

17. Do you plan to go on to get a Master's or Doctorate degree? What do you hope to be doing five years from now?

The Department of African/African American Studies values computer technology for the enhancement and delivery of its courses. This will require student ability to utilize computer-mediated courses, databases, assignments, and interaction with peers and instructors. It is the students' responsibility to obtain skills and/or assistance in fulfilling department computer technology requirements.

This college abides by Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, which stipulates that no student shall be denied the benefits of an education "solely by reason of a handicap." Disabilities covered by law include, but are not limited to, learning disabilities and hearing, sight, or mobility impairments. If you have a disability that may have some impact on your work in this class and for which you may require accommodations, please see the Disability Services Office in Arts #177, so that such accommodations may be arranged.

I have read and understand the Admission requirements and procedures for the Department of African/African American Studies. I have answered the questions honestly and truthfully and understand that any false information given to the committee may result in failure of admittance into the Department of African/African American Studies.

Date _____ Student Signature _____

Date _____ Faculty Advisor Signature _____

DEPARTMENT OF AFRICAN/AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES
Metropolitan State College of Denver
LETTER OF REFERENCE

NAME: _____

The above-named student has given your name as someone who can provide information regarding his/her qualification to enter the undergraduate program in the Department of African/African American Studies at Metropolitan State College of Denver. Please write a brief, but comprehensive, paragraph on the following page, giving as much information as you would like to have if you were employing a person for this position. (You are reminded that the student will have access his/her file.) Some suggested points to mention are: health, morals, disposition, leadership abilities, character, self-motivation, accomplishments, academic ability, and cultural awareness, etc.

Date _____ Print Name _____

Position _____ Address _____

Phone _____

How long have you known this student? _____

In what capacity? _____

Please circle:

In my opinion, this student's overall rating for acceptance into the MSCD Department of African/African American is:

Highly Recommended		Average		Not Recommended	
1	2	3	4	5	

Signature _____

Send directly to: Admission Committee, Department of African/African American Studies
Metropolitan State College of Denver
Campus Box 41, P.O. Box 173362
Denver, CO 80217-3362

Student – When possible, it is recommended that these references be completed by professionals or other who know you well and can assess your suitability for an academic setting.

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LETTER OF REFERENCE FOR:

NAME: _____
(Please Print)

SIGNATURE _____

DATE COMPLETED _____

THE METROPOLITAN STATE COLLEGE *of DENVER*

Department of African/African American Studies
WRITING SAMPLE

The purpose of this exercise is to assist us in identifying what support in this area, if any, is required by each student. Admissions decisions will not be determined by the quality of your writing.

Please select-one of the following topics and submit a two page typed response.

1. Discuss how your experiences have pointed you toward wanting to pursue a degree in African American Studies. Please include personal as well as paid or volunteer experiences.
2. Please describe three major positive cultural influences from your immediate or extended family or your community. Please highlight how these have impacted you as a child as well as in your current life.

THE METROPOLITAN STATE COLLEGE *of DENVER*

Department of African/African American Studies
AGREEMENT OF COMPLETION

**African/African American Studies Major for Bachelor of Arts
With Licensure for Secondary Social Studies**

This is an agreement of completion between the student and the faculty of the Department of African/African American Studies. It ensures that the courses will be offered as indicated by the department and that the student will sequence through these courses as indicated. By completing this form, the student agrees to complete the major as indicated. Any changes in this plan must be approved by the faculty advisor, and a copy of the amended form must be given to the department secretary for the program file. Make a copy of this form for your records.

Student Name

Student Signature

Student ID#

Name of Faculty Advisor

Prerequisites:

AAS 1010 Introduction to African American Studies

Semester taken _____

Please outline below your plan for completing the major with licensure for secondary social studies. Fill in the blanks with the semester and year that you plan to take each course.

Required Courses

Indicate semester and year (ex. FA08)

Freshman Year:

_____ AAS 1130 Survey of African History

Freshmen/Sophomore Year:

_____ AAS 2000 Social Movements and the Black Experience

_____ AAS 3300 The Black Community

Sophomore/Junior Year:

_____ AAS 3570 African American History I

_____ AAS 3580 African American History II

Junior/Senior Year:

_____ AAS 3910 African Politics and Government

_____ AAS 449C The African Diaspora

_____ AAS Internship Course

Senior Year:

_____ AAS 4850 Research Seminar in African American Studies

Select one from the following:

Semester/Year

- _____ AAS 3041 African Art (ART 3042)
- _____ AAS 3043 Egyptian Art (ART 3043)
- _____ AAS 3240 African American Literature (ENG 3240)

In addition, African American Studies majors planning to teach social studies in secondary schools must take the following social science courses:

Semester/Year

- _____ ECO 2010 Principles of Economics – Macro
- _____ ECO 2020 Principles of Economics – Micro
- or-
- _____ ECO 3200 Economic History of the U.S
- _____ GEG 1920 Concepts and Connections in Geography
- _____ GEG 3000 Historical Geography of the U.S.
- _____ HIS 1010 Western Civilization to 1603
- or-
- _____ HIS 1030 World History to 1500
- _____ HIS 1040 World History since 1500
- _____ HIS 1110 Colorado History I
- _____ HIS 1210 American History to 1865
- _____ HIS 1220 American History since 1865
- _____ PSC 1010 American National Government
- _____ PSC 1020 Political Systems and

Total of Additional Social Science Courses 33 (24)*

* Six of these credits can be used to satisfy the

General Studies Social Sciences requirement and three credits can be used to satisfy the General Studies Historical requirement.

Assessment Test

During the final semester, students majoring in African American studies will be required to take a comprehensive oral assessment test.