

Current College Freshman Application
to CUNY Teacher Academy in Mathematics and Science
at Queensborough Community College

Fall 2008

SECTION 1. Applicant's Information

Please print all information in blue or black ink except where a printed document is indicated.

Last name	First name	Middle
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Street Address and Apt. #	City	State	Zip Code
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Mailing address if different from above – Street, Apt #, City, State, Zip Code

E-mail address	Best telephone number
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Intended major (check one): Mathematics Science

Please list:

Fall 2007 QCC courses

Spring 2008 QCC courses

High school attended (name and city): _____

Social Security Number or other Student ID	Date of Birth (month/day/year)
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*What is your current citizenship or immigration status?

Are you a citizen of the United States? Yes _____ No _____

Are you a U.S. permanent resident? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, provide: Alien Registration Card # _____ Date obtained _____

*Citizenship status and alienage are used to determine your eligibility for financial aid programs. The City University of New York does not discriminate on the basis of age, sex, race, creed, color, national origin, physical or mental disability, sexual orientation, marital status, alienage or citizenship status, or veteran's status.

Name _____

A. List any summer institutes or special programs you participated in during high school and currently.

B. List any paid or volunteer jobs you have held during high school or in college.

<u>Employer Name</u>	<u>Type of Work</u>	<u>Employment Dates</u>	<u>Hours per Week</u>
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C. List any special talents/interests and honors or awards received in high school and college.

D. List extracurricular activities (sports, clubs, band, yearbook, etc) and community/volunteer activities in high school and college.

<u>Activity name</u>	<u>Dates of Participation</u>	<u>Offices Held</u>
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Name _____

SECTION 2. Personal Statements

The Teacher Academy seeks students who are interested in teaching mathematics or science as a profession. Help us identify your experience and strengths in both teaching and in the subjects of mathematics and science by completing the following essays. Attach your typed responses to this application. Essays should be double-spaced in 12 pt. font. Note: 250 words equal about one page, and 500 words equal about two pages.

Essay 1. Meaningful Activity

In 250 words, please describe one activity (extracurricular, personal, or work-related) that has been most meaningful to you in terms of your intellectual and leadership development and explain why. (Attach a separate sheet with the typed essay.)

Essay 2. Becoming a Teacher

In 500 words, explain why you would like to be a teacher. Describe the moment you realized you wanted to become a teacher. Tell us what you would do differently from teachers you have known. Tell us what you would emulate from teachers who have inspired you. (Attach a separate sheet with the typed essay.)

Additional Information (optional): In 250 words or less, please provide any additional information about yourself that you believe would help the Admissions Committee for Teacher Academy in reviewing your application. (Attach on a separate sheet.)

ALL APPLICANTS MUST SIGN HERE

I understand that, with this application, I am applying to the CUNY Teacher Academy at Queensborough Community College. I hereby certify that all the information in this application is accurate and complete. I realize that failure to file all requested information may affect my admission status. I understand that all the information contained in this application will be treated confidentially and will be used for institutional purposes only.

Applicant's Signature

Date

RECOMMENDATIONS (SEE NEXT TWO PAGES FOR FORMS): At least one of your two recommendations must be from a mathematics or science teacher. Give the forms to your recommenders and ask them to return it to you in a sealed envelope so that you can submit them with your Application.

Names of your recommenders: _____

To ensure that your application is processed in a timely manner, submit all supplementary documents at the same time. **The Teacher Academy cannot process your application until all documents are received.**

Mail the completed application including essays and recommendations to:

CUNY Teacher Academy at QCC
Attn: Prof. Sandra Peskin, Room S-245
222-05 56th Avenue
Bayside, NY 11364-1497

