

**THE WOMEN'S
FOUNDATION
OF COLORADO**

**Girls' Leadership Council (GLC)
2017 Application**


Applicant Information

Name of Applicant	
Address	
City	
State	
Zip	
County	
Home Phone	
Cell Phone	
E-mail Address	

What languages are spoken at home? _____

What social media platforms do you use? (Please check all that apply)

 Facebook

 Instagram

 LinkedIn

 Twitter

None

Other (specify): _____

Do you have access to a computer? (check one)	Yes	No
Do you have access to the internet? (check one)	Yes	No

Parent/Legal Guardian Information

Name	
Cell Phone Number	
Home Phone Number	
Email	

School Information

High School Name				
School District				
Type of School (check one)	Public	Private	Charter	Other
What is your current GPA?				

Are you currently a high school sophomore? (check one)	Yes	No
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Recommendation Information

At least one (1) letter of recommendation is required. You may submit up to two (2) letters. Letters may be written by teachers, community members, mentors, coaches, or any other non-relative who is familiar with your character, passion, and energy toward school and extracurricular/community involvement. Letters may be written by someone of any gender. **All letters must be received (not postmarked) by 5:00pm on Wednesday, March 1, 2017**

Please request that the recommender(s) email their letter(s) to glc@gidenver.org or mail to

Girls Inc. of Metro Denver
 Attn: Girls' Leadership Council Program
 1499 Julian Street
 Denver, CO 80204

In this section please include the name, relationship, and contact information for each recommender.

Recommender #1

Name	
Relationship to Applicant	
Telephone	
Email	

Recommender #2

Name	
Relationship to Applicant	
Telephone	
Email	

Activities and Extracurricular Involvement

We are interested in gaining a better understanding of how you invest your time. Please tell us about your extracurricular activities, community involvement, family responsibilities, employment, and personal recognitions or awards.

To allow us to learn more about you, please send a *resume* OR answers to the following questions. Please answer these questions on a separate page but extended answers are *not* required. **Your resume or answers to the below questions must be received (not postmarked) by 5:00pm on Wednesday, March 1, 2017.**

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1. ***In-School Activities*** – What activities are you involved in *at* school? Examples include sports, choir, student clubs such as Gay/Straight Alliance, National Honors Society, etc.
2. ***Out-of-School Activities*** – What activities are you involved in *outside* of school? Examples include volunteer work, family responsibilities, faith-based organizations, or youth programs.
3. ***Employment*** – Have you been or are you currently employed? If so, please specify where you are employed and the average number of hours you work per week. If you have multiple jobs, please list all of them
4. ***Personal Recognitions or Awards (if applicable, not required)*** – Have you been given special recognition or an award in any area of your life? If so, please provide what the recognition or award was and when it was given. Examples include Employee of the Month, Most Valuable Player, honor roll, Volunteer of the Month, etc.

Narrative Questions

Please answer the following questions in essay format. DO NOT exceed one (1) page per question.

All responses must be word processed or in Google Doc. For specific formatting details, please refer to the Application Guidelines. **Responses to narrative questions must be received (not postmarked) by 5:00 pm on Wednesday, March 1, 2017.**

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1. **Inspiration** – Who inspires, empowers, or motivates you and why? How do you aspire to impact your community?
2. **Initiative** – Identify a need or challenge in your school or community and why you believe it is important to address. What suggestions do you have for how this challenge can be addressed?
3. **Resiliency** – Describe a time when you experienced a conflict, hardship, or set back that shaped the person you are today. Please share specific examples about how this has affected your current character or perspective.
4. **Self-Awareness** – What attributes do you believe contribute to the success of women and girls? What issues are you aware of that prevent or make it more challenging for girls to achieve their full potential?

Other Information

Please check or write in any and all areas of study or career interests you would like to explore further.

Arts	Hospitality
Business Management and Administration	Human Services
Education	Information Technology
Finance	Marketing, Sales, and Service
Government	Nonprofits and Philanthropy
Health Science	STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math)

I am interested in: _____

Where did you hear about the GLC? We are always striving to improve our outreach, please tell us specifically where you heard about our program.

Counselor

Teacher

Former GLC Attendee

Other (Please specify): _____

If a specific person told you about GLC we would like to thank them. Please provide their full name and phone number or email.

Background Information

Please answer the following questions. Note that completion of this section is appreciated but not required.

The Women’s Foundation of Colorado and Girls Inc. of Metro Denver are interested in ensuring that we provide resources and support to First-Generation college students.

Will you be the first in your family to graduate from high school? (Check one)	Yes	No
Will you be the first in your family to graduate from college or university? (Check one)	Yes	No
Did your parent(s)/legal guardian(s) <i>attend</i> college in the United States? (Check one)	Yes	No

How do you identify racially/ethnically? _____

Congratulations, you have reached the end of the application! Please save this document as “[fill in your name] GLC Application” and email it to glc@gidenver.org with the subject line "GLC application for" and your full name.

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