

Noble and Greenough School

Upper School Candidate Statement

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE: *To be completed by student. Please submit as soon as possible, but no later than January 17, 2012.*

Print your full name: _____ Date: _____
first middle last

School: _____ Applying for grade _____

APPLICANTS FOR GRADE 9, 10, 11

At Nobles, we want to expand application review beyond the traditional quantifiable measures as we strive to evaluate the whole student by thinking creatively about what makes successful people in today's world. In an effort to get to know each applicant as well as possible, we ask that you submit your answers to the questions below:

- Please TYPE your answers on a separate sheet of paper
- Answer the five short answer questions and one essay question
- Minimum of 200 words for short answers
- Minimum of 400 words for essay
- There are no "right" or "wrong" answers

Upper School short answer question: (200 words)

- What is your favorite word? Why?
- What qualities do you look for in a friend?
- If we Google your name in 10 years, what do you hope we'll see?
- What do you think people like best about you? Why?
- What song best describes your life? Why?

Upper School essay: (400 words)

- Have you ever struggled with something and failed? How did you respond? What would you attempt to do if you knew you could not fail?
- (optional) Tell us anything that we should know about you that has not been covered in this application (possible examples: honors achieved, passions, concerns).
- Submit a graded writing sample written this academic year. The assignment should include your teacher's comments.

In consideration of the undertaking by the Office of Admission of Noble and Greenough School to process the undersigned candidate's admission application and related forms, the undersigned agree that the information furnished on the application for admission, together with all information and materials of any kind received by the Admission Office from any source, or prepared by anyone at its requests, shall be completely confidential and shall not be disclosed to anyone, including the candidate and the candidate's family, except that the Dean of Enrollment Management may, for official purposes at her discretion, disclose any part thereof to such person or persons as she deems advisable.

I affirm that all the information submitted in the admission process (including the Candidate Profile, other application materials, any essays, and any other supporting materials) is factually accurate and honestly presented. I understand that I may be subject to possible admission revocation should the information be false.

student name

student signature

date

