



Personal Statement “Boot Camp” Workshops 2020

Due to P/F grading and reduced standardized testing, application essays are more important than ever in this year’s application season. Peninsula College Advising is ready to help!

Beth Harrison, founder of Peninsula College Advising, is a former college writing professor and academic advisor. Offering summer writing workshops for rising seniors since 2013, Peninsula College advising helps students develop powerful personal statements and turns an arduous process into a rewarding one. Workshop sessions break the writing process into easy, manageable steps, provide the support to help students create top-notch essays, and take deadline stress away from parents.

- Choose a session to fit your schedule; six total hours of group instruction and two optional hours of guided drafting time.
- Two one-hour individual consultations to develop, revise, edit and polish one 500-650 word personal statement and up to 4 shorter essays (UC PIQs or other). Two follow-up email consultations also included.
- Topics covered are: personal statement prompts and sample essays, peer evaluation of essay drafts, strategies for writing supplemental essays, tips for time management, and professional evaluation and editing of essays by Beth.
- Class size is limited for small group interaction.
- Fee is \$550 through May 31. (June 1 fee is \$625)

Personal Statement Boot Camp Dates 2020:

	Workshop #1: June 8-10, 12	1:00 – 3:00 pm
New!	Workshop #2: June 15-17, 19	1:00 – 3:00 pm
	Workshop #2: July 13-16	7:00 – 9:00 pm
	Workshop #3: August 15-16	1:30 -- 4:30 pm

June workshops will be online via Zoom. The format is changed to adapt to online learning. Beth will be available for office hours at the end of each Zoom session and on Thursdays. Students will still meet one on one with Beth after the workshop finishes and shelter-in-place restrictions are lifted.

July and August workshops’ format is pending. The plan is to meet at Beth’s home office: 418 Ridge Road in San Carlos.

Visit www.peninsulacollegeadvising.com for more information about workshops or individual consultations and to register online.

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