



Extracurricular Activities — from MIT Online

Some students feel so much pressure to get into the "right" college that they want to make sure they do everything "right" - even do the "right" extracurricular activities. Fortunately, the only right answer is to do what's right for you - not what you think is right for us.



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Choose your activities because they really delight, intrigue and challenge you, not because you think they'll look impressive on your application. Go out of your way to find projects, activities and experiences that stimulate your creativity and leadership, that connect you with peers and adults who bring out your best, that please you so much you don't mind the work involved. Some students find room for many activities; others prefer to concentrate on just a few. Either way, the test for any extracurricular should be whether it makes you happy - whether it feels right for you.



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By the same token, some applicants struggle to turn themselves into clones of the "ideal" MIT student - you know, the one who gets triple 800s on the SAT. Fortunately, cloning is still for sheep. What we really want to see on your application is you being you - pursuing the things you love, growing, changing, taking risks, learning from your mistakes, all in your own distinctive way. College is not a costume party; you're not supposed to come dressed as someone else. Instead, college is an intense, irreplaceable four-year opportunity to become more yourself than you've ever been. What you need to show us is that you're ready to try.

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Welcome to Stanton College Preparatory School



**GUIDANCE
INFORMATION FOR
11TH AND 12TH GRADE
STUDENTS AND
PARENTS**

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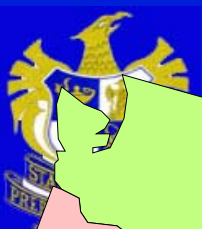
Colleges That Change Lives

- Website:
- <http://www.ctcl.com/>
- NPR – College Admissions Game
- <http://www.npr.org/templates/story/story.php?storyId=7537888>
- Finding the right college
- www.stantoncollegeprep.org



You have to ask yourself:

- If the college I am applying to has hundreds of students with:
- my exact GPA,
- the same number of AP, IB, and Honors courses,
- the same ranking,
- very similar activities,
- the same test scores,
- ***why should they accept me?***



