



# WRITING FOR COLLEGE

## COURSE INFOSHEET

### PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS:

- Learn how to research and prepare a college application essay
- Take part in immersive life skill lessons on resume building
- Gain valuable introduction to AP and college writing (rhetoric, argument, synthesis)
- Take part in engaging, in depth discussions around academic pathways and career opportunities such as medical writing, journalism and creative writing

### CAMPUS LOCATION & DATES

**YALE UNIVERSITY**  
July 17 - July 29, 2022

### ACADEMIC PROGRAM OVERVIEW:

College essays are the foundational building blocks that shape the future of a student's life and beyond. Honing the fundamental skills of writing on this course, students will learn how to prepare college applications by hand crafting their own resumes and mastering the intricacies of their college essays. Students will be introduced to specific AP and college-level writing techniques - skills that will set them apart in high school, and bolster their transition to college and beyond.

### A DAY IN THE LIFE OF A SUMMER SPRINGBOARD STUDENT

CAMPUS BASED - TYPICAL WEEKDAY SCHEDULE



## GUEST SPEAKERS AND EXCURSIONS:

Students will visit various local colleges and universities, having the chance to meet with and gain valuable insight from admissions counselors.

## INSTRUCTORS:

This course was designed and is taught by Dr. Lisa Acerbo, a university professor and published author of five young adult and new adult novels. In addition to her teaching responsibilities, Dr. Acerbo helps judge a local annual literary competition and arts festival. She holds her Ed.D. in Educational Leadership and has always had a passion for reading and writing. Her experience, enthusiasm for literature and fundamental writing skills gift our students with a highly immersive, educational experience.

## TUITION RATES\*

### Residential Students: **\$4,998**

Includes: all meals, lodging, excursions, Academic Course, weekend excursions;  
Excludes: optional airport pickup/drop off service (available for additional fee)

### Commuter Students: **\$2,798**

Includes: lunch, academic course, excursions, programming from 9am to 5pm, Monday-Friday; Excludes: lodging, breakfast, dinner, weekend excursions

### Extended Commuter Students: **\$3,398**

Includes: lunch, dinner, excursions, academic course, programming from 9am to 8pm, weekend excursions;

Excludes: lodging, breakfast

## TUITION SUPPLEMENTS:

- Application fee: \$99 (mandatory, non-refundable)
- Group airport transfers: \$95 each way. Transfers outside of the official group pick-up and drop-off time window are \$195 each way (optional)
- Unaccompanied minor transportation: \$50 additional fee each way (if using airport transfer)

\*December 31, 2021 Tuition will increase to: \$5,498 (Residential); \$2,998 (Commuter); \$3,598 (Extended Commuter)