

DUE APRIL 5, 2016**PLEASE DELIVER YOUR COMPLETED APPLICATION TO YOUR SCHOOL'S PIC COUNSELOR !**

Name: _____ School: _____

Grade: _____ School ID: _____ Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Home Address: _____

Neighborhood (Dorchester, Roxbury, Jamaica Plain, etc.): _____

Email address (Student MUST list an active email address): _____

STUDENT DATA

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____ GPA: _____ Gender: _____

Race/Ethnicity: White Black Hispanic Native american Asian/Pacific Islander Multicultural (mixed race) Ethnicity _____Are you a U.S. citizen? yes no**HOUSEHOLD DATA** (*Confidential, for data purposes only. Data will not be used in the selection process*)

1. What is your family status?

 Headed by a single male parent/guardian Headed by a single female parent/guardian 2 parent household Other (please explain) _____

2. How many people in your household are: 18 and older: _____ under 18: _____

3. What is your current household status?

 Rent Own Homeless (shelter) Homeless (living w/ relative)

If your family rents, what is your housing type?

 Public housing Other/subsidized Private (owner)If you live in a housing development, which do you live in? (*mission main, orchard gardens, etc.*)**ECONOMIC DATA** (*Confidential, for data purposes only. Data will not be used in the selection process*)Are you currently eligible to receive "free lunch"? yes noAre you currently eligible to receive "reduced lunch"? yes noAre your parent/guardian(s) employed? yes noDoes your family receive any type of public assistance? (Foodstamps, WIC, etc.) yes no

REFERENCES

Please list 2 adults we may contact as references: a current teacher plus a school counselor, coach or other adult who knows you well (please do not list family members).

1. Name _____ Phone number _____
Email _____ How do you know this person? _____

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Email _____ How do you know this person? _____

YES/NO QUESTIONS

- Does your high school offer classes in art? yes no
- Does your high school offer computer design courses? yes no
- Have you had any drawing instruction (someone teaching you to draw)? yes no
- Have you taken any art and/or design courses in high school or at any after-school, Saturday, or summer programs in the last 4 years? yes no

If yes, what courses and where? _____

SHORT ESSAYS

Please attach your answers to the following essay questions.

1. Why do you wish to participate in Youth Design? What do you hope to gain from your experience in the Youth Design program?
2. How do you express yourself creatively? Do you draw, paint, sew, write poetry and/or other? Please describe.
3. Who or what inspires you in the world of art and/or design? Do you have a favorite artist, designer, or someone/something that inspires or motivates you creatively? Please explain.

ATTACHMENTS

Please attach the following to your application:

- Your résumé
- 1 photo of yourself
- 2 samples of your art and/or design work (at least 1 drawing or other work by hand is preferred). You may attach original artwork or a good quality copy.

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