

MISSION STATEMENT

The Honors Program at Brookdale Community College provides an enriched academic experience to a select cohort of highly motivated students. Through a curriculum of Honors General Education courses that emphasize global awareness, cultural experiences, and local engagement, Brookdale Honors students are challenged to connect their studies to the world beyond the campus. By fostering collaborative learning and intellectual inquiry, Honors at Brookdale prepares students for transfer to competitive four-year colleges and universities, as well as for citizenship in our 21st century world.

APPLICATION

Please note: You must apply for admission to Brookdale Community College before submitting this application. If your application is incomplete, it will not be considered.

A complete application packet will include:

- Honors Program application (see back)
- High school and/or college transcripts indicating at least a 3.5 GPA (on a 4.0 scale) or a 3.94 (on a 4.5 scale)
- Minimum SAT and/or ACT scores to waive the placement test (visit brookdalecc.edu/testing-services/placement-testing for the current scoring range)
- A letter of recommendation from guidance counselor, teacher/professor or someone who can address your preparedness for a rigorous program of study
- Required essay (see below)
- Resumé and/or list of achievements including awards, scholarships, and membership in clubs and other organizations. *The admissions committee may also request an interview.*

Required essay: Write an essay of 500-800 words on ONE of the following topics:

- 1) What is the value and importance of community service in our society and tell us what it means to you.
- 2) In your opinion, what is the greatest challenge your generation will face?
What ideas do you have for dealing with this issue?
- 3) Discuss some issue of local, national, or international concern and its importance to you.

Forward all materials **as a single packet** to:

Professor Jonathan Moschberger
Coordinator, Honors at Brookdale
Brookdale Community College
765 Newman Springs Road
Lincroft, NJ 07738-2345

Deadline: Because this is a competitive program with limited enrollment, you are encouraged to apply early. The priority deadline for Fall admission is **April 15** and for Spring is **November 1**. Applications submitted after these dates will be considered on a space-available basis.

Questions? Please read the FAQs at www.brookdalecc.edu/honors

