

**BRAG Packet: Please thoughtfully respond to the following questions to help your recommenders write you a personalized letter of recommendation. Provide your completed BRAG packet to your counselor and other recommenders by sending an email with YOUR NAME in the subject line, and the answers in the body of the email or as an attachment.**

1. Full Legal Name (as it appears on your high school transcript):
2. What are 2 or 3 words that best describe you? Please provide specifics of how you exemplify each word.
3. Please indicate any club, sport, community service activity or group in which you held a leadership position. Describe what your position entailed (i.e. your title, specific responsibilities, hours/years involved)
4. Did you work during high school? If so, please distinguish between summer and school year employment. What have you learned from your employment that you may not have otherwise learned in the classroom? Did having a job hinder you participating in other extra-curricular activities?
5. What are your proudest personal and academic accomplishments during high school?
6. Describe any significant challenges you have faced in your life. How have you grown from these challenges?
7. Are you applying under a specific major or program and why?
8. Discuss any decrease in academic performance (grades earned below a C), grade or standardized test scores you earned that may not reflect your true potential.
9. Have you ever been suspended or expelled from any high school? If yes, please explain.
10. Personal Prompt: Please write your own letter of recommendation in the third person - include any additional information that is not addressed elsewhere in the Brag Packet. One page maximum.
11. Parent Letter Prompt: What would you want the admission office to know about your student that they cannot learn from the application? Possible topics may include greatest strengths, unique characteristics, significant family events, personal obstacles and how your student copes with/overcomes challenges. One page response recommended.