What courses are you taking, and how are those courses shaping you? Look at your transcripts; you should be able to explain every course that you have taken.

Have you been exposed to different cultures? Explore study abroad options through the Center for Global Engagement (CGE).

You can also look at fellowship options through the Office of National Fellowships and Scholarships.

Library and Information Services (LBIS) also provide resources to help you along your academic journey.

Now is the time to reflect on your weaknesses so that you can make yourself a stronger person.

Are you involved in several different areas around campus? College is a great time to try new clubs, sports, Greek life and leadership opportunities.

You can also seek out leadership roles as a peer mentor, peer counselor or sexual misconduct advisor.

Consider volunteer options and service projects in the community, and also look out for award opportunities on campus.

The Career Development Office (CDO) is an excellent resource when writing your resume, preparing for interviews, searching for a post-Kenyon job, and exploring graduate school options.

The Writing Center can also help with writing cover letters or application essays.

You can also look at fellowship options through the many opportunities here at Kenyon and the Office of National Fellowships and Scholarships.

Think about what areas have shaped you to become who you are today.

In three sentences or less, what’s your story? Make sure that it has a hook, conflict and resolution.