

# High School Summer Program at Landmark College Application for Admission

# Please answer all questions completely. Please print clearly or type.

Today's Date

Month/Day/Year

#### **STUDENT INFORMATION**

Name			
First	Middle		Last
Address			
City	State		Zip
Home Phone ( )	– Work Phone ( )		
Cell Phone ( )	_ – Primary Email Address		
Date of Birth /	/		
l identify my gender as: _	((e.g., male, female, ge	enderfluid, non-binary)	or 🗆 I prefer not to disclose
SUMMER PROGRAM	SELECTION		
I am applying for:	<ul> <li>High School Summer Program, Tradit</li> <li>High School Summer Program, Social</li> </ul>		
Have you ever applied to	Landmark College?   Yes  No If yes, when	en:	
Have you ever attended I	andmark College (including summer program	ns)? 🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
If yes, when:			
CITIZENSHIP			
	∃Yes □No If no, what is your country of cit	izenship?	
If other than a U.S. citize	n, please give citizenship status and visa need	s:	
ADDITIONAL INFORM			
	n is optional. Information you provide will not	t be used in a discrimina	atory manner.
	o? □ Yes □ No (country of family's origin _		
	your racial background? (select one or more of		
□ Asian (country of fam	ily's origin	□ Native Hawaiian	or Other Pacific Islander
□ Black or African Amer		□ White	
□ American Indian or Al	aska Native		

# ABOUT YOUR EDUCATION (attach additional sheets if necessary)

## **High School Information**

Please list below the high schools you have attended or are attending (most recent first):

Name(s) of High School(s)	City & State	Dates of Attendance (From/To) Mo/Yr	Expected Date of Graduation
1)			
2)			
3)			
Have you taken the SAT or ACT? 🗆 Yes	□ No If yes, when?	Manth Marth Marth Marth	
If yes, what were your scores: SAT Writing			
SAT Critical Reading	ACT Composite		
Have you been diagnosed with a learning o	disability, ADHD, or ASD?	🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
What was the diagnosis?			
When were you diagnosed?			
What academic courses do you find most c	difficult?		
What academic courses do you most enjoy	?		
What academic supports, if any, have helpe	ed you in the past?		
What skills and strategies do you hope to c	develop by participating in	Landmark College's High School Sur	nmer Program?
Who or what led you to apply to Landmark	< College's High School Su	mmer Program?	
Please list your employment history (most r	ecent first):		
Job or Activity	Position or Duties	Dates Employed: From/To	Hours per Week

What have you done in life that has made you the most proud? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been suspended or expelled from school?   Yes  No						
If yes, please explain:						
Have you ever been convicted of a felony?  Yes No						
If yes, please explain:						

# ABOUT YOUR FAMILY

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Parent 1/Guardian's Name	
Home Address	
City	State Zip
Home Phone ( ) –	Cell Phone ( ) –
Name of Employer	Job Title
Work Phone ( ) –	Fax No. ( ) –
Work Mailing Address	
Email Address	
Parent 2/Guardian's Name	
Home Address	
	State Zip
Home Phone ( ) –	Cell Phone ( ) –
Name of Employer	Job Title
Work Phone ( ) –	Fax No. ( ) –
Work Mailing Address	
Email Address	
Stepparent/Guardian's Name	
Home Address	
City	State Zip
Home Phone ( ) –	Cell Phone ( ) –
Name of Employer	Job Title
Work Phone ( ) –	Fax No. ( ) –
Work Mailing Address	
Email Address	

If you do not live with both parents, with whom do you reside permanently?

N	а	m	าค

Relationship

Please list names and ages of your siblings, and colleges attended, if any.

How did you first learn about Landmark College's Summer Programs? (Check all that apply)

Direct mailing		
🗆 Radio		
Station		
Landmark College's website		
Facebook		
Twitter		
□ YouTube		
Magazine ad(s)		
	Please list name of publication(s)	
College fair		
	Please specify location	
Physician		
	Name	City/State
Educational consultant	Name	City/State
	Nume	
Guidance counselor	Name	School
□ Special education teacher		
	Name	School
Family friend		
	Name	City/State
Former Landmark College student		
-	Name	City/State
Current Landmark College student		
	Name	City/State
□ Professional organization (i.e., CHADD, LDA)		
	Please specify	
□ Other	Please specify	

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#### **Applicant Statement**

By applying to Landmark College's High School Summer Program and signing this application for admission, I indicate my understanding that this is a three-week, non-credit residential program designed to help students become more effective and independent learners. The program includes academic classes and recreational activities. I understand that I must be prepared to attend class meetings and do nightly coursework. I recognize that students who are motivated to meet Landmark College's high standards and expectations generally realize improved academic performance. Conversely, students not prepared to put forth thoughtful and considerable effort toward achieving the program goals, or who may have issues secondary to academic performance that require their focus, may have difficulty achieving the learning outcomes of the program. I further understand that admission to and apparent success in this program are not indicative of my admissibility to Landmark College or any other college programs.

My signature below indicates that the information in my application is correct, inclusive, and honestly presented.

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_

Landmark College admits students of any race, color, and national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of color, gender, national and ethnic origin, or sexual orientation in the administration of its educational policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other College-administered programs.

