

Hello all,

In the [INSERT SEMESTER], I will offer an advanced moot court seminar called *Church and State*. The course will be organized around five moot court cases, rearguing famous Establishment Clause cases from Supreme Court history. Students will be assigned to play the role of a lawyer or a justice for the duration of the course. Each lawyer will argue two cases and each justice will write two opinions. (Lawyers in the advanced seminar will not operate in teams, though they will have the assistance of other lawyers.) Students will also be evaluated based on their class participation.

Because this course is designed to be an intensive and rigorous experience, enrollment will be limited to 14 students, and the course will require permission of the instructor to enroll. Based on your outstanding performance in one of my prior courses, I would like to invite you to enroll in this advanced course.

The class will meet on [INSERT DAY AND TIME]. Because enrollment is extremely limited, I need to know whether you plan to enroll so that I can offer available spots to other students. Please let me know as soon as possible whether you are interested in taking the course.

Also, if you plan to enroll, please let me know whether you prefer to play a justice or a lawyer for the duration of the course.

Sincerely,

[INSERT INSTRUCTOR SIGNATURE]