## STUDENT ESSAYS

## U.S. COLLEGE PREPARATORY SCHOOL DIPLOMA

VERMONT ACADEMY in partnership with LICEO EUROPEO

Date:					
Grade:	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade		10 <sup>th</sup> Grade	11 <sup>th</sup> Grade	12 <sup>th</sup> Grade
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Name and Last Name					

## INSTRUCTIONS

This section of the application should be completed by the student. For the first 4 questions write as much or as little as necessary to sufficiently answer the questions. Please, try not to exceed 250 words. For the 5th question, please keep your essay between 250-500 words.

What movie have you enjoyed most in the past year and why?

Describe an academic challenge you have faced in the past two years. Please, relate your reflection on your learning experience.

Describe new skills or knowledge you tried out during the development of a particular project.

Learning skills can be demonstrated across all subject areas and all homework tasks. The six skills are: responsibility, organization, independent work, collaboration, initiative, and self-regulation. Give us a specific example of a learning situation in which your learning skills were developed.

Name/Signature of Student:



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Please, choose one of the prompts below. Write 250-500 words response to the essay prompt picked.

- 1.- Describe an issue relevant to high school students.
- 2.- Is there a book that you feel should be required reading for everyone?
- 3.- Have you ever traveled to a place that you found very meaningful and rewarding?
- 4.- What is your all-time favorite movie and why?
- 5.- In your opinion, is bullying an issue that should be addressed by schools or left to parents?
- 6.- Who makes a better leader: someone who is loved, or someone who is feared?
- 7.- Is a good education a right or a privilege?
- 8.- "A little knowledge is a dangerous thing." Do you agree? Why or why not?
- 9.- Is there something that you believe is truly worth fighting for?
- 10.- Describe a character from literature that you would trade places with, and explain why.



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