



EXPANDED HORIZONS: COLLEGE SUCCESS PROGRAM

Introduction & Program Details:

Thank you for your interest in the ***Expanded Horizons College Success program!*** Our comprehensive eight-year cohort model has been developed to better ensure that students are college ready upon high school graduation, are admitted to a good fit college of their choice, and graduate from that institution in four years. Expanded Horizons Scholars attend programming *twice per week during the academic year throughout their high school careers*. Additionally, Expanded Horizons Scholars are supported in exploring their creativity and extra-curricular interests through activities which include hip-hop dance class, basketball, and workshops in areas ranging from entrepreneurship to music production.

ARCS Program Model

1. Academic Preparedness
2. College Readiness
3. Career Exploration
4. Social-Emotional Enrichment

9th & 10th Grade Scholars

Participate in interactive and individualized academic (ELA and Math) focus sessions where project based learning and field trips will be consistent. Students also receive individual and group academic advisement to ensure matriculation to next grade. Program meets Mondays and Wednesday from 4PM – 6PM.

11th Grade Scholars

Participate in College and Career Readiness workshops that support the development of their problem-solving, research, leadership, and critical thinking skills, qualities critical to success in college and career. Participants also receive ***FREE SAT PREP COURSES*** throughout the majority of the school year. Program meets Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4PM – 6PM.

12th Grade Scholars

Receive individual college counseling by appointment, college readiness workshops from our college access counselors. College application fee waivers are available on a first come first served basis.

Currently accepting applications from rising 9th-11th grade students attending a New York City public high school (priority to free/reduced lunch eligible students who reside and/or attend school in the Lower East Side). *Rolling deadline for submission.

REQUIRED APPLICATION DOCUMENTS

- ☐ Paper application or online application which can be found on <http://goo.gl/forms/H0FSSojfIZ>
- ☐ Copy of most recent **REPORT CARD** (Rising 9th) or most recent **TRANSCRIPT** (rising 10th – 12th)
- ☐ Signatures from applicant and family indicating support, interest and commitment to the program
- ☐ Most recent proof of income (Minimum two required from below)
 - ☐ 1040 Tax forms
 - ☐ Two Consecutive pay stubs
 - ☐ Employment letter detailing income
 - ☐ Free or Reduced lunch form

The application process requires: We ***MUST*** have all parts of the application. If you are missing any part of the application, it will not be considered. *****In addition, all applicants must participate in an interview prior to acceptance into the program.***

Getting the application to us (please ***choose one and only one*** method of delivery):

- By email (preferred method) – please email to: rhiggs@henrystreet.org
- By mail – please mail it to: ATTN: Expanded Horizons 301 Henry Street, New York, NY 10002
- By dropping it off – please drop it off to one of our counselors at 301 Henry Street 4th Floor



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Student Application Information:

2016-2017 Grade Level: ____ Freshman ____ Sophomore ____ Junior ____ Senior

Applicant Name: _____

Social Security Number: _____ **Gender:** ____ **Date of Birth:** _____

Ethnicity: ____ African-American ____ African-Caribbean ____ Asian/Pacific Islander ____ Latino/a
____ Native American ____ White (non-Latino/a) ____ Other: _____

Gross Household Income (before taxes): _____ **Eligible for Free or Reduced Lunch:** Y or N

Highest Level of Education Completed by Parent/Legal Guardian (check which applies):

____ No High School Diploma or GED ____ Completed High School ____ Completed GED
____ Trade School ____ Some College ____ Associates Degree ____ Bachelor's Degree
____ Master's Degree ____ Doctorate

Are you the first person in your immediate family to go to college? ____ Yes ____ No

Home Address: _____

Home Telephone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

Personal Email: _____ **College Email:** _____

Instagram/Facebook Name: _____

How did you hear about us? _____

Name of High School: _____

Name of Guidance Counselor/College Advisor: _____

Counselor/College Advisor Telephone number: _____

Student Essay:

We want to learn a bit more about you! Please answer the following questions in the lines provide. The questions are to be answered by **the student applicant** in their own words and in their own handwriting.

1. Please explain why you want to be a part of the Expanded Horizons program. Why do you dream of going to college? What or who has most inspired you to think about your future goals?



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Parent/Guardian Information:

Parent(s)

Name(s): _____

Parent Cellphone: _____

Parent Email:

Parent/Guardian and Student Contract:

Expanded Horizons College Success Program **meets at least 33 weeks per year**. As the parent/guardian of this applicant, I understand that my child will attend programming at Henry Street *throughout their high school career*, and will continue to receive retention services throughout their college career. I understand this and am **willing, able, and eager to support my student in this endeavor**. We will take this commitment seriously, and will make this program a priority over other activities for my child, with the exception of family and school obligations.

Applicant name: _____

Parent/Guardian/Sponsor Signature: _____

Date: _____

Relationship to applicant: _____

As the applicant, I also am willing, able, and eager to participate in the Expanded Horizons College Success Program! If I am selected, I will be an active member of the program, and will respect my peers, counselors, and all staff. I understand that this program is a big commitment, and I am willing to commit to attending the summer bridge program and bi-weekly classes during the academic year.

Applicant Signature: _____

Date: _____