

*\*Please make a copy of this document, type your application and email a copy to grantmagazine1@gmail.com. Responses to each question should be between **150 and 300 words.***

[Tentative Application Timeline](#)

**PLEASE ATTACH AT LEAST TWO WRITING SAMPLES TO THE BOTTOM OF THE DOCUMENT (Make sure ANYONE can access them.)**

**Journalistic writing examples (news, profiles, reviews, etc.) are preferred, but academic, personal, creative or fictional writing is also acceptable.**

**Name:**

**Pronouns:**

**Year in School (during 2026–2027):**

**Extracurriculars:**

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**\*When possible, please include specific examples and experiences in your answers.**

- 1. Why do you want to be a member of the Grant Magazine staff?**
- 2. Reporting requires strong communication skills — when communicating with the Grant Magazine team and when conducting interviews. What are your strengths in this realm, and what skills are you planning to improve upon (and how)?**
- 3. What background and prior experiences do you have that set you apart from other applicants (volunteering, leadership, community organizing, family, identity)?**
- 4. What does journalism mean to you, and why do you think it's important? What stories do you find important to tell in a school magazine?**
- 5. Self-motivation and the ability to meet deadlines are crucial to the work we do on the magazine and are a graded part of the class. Share an example of a time you demonstrated**

**these qualities. How will you balance work for the magazine with other personal responsibilities and extracurriculars?**

**6. Grant Magazine requires a high-quality level of writing. What writing experience do you have that you can bring to the magazine?**

**7. Tell us about a story at Grant that you would be interested in covering. Be as specific as possible (no lists, please). Who would you interview?**

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**Highlight all areas of interest that apply. Please share any experience or interests and attach work samples to the application (writing and any creative samples).**

Reporting/Writing:

Photography:

Graphics/Design/Layout (Do you know how to use InDesign, Illustrator, Photoshop or any other design programs?):

Videography:

Podcasts:

Web design:

**Any additional notes or information that we should know:**