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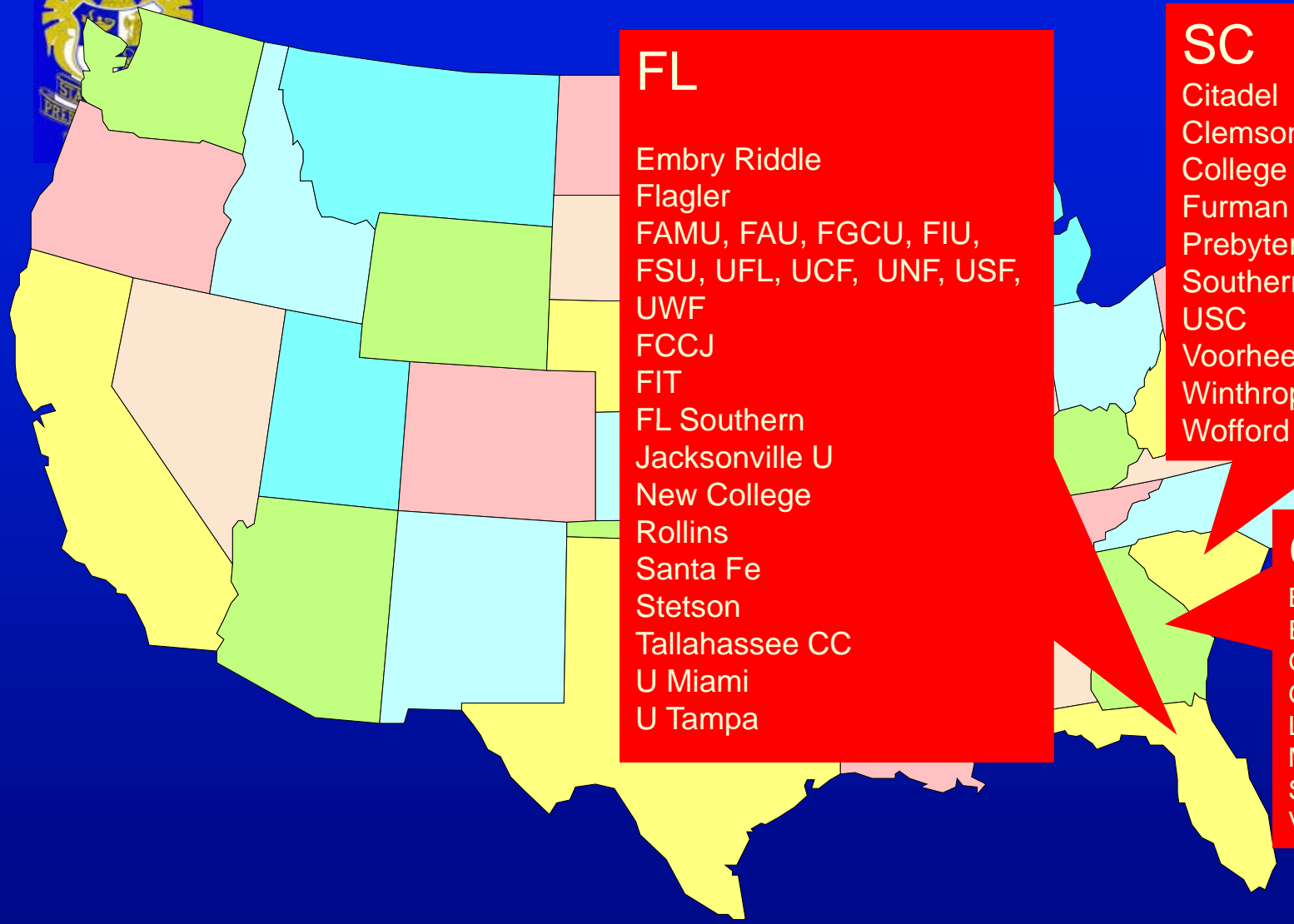
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