



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.

