THE COMMON APPLICATION
For Undergraduate College Admission

# 2007-08 EARLY DECISION AGREEMENT

***To be used by students applying for the Spring 2008, Fall 2008, or Spring 2009 college term.*** Please type or print in black ink. Check specific college information in our Requirements Grid or online to ensure a member institution uses this form.

**Important**: The Early Decision Agreement is required *only* for candidates who have chosen to apply via the binding Early Decision Plan to their first-choice institution.

_____ _____
*College Name* *Deadline*

## PERSONAL DATA

Birth date _____ Social Security No. _____
*mm/dd/yyyy* *(Optional)*

Legal name _____ ○ Female ○ Male
*Last/Family (Enter name **exactly** as it appears on official documents.) First/Given Middle (complete) Jr., etc.*

Address _____
*Number and Street Apartment # City or Town State/Province Country ZIP/Postal Code*

E-mail address _____

Have you been a candidate for admission to this college in any previous year? ○ Yes ○ No Year _____

## INSTRUCTIONS

Under the Early Decision Plan, it is a violation of the spirit and the letter of the agreement for an applicant to be an Early Decision candidate at two or more institutions at the same time. Students who apply under the Early Decision Plan may initiate applications to other institutions, provided that none of the other applications is made under an Early Decision or an applicable Restrictive Early Action Plan. The obligation explicit in the Early Decision Plan, as described here and as defined by the National Association for College Admission Counseling, is a commitment on the part of the candidate to withdraw any other applications and to initiate no new applications if accepted under an institution's Early Decision Plan. (This commitment is binding only if sufficient financial aid is offered.)

○ *Yes, I wish to be considered as an Early Decision candidate. If I am accepted under the Early Decision Plan, I will matriculate in the fall. In addition, I understand that, if accepted under Early Decision, I must withdraw all my applications (if any) to other institutions and make no new ones. I further acknowledge that it is a violation of the agreement for an applicant to be an Early Decision candidate at two or more institutions at the same time. By checking this item and signing our names below, we acknowledge the terms of the Early Decision commitment.*

✎ _____
*Signature of Student* *Date*

✎ _____
*Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian* *Date*

✎ _____
*Signature of Counselor* *Date*

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