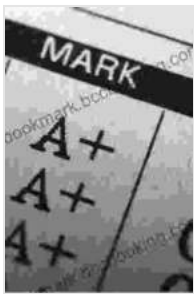


How to Present Your Strongest Self: Write Standout Admissions Essays and Get Into the College of Your Dreams

Getting into college is more competitive than ever. In 2021, the acceptance rate at Ivy League schools was just 4.5%. That means that for every 100 students who apply to an Ivy League school, only 4 or 5 will be accepted.



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If you want to increase your chances of getting into the college of your dreams, you need to write a standout admissions essay. Your essay is your chance to show the admissions committee who you are and why you deserve to be admitted to their school.

This book will teach you how to write an admissions essay that will help you get into the college of your dreams. We'll cover everything from

brainstorming ideas to writing your first draft to revising and editing your final essay.

Chapter 1: Brainstorming Ideas

The first step to writing a standout admissions essay is to brainstorm ideas. What are you passionate about? What are your unique experiences and perspectives? What do you want the admissions committee to know about you?

Once you have a few ideas, start writing them down. Don't worry about writing perfect sentences at this point. Just get your thoughts down on paper (or on your computer). You can always revise and edit your essay later.

Chapter 2: Writing Your First Draft

Once you have a few ideas, it's time to start writing your first draft. Don't worry about writing a perfect essay at this point. Just get your thoughts down on paper (or on your computer). You can always revise and edit your essay later.

As you write, focus on telling your story. What are the most important things that you want the admissions committee to know about you? What are your strengths and weaknesses? What are your goals and aspirations?

Be honest and authentic in your writing. The admissions committee wants to get to know the real you. Don't try to be someone you're not.

Chapter 3: Revising and Editing Your Essay

Once you have a first draft, it's time to revise and edit your essay. This is where you'll make sure that your essay is clear, concise, and error-free.

Start by reading your essay out loud. This will help you catch any awkward phrasing or grammatical errors.

Then, take a break from your essay for a few days. When you come back to it, you'll be able to see it with fresh eyes.

As you revise, focus on the following:

- **Clarity:** Is your essay easy to understand? Are your sentences clear and concise?
- **Conciseness:** Is your essay too long? Could you cut any unnecessary words or phrases?
- **Error-free:** Are there any grammatical errors in your essay? Have you proofread your essay carefully?

Chapter 4: Getting Feedback

Once you're happy with your essay, it's time to get feedback from others. Ask a friend, family member, or teacher to read your essay and give you their feedback.

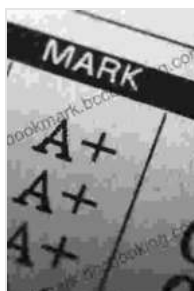
Be open to constructive criticism. The feedback you receive will help you improve your essay.

Chapter 5: Submitting Your Essay

Once you're happy with your essay, it's time to submit it. Follow the instructions on the application carefully.

Make sure that your essay is submitted on time. Late essays may not be considered.

Writing a standout admissions essay is essential to getting into the college of your dreams. By following the tips in this book, you can write an essay that will help you stand out from the competition and get into the college of your choice.



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