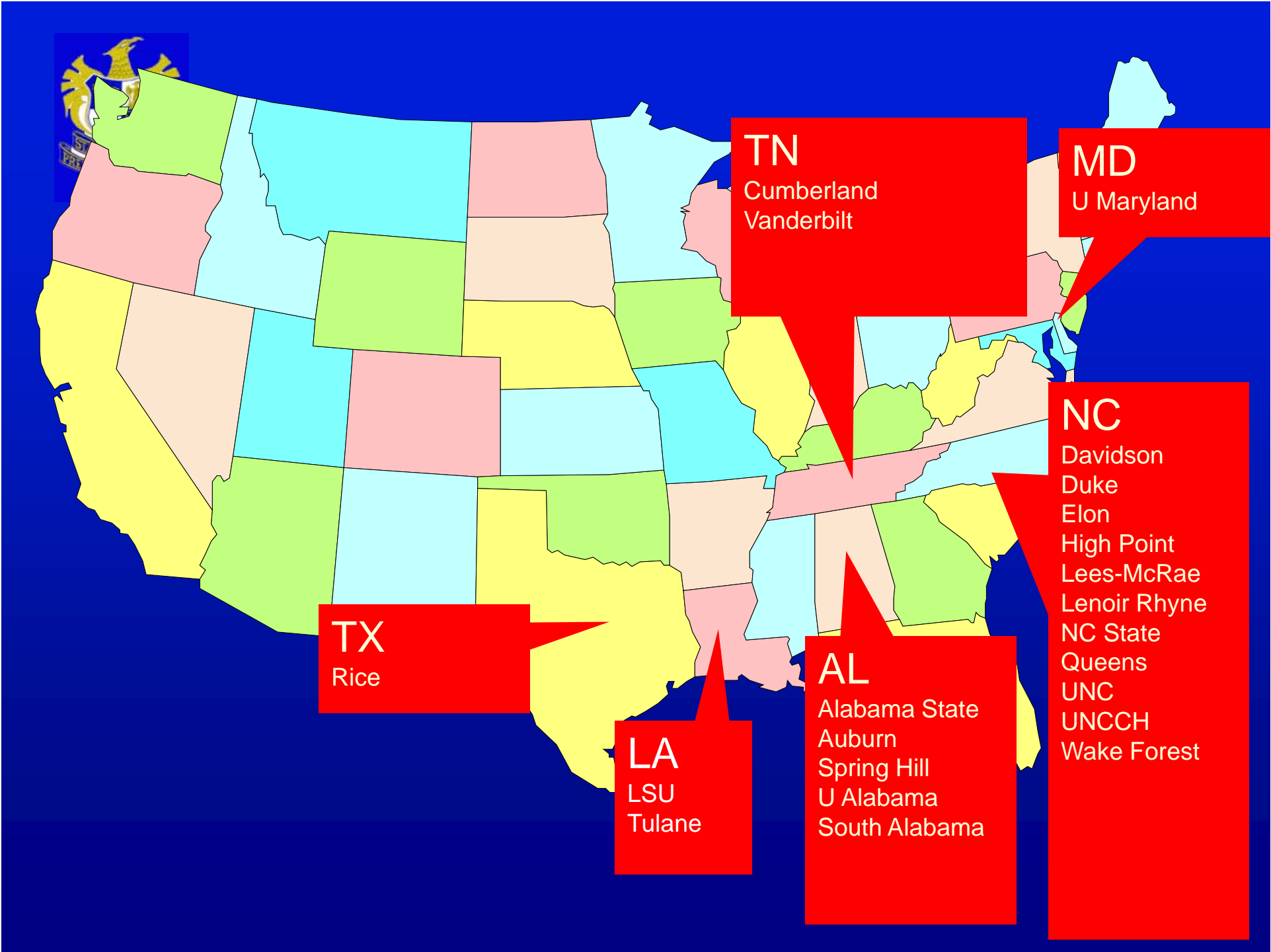
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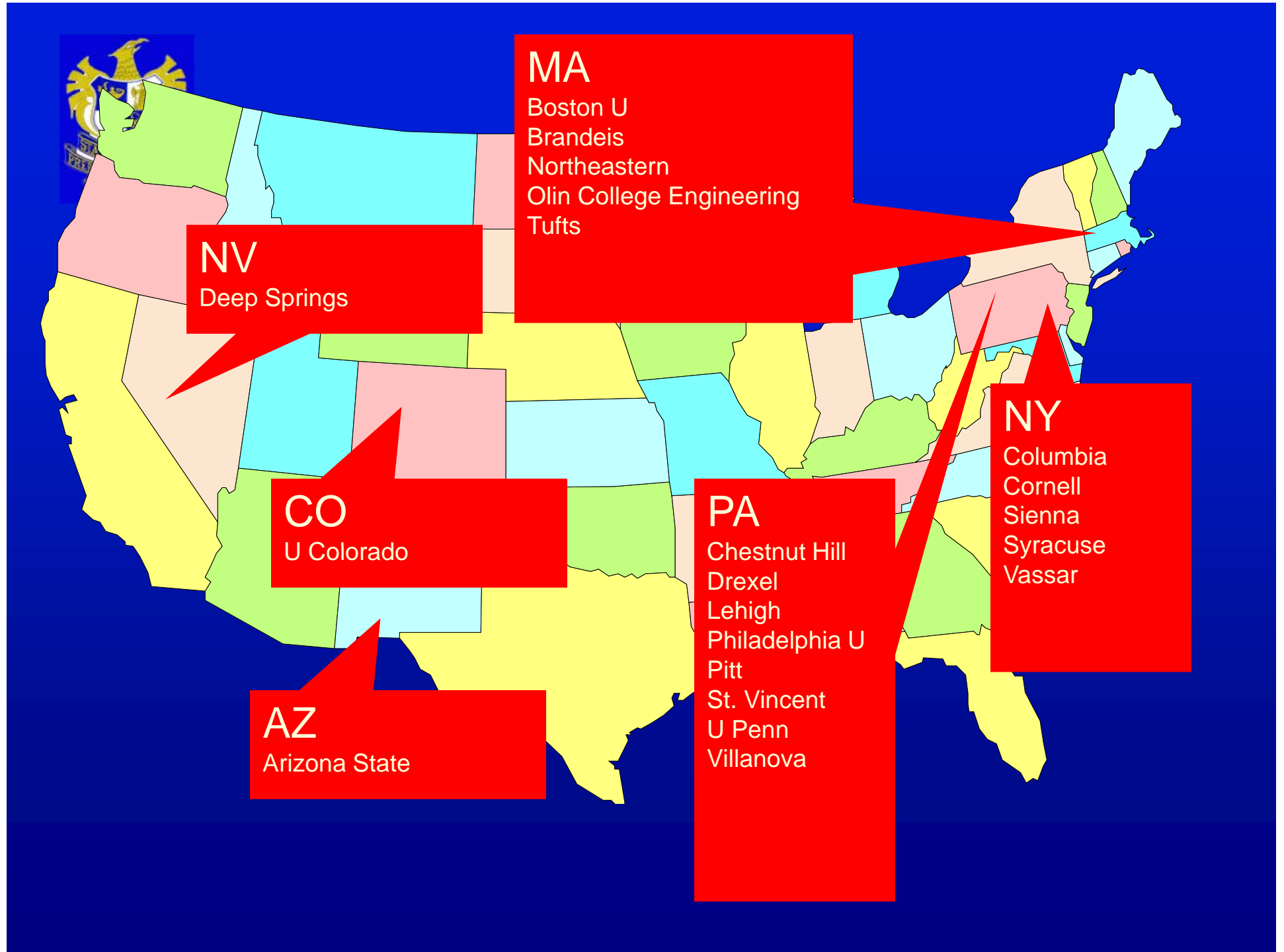
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