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## Application for Advanced Study Project

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During this semester-long project, students have the opportunity to develop an academic or professional area of interest by working with both a local Mentor and an Oak Meadow Faculty Advisor. The student develops a proposal and outline for the course of study, including reading lists, assignment descriptions and deadlines, and final project evaluation measures. Regular communication with the Faculty Advisor is necessary throughout the semester, yet the student is empowered to create a course of study of their own design. Successful completion earns 0.5 credits.

There are two program options for our Advanced Study Projects: an Academic project or a Professional work experience.

**Pages 1-2 are completed by the student and submitted to the High School Program Director for consideration. Mail or email this page to Michelle Simpson-Siegel, Oak Meadow, PO Box 1346, Brattleboro, VT 05302 or [msiegel@oakmeadow.com](mailto:msiegel@oakmeadow.com)**

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Application \_\_\_\_\_ Anticipated Year of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Type of ASP      \_\_\_ Professional      \_\_\_ Academic

### PROPOSAL

Please describe your project in 1-2 paragraphs. Provide background, content, and justification. Consider the following questions:  
*What sparked your initiative to pursue this advanced study? What is the goal of the project? How will this project enhance your education?*

## PROJECT PLAN

### 1. Describe your project in detail:

- What shape will your finished project take—a web page, a novella, a PowerPoint presentation, a research paper, etc.?
- Are there new skills you need to acquire to create this project? Explain.
- At least two books are required for both the academic and professional ASP. Include that title and your complete book list here, if applicable.
- How will your finished project be used or shared? Do you intend to share this project with a wider audience?

### 2. Action steps:

Map/Outline your plan.