#### Mail completed form to:



# Parent or Guardian Statement Landmark College High School Summer Program

Today's Date				
		Month/Day/Year		-
Student's Name				
	First		Middle	Last
Parent's Name				

As a parent/guardian, you have spent more time with your child than anyone else. Therefore, you are being asked to share your insights on this form. Please rate how much of a challenge each of the following is with regard to your student's overall achievement:

	Not A Challenge	Slight Challenge	Moderate Challenge	Challenge	Major Challenge	No Basis for Judgment
Building and maintaining friendships						
Dealing with conflict						
Group activities						
Homework completion						
Making conversation						
Note taking						
Organization						
Reading comprehension						
Self-advocacy						
Social interactions						
Study habits						
Sustained attention						
Time management						
Working independently						
Writing						

In what areas have you witnessed the most development and growth in your child?

What are your	· child's most	notable	personality	traits?
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Please provide a brief overview of your child's personal learning style. You are also invited to briefly share any concerns you may have or additional background that you feel would be helpful:

# Please mail completed form with application or send separately to:



# 2016 Course Selection — High School Summer Program Academics

Student's Name		
Phone Number		
Email Address		
Please indicate the preferred mode of contact:	□ Phone	🗆 Email

#### All students take three courses:

- Learning Strategies Seminar/College Living and Academic Strategies (with integrated skills)
- Writing Class (three levels/options available)
- Choice of a single elective

## Learning Strategies Seminar (Required – Traditional Track)

Provides a foundation for other coursework and activities in the summer program. Students explore the "science" behind learning — from how the brain processes information to why factors such as nutrition, sleep, exercise, and learning differences affect how we learn. Students learn about skills and strategies, including technologies they can use to improve their ability to learn.

## **College Living and Academic Strategies** (Required – Social Pragmatics Track)

Much like the Learning Strategies Seminar, this class provides a foundation for coursework and activities within the program, while paying special attention to helping students better understand the nuances of verbal and non-verbal communication.

# Choose a Writing Course (Select One of Three Levels/Concentrations)

All writing courses cover the basics of good writing: coherent thinking, expressive presentation, individual style, and use of appropriate language. Students select one of the following:

□ Building Confidence as Writers

For students not yet completely comfortable with the writing process.

#### □ Writing the Effective Essay

For students who have a good sense of the writing process. Many students use this class to begin working on their college application essay.

#### □ Research and Writing

For students who are comfortable with the writing process and are seeking to challenge themselves a bit.

For more information about writing courses, please go to landmark.edu/highschoolcourses

# Elective Course (Select a First, Second, and Third Choice Elective)

We make every effort to provide students with their first choice elective; however, class size is limited for this program in order to provide a personalized learning experience for students. Classes are assigned on a first-come, first served basis, so early registration is highly recommended. Students are placed upon receipt of deposit.

Please note that although course changes are available, because of the brevity of the program, schedule change requests should be made no later than Thursday, July 14.

Please indicate your first, second, and third choice by placing the appropriate number (1, 2 or 3) beside your selections.

Complete course descriptions can be found at landmark.edu/highschoolcourses

- \_\_\_\_\_ Digital Photography
- \_\_\_\_\_ Drawing
- \_\_\_\_\_ High School Math: Algebra II Preparation
- \_\_\_\_\_ High School Math: Pre-Calculus Preparation
- \_\_\_\_\_ Sports & Culture
- \_\_\_\_\_ Technology for Learning
- \_\_\_\_\_ Theater
- \_\_\_\_\_ Vermont Field Biology

## Please mail completed form with application or send separately to:



# **Recommendation #1** Landmark College High School Summer Program

Today's Date

Month/Day/Year

# **1. INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE STUDENT**

This recommendation form should be completed by a teacher, counselor, or professional who knows you well. Please do not ask a relative or personal friend for a recommendation. Once you have decided who will write your recommendation, please complete lines 1.a. and 1.b., below, and then give this form to the person whom you have selected. The student should return the completed form directly to Landmark College.

a. Student	 		 	 	
	First		Middle	Last	
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b. Person Writing Recommendation \_

## 2. INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE RECOMMENDATION WRITER

The above-named student has applied to Landmark College's High School Summer Program. One of the goals of this program is to expose students to strategies and skills that would allow them to be more effective and independent learners.

Please complete in full the reverse side of this form. We ask you to candidly share your thoughts about this student's specific challenges, motivation, academic performance, honesty, ability to set realistic goals, interpersonal skills, sense of humor, and any other observations relevant to their performance. Because of the specialized nature of our program, any information that would help us to respond successfully to the student's learning needs is especially helpful. On a separate sheet, please include any additional comments you think might assist us in evaluating this student's application.

#### **Confidentiality Policy**

Your effort to realistically assess the potential of this candidate is greatly appreciated. This form and any additional comments/ recommendation you provide will be used for admission and advisement purposes by Landmark College for its High School Summer Program.

Recommender's Signature	Date
Recommender's Title	
Relationship to Student	Years Acquainted with Student
Address	
City	State Zip
Telephone ( ) – Email Address	

#### **STUDENT RECOMMENDATION**

# Please rate how much of a challenge each of the following is with regard to this student's overall achievement:

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Reading comprehension						
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Social interactions						
Study habits						
Sustained attention						
Time management						
Working independently						
Writing						

I recommend this student for studies at Landmark College's High School Summer Program

 $\Box$  Enthusiastically  $\Box$  With reservation  $\Box$  Do not recommend

Please provide additional comments that might assist us in evaluating this student's attitude, motivation, and potential to

succeed in Landmark College's High School Summer Program \_\_\_\_\_

Recommender's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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# **Recommendation #2** Landmark College High School Summer Program

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a. Student _				
	First	Middle	Last	

b. Person Writing Recommendation \_\_\_\_

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Recommender's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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