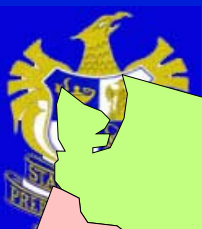
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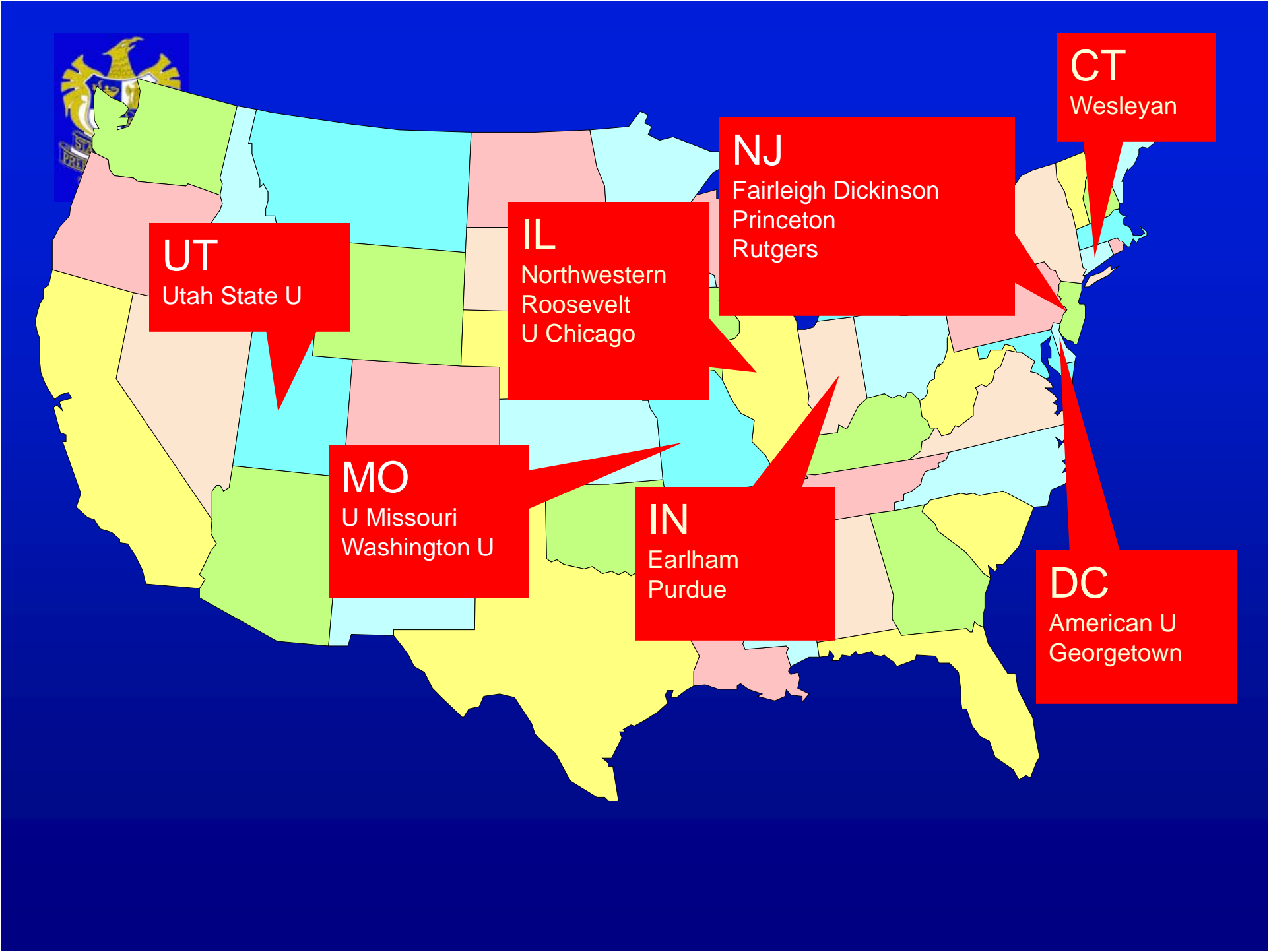


