



CROSSROAD
ORTHODOX YOUTH TAKE THE CHALLENGE

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Program Application 2012

***PLEASE NOTE:** Applicants must be between the ages of 16 and 18 years old, and should not have graduated high school prior to April of the year they apply. For CrossRoad 2012, we will accept students in the graduating classes of 2012 and 2013 (juniors and seniors).

Name: _____ *Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Parent/Guardian Names: _____

Applicant Email: _____ Parent Email: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

What is the best way to contact you? _____

How did you hear about CrossRoad? (if CR alum, please name) _____

Church Name/Metropolis/Jurisdiction: _____

Priest's Name: _____ Church Phone: _____

Priest's E-mail: _____ Priest's Phone: _____

Youth Advisor (if applicable): _____ Youth Advisor's Phone: _____

Youth Advisor's E-mail: _____

School Name: _____ *Graduation Year (circle one): 2012 / 2013

School Address: _____ School Phone: _____

Session Preference (*please check only one*) We recommend flexibility with session preferences, as we have more applicants than available spots.

____ June Session (June 23-July 3) ONLY ____ The June session is my first choice, though I can attend either session.

____ July Session (July 10-20) ONLY ____ The July session is my first choice, though I can attend either session.

Essay: Compose a 2-3 page essay (about 700-1,000 words), typed and double-spaced, introducing yourself to us and explaining why you want to be a part of CrossRoad and what you hope to gain from participation in the program. Be sure to include the following areas in your essay: 1) your life as an Orthodox Christian, 2) your favorite academic subject(s) and your favorite activities (sports, hobbies, clubs, etc.), 3) aspects of our Orthodox Faith that especially interest you and/or you have questions about, and 4) your hopes for what you might learn at CrossRoad. Strong essays will have a clear structure, will explain *why* certain things interest you, and will demonstrate your ability to seriously think about matters of faith and how they relate to life.

Completed applications: Please see the application instructions (separate document) for details about additional items needed to complete your application. To guarantee priority consideration, please have completed application postmarked by March 1, 2012 to CrossRoad, 50 Goddard Ave, Brookline, MA 02445. Applicants meeting this deadline will be notified of their acceptance status by mid-April. For questions visit crossroad.hchc.edu, e-mail crossroad@hchc.edu or call (617) 850-1310.