



**Oakland City University Career and College Directions Application  
and Parent Assessment**



*Thank you for your interest in Oakland City University Career and College Directions. Career and College Directions is a federally funded TRiO Talent Search program that is designed to encourage qualifying students to successfully graduate from high school and enter into a college or university of their choice.  
All services provided to the student are **free of charge**.*

**Applicant Information**

*Please Print!*

Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_ School Attending : \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  Male  Female

Student's Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street / P. O. Box \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Race  White  Black/African American  Two or more races  Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander  Asian  
 American Indian/Alaskan Native  Hispanic/Latino of any race: and, for individuals who are non-Hispanic/Latino only

Citizenship:  U. S. Citizen  
 Permanent Resident (Please attach a copy of your alien registration card)  
If born outside the U. S., please specify which country \_\_\_\_\_

Is a language other than English spoken at home? Please indicate which language.  No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_

Does the student have a documented disability? If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent Information**

Name of Parent (s) / Legal Guardian (s) \_\_\_\_\_

Parent e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_ Parent phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Parent cell phone # \_\_\_\_\_

**IMPORTANT—PLEASE COMPLETE ALL QUESTIONS WITHIN THIS BOX**

**1. If your student qualifies for the free lunch and/or free book program, please mark the following instead of checking the income information below.**

- \_\_\_ Yes, my student qualifies for the free lunch and/or free book program  
\_\_\_ No, my student does not qualify for the free lunch and/or free book program

**If not, please fill out income information below this box.**

**2. Does either parent have a college degree? (If student regularly resides with and receives support from only one parent, answer only for that parent.)**

- \_\_\_ Yes, I/We have a college degree from \_\_\_\_\_  
Type of degree:  Associate  Bachelor  Masters or above  
My degree is in \_\_\_\_\_ (ex: business)

\_\_\_ No, I/We do not have a college degree.

***If your student is not on the free lunch and/or free book program, please complete the income information below based on your 2008 federal income tax information.***

**Number in Household**  
(Include yourself and anyone supported by your household)

- ( ) 1  
( ) 2  
( ) 3  
( ) 4  
( ) 5  
( ) 6  
( ) 7  
( ) 8

**Taxable Income of Parents or Guardian**  
(Line 43 on 1040, Line 27 on 1040A, or line 6 on 1040EZ)

- ( ) \$0 - \$16,245  
( ) \$16,246 - \$21,855  
( ) \$21,856 - \$27,465  
( ) \$27,466 - \$33,075  
( ) \$33,076 - \$38,685  
( ) \$38,686 - \$44,295  
( ) \$44,296 - \$49,905  
( ) \$49,906 - \$55,515

**\* Families with more than eight members, add \$5,610.00 for each additional family member.**

**Please complete the other side!**

Please provide the following information for all members in your household. Please print.

Name	Age	Relationship	School Attending/Occupation	Grade

I feel the following would help my student go on to college:

- Academic information such as study skills materials and/or assistance and information on what classes will help him/her enter the college of their choice.
- College exploration and information, such as college visits, assistance with admissions and/or admissions fee waivers; assistance with financial aid forms and information; etc.
- Career exploration
- Motivational activities and goal setting

Please put a checkmark beside 2 of the following Parent QuickTips titles that would help you address the needs of your student. We will mail these to you!

- How to work with Your Child's Teachers
- Seven Habits of Highly Responsible Students
- Help Your Child Do Better on Tests
- Secrets for Making Children Want to Read
- Homework Time Made Easier...More Effective
- Recognize Your Child's Strengths... and Motivate Success
- Ten Ways to Help your Child Deal with Peer Pressure
- Help your Child Balance School and Extracurricular Activities
- There's More than One Way to Be Smart!
- The Danger Signals of Substance Abuse
- Teach Your Child How to Set Goals...And Reach Them!
- Help Your Child Take Responsibility for Belongings/ Schoolwork
- Popularity & Friendship Problems
- Helping Your Child Cope With Divorce
- Help Your Child Make Responsible Decisions
- Help Your Child Develop and "I Can Do It" Attitude
- Ways Parents Can Help Children Succeed on Standardized Tests
- Is Your Child Under Too Much Pressure?

**OCU Career and College Directions Program Consent**

I hereby authorize Oakland City University Career and College Directions to have access to any school records of the above-named applicant, to determine eligibility for the program and to monitor the status and progress in middle, secondary, and postsecondary education and eligibility for financial aid. I give my student permission to use the internet during sessions if it pertains to the goals of the program. I understand and agree that all information furnished on this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that this information will be kept confidential. In addition, I give permission for my student to be photographed or interviewed by media personnel as well as OCU Career and College Directions staff at activities or events. I further agree to allow OCU Career and College Directions to use these photographs and/or interviews for publicity purposes, including but not limited to newspaper articles, project website, brochures, newsletters, and other publications of the program.

*I/We also agree to encourage my/our student in his/her plans to successfully complete high school and enter an institution of postsecondary education.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Oakland City University Career and College Directions**  
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Office Use Only:

- Enrolled
- Waiting List/ Reason \_\_\_\_\_
- Date Submitted \_\_\_\_\_
- Date entered into DB \_\_\_\_\_