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HONORS PROGRAM APPLICATION, 2005-2006

Date _____

Name _____
Last First Initial

Address _____
Street or Box Number

_____ City State Zip Code

Phone _____ - _____ - _____

E-mail Address _____

Secondary School _____
Academy or High School

Address _____
City State

Cumulative GPA (CPI) _____

ACT composite _____ and/or SAT cumulative _____

Please include copies of transcripts or have them sent promptly.

Please provide the following information. You may use the back of this page or attach a separate sheet, if necessary.

Activities:

(List musical organizations, drama groups, athletic teams, honor societies, clubs, etc. noting years of participation.)

Church and Community:

(List church responsibilities and any community activities.)

Honors or Awards:

Work Experience:

(List the jobs held during the last two years, including summers.)

Reading:

What books have you read more than once in the last four years (excluding school assignments)? (If you have never read a book more than once, write a paragraph describing a favorite book, other than the Bible.)

ESSAYS:

Please submit a double-spaced, typewritten essay of 300 to 500 words on each of the following:

I. Why do you want to be in the Honors Program?

II. "There are no moral phenomena at all, but only a moral interpretation of phenomena."

(Friedrich Nietzsche, *Beyond Good and Evil*)

How would you explain what Nietzsche is saying here? What implications does his claim have for making moral judgments about things (i.e., "murder is wrong," "charity is a virtue")?

III. "He who learns but does not think is lost. He who thinks but does not learn is in great danger." (Confucius)

What is the difference between thinking and learning? How would one be "lost" if one does not think? What might be the "danger" in not learning?