



*Homeschooled applicants are required to complete Dana Hall School's regular application process to the extent that their unique educational program and academic preparation allows, with appropriate modifications:*

**Transcript and current year grades:**

If you are unable to provide grades/transcripts, please provide a description of your educational program for both the current year and the previous year. Examples might include the curriculum plans and year-end reports submitted to your home district, or a one-page transcript (organized by year) listing all coursework and the instructors for each subject area.

**School profile:**

Please provide a statement about the educational philosophy of your homeschool program. This should include your reason(s) for choosing to homeschool. It may also include references to any particular pedagogical approach and supplemental programs you employ.

**School official, English teacher, and math teacher recommendations:**

The adult who facilitates any given subject should complete its form. If a parent oversees the program and/or provides English or math instruction, said parent should fill out the relevant form(s). If a parent fills out all three required recommendation forms, we require at least one additional academic recommendation from an adult outside of your family. That additional recommendation should comment upon areas including, but not limited to: academic achievement, academic motivation, academic potential, ability to work independently and in groups, organizational skills, and areas of particular strength or growth.

**Testing:**

Dana Hall School is test-flexible. While we do require testing, we will permit any recent standardized test, such as the MCAS, ERB, MAP, SSAT, or ISEE. Testing provides the Admission Committee with an additional academic data point that helps us understand the student's school context and background.

**Additional Materials:**

Though not required, we welcome the submission of additional materials that help us to understand you as a learner. Examples might include transcripts or evaluations from classes outside the home, a description of your school day schedule, or a portfolio of work samples.