



# Your Application Essay:

Your chance to put a personality to what otherwise are just sheets of paper.



An essay is NOT  
a dissertation or diary entry.

An essay IS personally  
stated and professionally structured.



## **Your Essay is an Opportunity to:**

- Have your voice heard
- Tell us what high school transcripts and test scores cannot
- Help us get to know you!





## **A Successful Essay typically:**

- Is 1 to 1 ½ pages to in length
- highlights the specific qualities that make you unique
- Explains why Samford is the right fit for you.



## **Questions?**

**Please contact your Admission's counselor with any questions concerning the essay and the application process.**