



**Saint Mary's
University**
of MINNESOTA

3+2 Physician Assistant Program

ESSAY QUESTIONS

To assist the admissions team in their evaluation of your attributes, please provide a written response to each of the following three prompts, using no more than 500 words for the total essay.

1. Tell us about an experience that offers evidence of your compassion, resilience, or leadership.
2. Describe an accomplishment that made you proud, including what was required of you to reach that success. What was the most challenging part leading up to this achievement? How did you overcome any barriers? What did you learn?
3. What makes you stand out from other PA applicants we are considering for admission?