



**HIGH SCHOOL OF AMERICAN STUDIES AT LEHMAN COLLEGE**

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Junior Parents and Students,

We have asked all juniors to fill out a questionnaire, which is due \_\_\_\_\_, to better enable us to guide your child through the college process. This information will be utilized in the following ways:

- recommendation writing
- alerting students to potential scholarship opportunities
- knowledge and awareness of any college legacy
- potential eligibility for financial aid and/or EOP/ HEOP/SEEK opportunity programs

We treat information given to us as confidential – it is not shared with colleges in any manner by HSAS. Students should not feel obligated or pressured to answer all of the questions, but we would appreciate as much information as you can provide so the needs and best interests of the student can be met during the college guidance process.

Upon completion and receipt of and signed consent, students will be scheduled for individual guidance conferences which will begin in the middle of February, and will continue throughout the spring. Please

remember our Junior Parent/Student Evening on \_\_\_\_\_ at 5:30 pm.

Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Michele Harris  
Guidance Counselor  
College Advisor

Beth Wise  
Guidance Counselor  
College Advisor

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Confirmation is required that I have received and reviewed the above letter about the HSAS Family Information Sheet and Questionnaire. Please sign below, and return this portion with the completed questionnaire.

We have received and reviewed the HSAS Family Information Sheet and Questionnaire.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Part A:**

Student's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (Nickname?) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Home telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Cell number: \_\_\_\_\_

	Parent/Guardian (mother)	Parent/Guardian (father)
<b>Name:</b>		
<b>Address:</b>		
<b>Home Phone:</b>		
<b>Work Phone:</b>		
<b>Cell Phone:</b>		
<b>e-mail:</b>		
<b>Occupation:</b>		
<b>Employer &amp; Location</b>		
<b>Education:</b> <b>Please circle:</b>	High School      BA/BS from: _____	High School      BA/BS from: _____
	Advanced Degree from _____	Advanced Degree from _____
<b>Adv. Degree</b> <b>Please Circle:</b>	MA    MS    JD    PhD    MD	MA    MS    JD    PhD    MD
<b>Please Circle:</b>	Parent(s) rent    own    your home	Parent(s) rent    own    your home

**Student lives with:**

*Please circle:*      both parents                      lives with mother                      lives with father  
divides time between parents              lives with guardian              other \_\_\_\_\_

**Parents are:** *Please circle:* married    separated    divorced (approx. date/year \_\_\_\_\_)

never married

If there is/are step-parent(s) please list below and include any relevant information:

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**Please list people who live in your house and the ages of your siblings: (Use other side if necessary)**

Name	Relationship to student	Age	Grade/school

Did your brother(s) or sister(s) go through the college process?    Yes    no

What did you learn from it? \_\_\_\_\_

Which college do/did they attend? \_\_\_\_\_

Did they receive financial aid? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you signed onto and used Naviance yet?  
\_\_\_\_\_

Are you planning to take drivers ed. in the near future?    Yes    no

Do you participate in any enrichment and/or community based programs?    Yes    no

Please list: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person/mentor: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Junior Short Answer Questionnaire**

**Part B:**

Please answer the following short answer questions thoroughly and honestly. This is part of your cumulative file that is used by the counselors to write your college recommendation.

**THIS IS NOT A TEST!**

What has been your favorite academic course at HSAS and why? \_\_\_\_\_

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Has there been a teacher who has had a great impact on you? Who is that teacher and why? \_\_\_\_\_

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Are there any courses/subjects which have been particularly difficult for you? Please explain \_\_\_\_\_

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Please comment on your study habits (time spent on homework, time management etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

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What has been your greatest academic accomplishment so far this school year? \_\_\_\_\_

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What has been your greatest personal accomplishment so far this school year? \_\_\_\_\_

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What are your greatest strengths as a student? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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What are your greatest strengths as a person? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

In what ways would you like to improve? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

If I had a free day (no homework, family obligations, work, etc.), here is how I would spend my time\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

What are your hobbies/favorite things to do outside of school? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

What excites you most about going to college? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

What scares you most about going to college? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Who are your friends at school? Who do you eat lunch with?  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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