



LINCOLN PARK PERFORMING ARTS CHARTER SCHOOL

Literary Arts Application

Please complete this questionnaire. Bring this completed form to your evaluation.

Student Name: _____

Please complete the following questions highlighting your previous experience and interests. Applicants should prepare for their evaluations as listed below.

Literary Arts:

- Portfolio of your best writing, which should include at least:
 - Five or six original poems and/or
 - Two short stories, essays or other examples of prose and/or
 - One excerpt from a longer work of fiction (at least 10-12 pages)
- One page essay about why you would like to study at LPPACS.
- All work should be typed and double-spaced.
- Your work will not be returned, so please be sure to have copies.

Writing History

1. Which type(s) of writing have you previously done? (*poetry, fiction, essays, etc.*)

2. Which type of writing is your favorite? _____

3. Have you ever had any of your writing published? If so, list what and where. (*school newspaper, literary journal, etc.*)

4. How often do you write? (circle one)

Every day Every few days At least a few times a month When inspiration strikes

Academic background:

5. What have you been studying in English class this year? (*composition, grammar, short stories/poetry, etc.*)

6. Have you ever read/studied Shakespeare in school? _____

7. Have you ever taken a writing course (besides what you have studied in English class)? If so, where/when/what did you study?

Reading habits:

8. Favorite author(s): _____

9. Favorite book(s): _____

10. Favorite type of book (*short stories, non-fiction, biography, poetry, fantasy, etc.*): _____

11. Last book read _____

Other:

12. Please list any extracurricular activities in which you participate (*student council, sports, clubs, etc.*)

13. Please list your hobbies and interests (besides writing): _____

14. Please list any honors/awards you have received: (*student council, sports, clubs, etc.*) _____
