



Darul Arqam School Summer 2021



Entering Twelfth Grade

In 300-650 words each, please respond to any **two** of the following prompts in a separate document. These are sample college admission prompts, so it is important that your work be original and presentable. This will give you a head start on your college applications, so please take your time and edit your work before submitting.

- 1) Tell a story from your life, describing an experience that either demonstrates your character or helped to shape it (Rutgers).
- 2) Describe a time you made a meaningful contribution to others in which the greater good was your focus. Discuss the challenges and rewards of making your contribution (Rutgers).
- 3) Has there been a time when you've had a long-cherished or accepted belief challenged? How did you respond? How did the challenge affect your beliefs? (Rutgers)
- 4) What is the hardest part of being a teenager now? What's the best part? What advice would you give a younger sibling or friend (assuming they would listen to you)? (Rutgers)
- 5) Some students have a background, identity, interest, or talent so meaningful they believe their application would be incomplete without it. If this sounds like you, please share your story (CommonApp).
- 6) The lessons we take from obstacles we encounter can be fundamental to later success. Recount a time when you faced a challenge, setback, or failure. How did it affect you, and what did you learn from the experience? (CommonApp).
- 7) Reflect on a time when you questioned or challenged a belief or idea. What prompted your thinking? What was the outcome? (CommonApp).
- 8) Describe a problem you've solved or a problem you'd like to solve. It can be an intellectual challenge, a research query, an ethical dilemma — anything of personal importance, no matter the scale. Explain its significance to you and what steps you took or could be taken to identify a solution (CommonApp).
- 9) Discuss an accomplishment, event, or realization that sparked a period of personal growth and a new understanding of yourself or others (CommonApp).
- 10) Describe a topic, idea, or concept you find so engaging it makes you lose all track of time. Why does it captivate you? What or who do you turn to when you want to learn more? (CommonApp).



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Summer Work – Mathematics - Due Date September 5th

Grade Entering	Course	Khan Academy Links	www.khanacademy .org code
6th Grade	CONNECT 1	https://www.khanacademy.org/join/F8XFTEH2	F8XFTEH2
7th Grade	Connect 2	https://www.khanacademy.org/join/Z4XXE3W3	Z4XXE3W3
8th grade	Pre-Algebra	https://www.khanacademy.org/join/E3AVAV2T	E3AVAV2T
9th grade	Algebra 1	https://www.khanacademy.org/join/46JZP7EB	46JZP7EB
10th grade	Geometry	https://www.khanacademy.org/join/N8Z8K7BR	N8Z8K7BR
11th grade	Algebra 2	https://www.khanacademy.org/join/DCFFXM5P	DCFFXM5P
12th grade	Pre-calculus	https://www.khanacademy.org/join/Y59DKG6N	Y59DKG6N