni)

Siblings

Please list all siblings, if any.

Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial	Date of Birth	Gender	Most Recent School or College Attended

If you have more than four siblings, please list them in the “Additional Information” below.

Alumni

Please list family members who have attended an independent school, if any.

Name	Relationship to Candidate	School	Class Year

If you have more than four alumni, please list additional family members in the “Additional Information” section.

Additional Information / Explanation

If you would like to provide any additional information that was not specifically requested or did not fit in the spaces provided, you may use the space below.

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Financial Aid (To be completed by the parents/guardians)

Is your child an applicant for financial aid? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Parents/Guardians must select one of the above options. Checking “yes” enables schools to send you information about financial aid policies. Financial aid programs may differ from school to school so please be sure to consult with each school.

Personal Interview

Interviews are helpful to schools and candidates alike. Please consult the schools to which you are applying regarding deadlines and procedures for scheduling an interview.

Signatures

In consideration of the undertaking by the admission offices at the schools to which this Candidate Profile will be submitted, the undersigned agree that the information furnished on the final application forms, together with all information and materials of any kind received by the admission offices from any source, or prepared by anyone at its request, shall be completely confidential and shall not be disclosed to anyone, including the candidate and their family, except that the dean/director may, for official purposes at their discretion, disclose any part or all thereof to such person or persons as they deem advisable.

☐ Candidate Confirmation	Signature _____	Date _____
☐ Parent/Guardian Confirmation	Signature _____	Date _____
☐ Parent/Guardian Confirmation	Signature _____	Date _____

Authorization

☐ By checking this box, I certify that all information submitted in the admissions process — including the Candidate Profile, other application materials, any essays, and any other supporting materials — is factually accurate and honestly presented. I understand that I may be subject to possible admission revocation should the information I’ve certified be false.

The required, nonrefundable application fee, as stated by individual schools, should be submitted to each school with the Candidate Profile.

Our schools do not discriminate on the basis of gender identity, race, color, disability, religion, sexual orientation, or national origin in the administration of our admission policies and financial aid programs.

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