

**Student Essay Supplement  
for Imagining the Future of Transportation Program (IFTP)**

Name of Student \_\_\_\_\_

Directions to student:

Please write a response to the following prompts below. When finished, please give to the teacher that will also be writing your letter of recommendation. We will NOT be accepting letters e-mailed to us. This essay can be typed or hand-written.

Directions to teachers:

This essay has been given to you in addition to a recommendation form to apply for Northeastern University's IFT program. Please be sure to verify this is the writing of the student and include this essay form in the final compilation of materials you either return to the parent or directly send to Claire Duggan, 153 Snell Engineering, Northeastern University, 360 Huntington Ave, Boston, MA 02115.

*I certify that the essay below is the original work of the student, and that an essay written by another party will lead to immediate disqualification in participation of Northeastern University Imagining the Future of Transportation Program.*

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Guardian Signature

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Date

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Teacher Signature

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Date

### Question 1:

IFTP will expand your knowledge of engineering and how engineers approach transportation issues. In 250 words, please tell the selection committee your thoughts on the most significant transportation challenges in the city of Boston and beyond.

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### Question 2:

In 250 words, please tell the selection committee why you are interested in attending the 2016 Imagining the Future of Transportation Program. Include in your essay what you hope to gain from this experience, how you think it will help you in the future and why you think you should be selected to attend this camp.

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