studentcaffé

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Objective

To gain admission to a small liberal arts college with strong programs in English and psychology.

Education

Jefferson High School, Louisville, KY (expected to graduate in May 2016)

- GPA: 3.95
- SAT: Evidence-Based Reading and Writing: 680, Math: 690
- Advanced Placement Courses: Statistics, Psychology, Literature and Composition, Language and Composition

Activities

JV and Varsity Cross Country (2012-2016)

- Practiced 18 hours (with the cross country team and alone) each week every fall semester.
- Named team captain senior year and led teammates to place second overall in state championships.

Student Council Class and Executive Treasurer (2014-2016)

- Elected executive treasurer in senior year after effectively managing the junior class's \$2,000 budget.
- Helped other class treasurers balance their budgets in weekly two-hour meetings.

Community Theater (2012-2015)

- Rehearsed with local adults for the Jewish Community Center's spring play 15-20 hours weekly.
- Cast as a supporting lead in *Brighton Beach Memoirs*; performed in front of 200+ audience members every night for the duration of the show (three nights weekly for two months).

Community Service and Employment

Ronald McDonald House Volunteer (2012-2016)

• Created a menu, bought ingredients, and cooked dinner every other Friday night for 15 families with children admitted to the local hospital.

Kentucky Refugee Ministries Youth Program Tutor (2013-2016)

• Assisted a six-year-old girl from Haiti with her homework two hours weekly.

Jewish Community Center Lifeguard (2013-2015)

 Maintained constant surveillance of adults and children at a large outdoor pool for 20 hours weekly during the summer.

Honors and Awards

National Honor Society (2014-2016)

Governor's School for the Arts Drama Scholar (June 2015)

• Chosen from over 1,700 applicants to participate with 233 other students in a three-week intensive artistic training program.

Vanderbilt Book Award (May 2015)

Junior Award for Advanced English (May 2015)

Dean's List (2012-2015)