

Application due by

**5:00 PM** on

**Saturday, October 10th**

 Please export all written application, short answer, and prompt responses onto **one PDF or Microsoft Word document file** to attach in an email with the subject “[Name]’s Sherman Ave Application”

Submit your finished application and any questions/concerns to **shermanave1@gmail.com**

**Name:**

**Year:**

**School\*:**

**Major(s)/Minor(s):**

**Hometown:**

**Phone Number:**

**Special Talents:**

*\*You do NOT have to attend Northwestern University to write for Sherman Ave.*

**1) In 180 characters or fewer, tell your dog you have six months to live. You have six months to live, not the dog.**

**2) Which state would you remove from the union? Explain.**

**3) “How odd I can have all this inside me and to you it’s just words.”**

**-David Foster Wallace**

**What is inside you?**

**4) Pitch us a reality TV show.**

**5) Fire Donald Trump.**

**6) In two to six sentences, explain why you want to be a part of Sherman Ave.**

**7) Write three headlines for Sherman Ave.**

**DO BOTH OF THESE**

**Prompt 1: Write an article about anything you want. (It can be one of those headlines you just wrote.)  (Max 500 words)**

**Prompt 2: Write an article about a current event.  Here are some examples of relevant topics, but feel free to think of your own.**

* Classes Starting
* Halloween
* Homecoming
* Pope’s visit to the U.S.
* Presidential Race (No Trump. Please.)
* Northwestern Football
* MLB Playoffs
* McDonalds All Day Breakfast
* Nickelodeon Bringing Back 90s Programming
* Any other current event