

PLANNING FOR COLLEGE

How do I rate myself as a student? <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Average <input type="checkbox"/> Below Average	What are my best two subjects? 1. _____ 2. _____
My interests:	Two Possible Majors: 1. _____ 2. _____
My academic strengths:	My academic challenges:
My strongest personality traits:	My special talents and skills:
I prefer working: <input type="checkbox"/> independently <input type="checkbox"/> with others	I prefer learning in a: <input type="checkbox"/> competitive environment <input type="checkbox"/> relaxed atmosphere
I would prefer that my college have an enrollment that is: <input type="checkbox"/> Small (fewer than 2,000 students) <input type="checkbox"/> Medium (2,000 – 15,000 students) <input type="checkbox"/> Large (15,000 or more students)	I would prefer going to college in a: <input type="checkbox"/> big city <input type="checkbox"/> suburban area (just outside of a large city) <input type="checkbox"/> small town <input type="checkbox"/> rural area (country)
I would prefer that my college be located: <input type="checkbox"/> Close enough for me to live at home <input type="checkbox"/> Close enough for me to visit my family on weekends <input type="checkbox"/> Close enough to visit occasionally <input type="checkbox"/> Far enough away that I come home only for major holidays and summer vacation	I would prefer that my college be: <input type="checkbox"/> In-state <input type="checkbox"/> Out-of-state I would prefer that my college be: <input type="checkbox"/> Public <input type="checkbox"/> Private
I would prefer that the student body at my college: <input type="checkbox"/> be a diverse population of students <input type="checkbox"/> have many students who are like me	What are your top two career choices? 1. _____ 2. _____
What are the four most important things you are looking for in a college (in order of importance)? 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ 4. _____	What are the four least important things you are looking for in a college (in order of importance)? 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ 4. _____
What are the top three things you want to get out of college? 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	What extra-curricular activities are you looking for in college? <input type="checkbox"/> Clubs <input type="checkbox"/> Fraternities/Sororities <input type="checkbox"/> Sports <input type="checkbox"/> Special Events <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____

<p>Do you plan on living on campus or at home?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> On campus <input type="checkbox"/> At home</p>	<p>While in college, I plan on:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> working part-time <input type="checkbox"/> working full-time <input type="checkbox"/> not working</p>
<p>Do you prefer being close to home or far away?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Close to home <input type="checkbox"/> Far away</p>	<p>If you live far away, how often do you plan to return home?</p> <p>___ times per year</p>
<p>What degree of school spirit (football, cheerleading, campus-wide traditions, sense of history, etc.) do you want your school to have?</p>	<p>Do you prefer a liberal or more conservative atmosphere on campus?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Liberal <input type="checkbox"/> Conservative</p>
<p>Would you prefer a trimester, semester, or quarterly calendar? Trimesters and quarters give you an opportunity to take a wider array of courses. Semesters have longer summers.</p>	<p>What are things that your college <i>must</i> have?</p>
<p>Are campus cultural issues such as religion, socioeconomic level, or race important considerations in choosing your school? If so, which one(s)?</p>	<p>Are cultural amenities such as museums, theaters, movies, malls, or professional sporting events important to you? If so, which ones?</p>
<p>What factors are important to your parents?</p>	<p>Other important factors that you will use to select colleges to apply to:</p>

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