



I.D.E.A. (Inquiry, Depth, Eloquence, Agility)
College of Humanities Community Agreement

Name _____
First/Middle/Last

Student ID Number _____

The I.D.E.A. community is specifically for freshmen who have declared or are interested in majoring in the College of Humanities (including majors in American Studies, Chinese, Classics, Comparative Literature, English, French, German, Humanities, Italian, Japanese, Journalism, Modern Jewish Studies, Philosophy, Philosophy and Religion, Spanish, Communication Studies, Technical and Professional Writing, and Women and Gender Studies) or Liberal Studies.

You will need to print TWO copies of this form. Sign and return one copy with your housing license agreement. Bring the second copy with you to New Student Orientation in June 2009. At orientation you will register for your required courses and other courses as suggested by your advisor. In total you are required to take a minimum of 12 units to maintain your housing eligibility.

REQUIRED COURSES:

Fall 2009: Appropriate English, Mathematics courses on advisement at orientation, AND COMM 150 or PHIL 110.

Spring 2010: Appropriate English, Mathematics courses if necessary AND COMM 150 or PHIL 110 AND GE Segment II Humanities & Creative Arts courses from departments in the College of Humanities.

EXPECTATIONS OF PARTICIPANTS: Please initial each statement to indicate you have read and understand the agreements for participating in the I.D.E.A. Community.

The I.D.E.A. Community is designed to function in an academic living environment. Therefore, by enrolling in this living learning environment, I agree:

- ◆ _____ I am currently majoring in or intend to major in a degree within the College of Humanities
Major: _____.
- ◆ _____ I will enroll in the courses listed above at New Student Orientation in June 2009.
- ◆ _____ I will actively participate in a minimum of four (4) community activities each semester.
- ◆ _____ I will attend the following required I.D.E.A. Community activities:
 - Faculty Dinner, Fall 2009 and October Advising
 - Other activities – including lectures on a huge range of subjects, films, museum exhibits, and readings at the world-famous Poetry Center – throughout the year.
- ◆ _____ I am required to attend the following floor meetings:
 - Welcome to the Community meeting
 - Each end of the semester check out meeting

I have read and understand by my signature, each point indicated above. I am agreeing to actively participate in my chosen theme community.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

This agreement is binding for both fall and spring semesters.