



# Resident Assistant and Orientation Leader Application

What position(s) are you applying for: RA \_\_\_\_\_ Orientation Leader \_\_\_\_\_ Both \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(First) (M.I.) (Last)

Current Residence Hall: \_\_\_\_\_ Room #: \_\_\_\_\_

Or Address if Off-campus: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street) (City, State, Zip)

Mailbox #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ BANNER ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Gender: Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_

Class as of Fall '08: \_\_\_\_\_ Credit Hours Completed to Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Major(s)(or area of study): \_\_\_\_\_

Minor(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated Number of Credit Hours to take in 2009-2010: FALL: \_\_\_\_\_ SPRING: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be student teaching or interning during 2009 - 2010? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, which semester? FALL \_\_\_\_\_ SPRING \_\_\_\_\_

What potential Summer 09 commitments do you have or anticipate?

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Please list your current and past Resident Assistants at John Carroll University:

\_\_\_\_\_

Please list your current Area Coordinator and any past Area Coordinators at John Carroll University:

\_\_\_\_\_

Are you an active member of RHA? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

Did you complete the Living & Leading Program? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

*If you are receiving financial aid compensation, the Resident Assistant position may affect your aid package. Please see the Office of Financial Aid for more information.*

### For the Resident Assistant Position

**Please answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper.** We strongly encourage you to explore [www.jcu.edu/reslife](http://www.jcu.edu/reslife) before completing the questions.

1. Please state your reasons and goals for applying for this Resident Assistant position.
2. Define what it means to be a role model. How do you envision yourself serving as a role model to others if selected as a Resident Assistant?
3. How do you currently connect to and contribute to the community you live in?

**References:** Please have three people complete the reference forms. If you currently live on campus, you must have your current RA be one of your references. The Reference Form can be found at:

[www.jcu.edu/campuslife/reslife/docs/RA\\_Orientation\\_Reference.pdf](http://www.jcu.edu/campuslife/reslife/docs/RA_Orientation_Reference.pdf)

### For the Orientation Leader Position

**Please answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper.** We strongly encourage you to explore [www.jcu.edu/orientation](http://www.jcu.edu/orientation) before completing the questions.

1. Please state your reasons and goals for applying for this Orientation Leader position.
2. What should a new student orientation program try to accomplish? That is, what should a student learn or experience while they are here on campus for the two-day program?
3. Please describe a time when you have creatively solved a problem on your own.

**References:** Please have two people complete the reference forms. The Reference Form can be found at:

[www.jcu.edu/campuslife/reslife/docs/RA\\_Orientation\\_Reference.pdf](http://www.jcu.edu/campuslife/reslife/docs/RA_Orientation_Reference.pdf)

### If you are applying for both positions:

1. You will need to complete all six essay questions.
2. Please have three people complete the reference forms. If you currently live on campus, you must have your RA be one of your references. The Reference Form can be found at:

[www.jcu.edu/campuslife/reslife/docs/RA\\_Orientation\\_Reference.pdf](http://www.jcu.edu/campuslife/reslife/docs/RA_Orientation_Reference.pdf)

**Resume:** Please submit a professional resume highlighting the skills and experiences you have had that are relevant to a leadership position at JCU. For assistance in creating and critiquing your resume, please contact the Center for Career Services at [careerhelp@jcu.edu](mailto:careerhelp@jcu.edu) or x4237.

**THIS APPLICATION FORM, YOUR ANSWERS TO THE ESSAY QUESTIONS, AND YOUR RESUME ARE DUE BY 5:00 PM ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2008 TO THE OFFICE OF RESIDENCE LIFE.**

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