



# NEW YORK NAUTICAL SCHOOL

TRAINING SHIP NEWPORT

East Twenty-fourth Street Pier



R. 15912

## APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

Read carefully and fill out, as indicated, pages one, two and three; and mail to the Superintendent, Training Ship Newport, Station F, New York City. Notice will be sent you later as to date of examination.

The Training Ship of the Board of Education of the City of New York is in no sense a reformatory, or a sanitarium, and only boys of good character, who will appreciate and avail themselves of the instruction, are admitted; nor will they be allowed to remain on board unless they yield prompt and willing obedience to the rules and regulations of the ship, and make fair progress in their studies. Boys who are not rugged in physique and resolute in spirit, or boys who are at all afraid of work, or the general privations that may accompany a seafaring life, are not suited to become students in this school.

## QUALIFICATIONS OF APPLICANTS

- First.—They must be between the ages of sixteen and twenty years.
- Second.—They must be of normal size, of sound constitution, and free from all physical defects; and must pass a physical examination before the ship's surgeon.
- Third.—They must produce two testimonials of character.
- Fourth.—They must have an inclination for a seafaring life, and enter the school of their own free will.
- Fifth.—They must be able to pass such mental examination as is prescribed by the Executive Committee on the Nautical School.
- Sixth.—They must have either a parent or a guardian residing in the City of New York to sign the necessary papers.
- Seventh.—The sum of \$25 must be paid upon entrance, to defray the expense of uniforms and bedding during the two years' course.  
*Should the cadet be withdrawn, desert or be dismissed, the deposit is forfeited.*
- Eighth.—They must be provided with underclothing and accessories as per clothing list.
- Ninth.—During the Winter Term Cadets will be sent home for Saturdays and Sundays; no provision can be made for them on the *Newport*.

THE ABOVE FACTS SHOULD BE CLEARLY UNDERSTOOD BY PARENTS AND GUARDIANS BEFORE ENTERING THEIR BOYS IN THE SCHOOL.

## STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(To be made in his own handwriting)

I. Place and date of this application \_\_\_\_\_

Your name in full (including any middle name) and the date and place of your birth giving year, month and day \_\_\_\_\_

III. Post office address to which the reply to this application should be sent \_\_\_\_\_

IV. The name, address and occupation of your parent or guardian \_\_\_\_\_

V. Enclose a statement, on separate paper, in your own handwriting, describing your previous education,—and naming all the schools or academies you have attended.

VI. Have you ever been to sea? \_\_\_\_\_

VII. Do you expect to complete the two years' course? \_\_\_\_\_

VIII. Are you prepared to meet the expenses for clothing? \_\_\_\_\_

IX. Names and addresses, in full, of two persons, preferably previous employers or teachers, from whom further information regarding you may be obtained. (Persons who sign the recommendation on page three are not to be included.)

## APPLICATION AND AGREEMENT

(To be filled out by the applicant)

I, \_\_\_\_\_ having carefully read the statement of "Qualifications of Applicants," do hereby, with the consent and at the request of my parents or guardian, make application for admission to the New York Nautical School.

If admitted to said school, I do hereby agree to serve on board the training ship Newport, or on such vessel as may be assigned, until I graduate or have been discharged by proper authority. I agree to abide by and conform to, all rules, regulations and orders that may be issued from time to time for the government of said school and students, and to subject myself to the discipline thereof.

I certify that I make this application of my own free will, with a firm desire and purpose to fit myself to follow the sea as a means of livelihood.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

# DECLARATION AND CONSENT OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN

(To be filled out by parent or guardian)

I, \_\_\_\_\_ residing in the City of New York, do hereby declare that the above named \_\_\_\_\_ is my  $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{son} \\ \text{ward} \end{array} \right\}$ , and that he was born the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the year \_\_\_\_\_; that he has my consent and it is my desire for him to enter the New York Nautical School, upon the terms set forth in the statement of "Qualifications of Applicants" and the "Agreement" signed by him, and printed upon this sheet, and I hereby consent and desire that he shall be subject to all rules, regulations and discipline that may be from time to time inaugurated for the government of the school.

I certify, to the best of my knowledge and belief, that he

has \_\_\_\_\_ had scarlet fever.      has \_\_\_\_\_ had whooping-cough.  
has \_\_\_\_\_ had small-pox.      has \_\_\_\_\_ been vaccinated.  
has \_\_\_\_\_ had measles.      is \_\_\_\_\_ subject to fits of any kind.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

## TESTIMONIALS

(Preferably from two former teachers)

We, the undersigned, are personally acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_  $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{parent} \\ \text{guardian} \end{array} \right\}$ , and certify that  $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{he} \\ \text{she} \end{array} \right\}$  is a citizen of the City of New York. We are personally acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_ the applicant, and believe him to be of temperate and industrious habits and good moral character.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Entry No \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
 Application rec'd \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_  
 Notified \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_  
 Date examined \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_  
 Deposit paid \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_  
 Admitted \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_  
 Graduated \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_  
 Withdrawn \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_  
 Discharged \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_  
 Deserted \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_

### REPORT OF EXAMINATION

Training Ship Newport,

New York, \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_

We have carefully examined \_\_\_\_\_ as to

his qualifications to enter the New York Nautical School and find as follows:—

Mental \_\_\_\_\_ Instructor.

Physical \_\_\_\_\_ Surgeon.

### DESCRIPTIVE LIST

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Born \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_

Eyes \_\_\_\_\_, Hair \_\_\_\_\_, Complexion \_\_\_\_\_

Other personal characteristics (permanent marks, scars, &c.) \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Examination of Chest \_\_\_\_\_

Family History \_\_\_\_\_

	AGE		WEIGHT	HEIGHT	THORAX		VISION	COLOR PERCEPTION	HEARING	VACCINATION
	Years	Mos.		Pounds	VERTEX TO GROUND	MEAN CIRCUMFERENCE				
			Inches		Inches	Inches	Snellen			
AT ENTRANCE										
AT GRADUATION										