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Questions to Evaluate Yourself

The questions which follow can help you focus college selection and admission where it belongs, on you as an individual.

<http://cyberguidance.net/>



Holistic

- **relating to a whole:** including or involving all of something, especially all of somebody's physical, mental, and social conditions,



Renaissance Person

- person with wide-ranging intellect: a person who has a wide range of accomplishments and intellectual interests



Renaissance person – how to measure?

Academic Motivation

Intellectual Creativity

Academic Self-discipline

Critical Thinking

Open Mindedness

Concern for Others

Leadership

Self Confidence

Warmth of Personality

Sense of Humor

Energy

Personal Initiative

Reaction to Setbacks

Emotional Maturity

Respect Accorded by Faculty

Respect Accorded by Peers

Selflessness



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Essay Questions: State U's

- **University of Florida (for class of 2010)**
- In the space provided, please write a concise narrative in which you describe a meaningful event, experience or accomplishment in your life and how it will affect your college experience or your contribution to the UF campus community.
- You may want to reflect on your family, your school or community activities, or your involvement in areas outside of school.



Essay Questions: FSU

- Your essay should be no longer than 500 words.
- For almost one hundred years, the Latin words, “Vires, Artes, Mores” have been the guiding philosophy behind Florida State University. Vires signifies strength of all kinds – moral, physical, and intellectual; Artes alludes to the beauty of intellectual pursuits as exemplified in skill, craft, or art; and Mores refers to character, custom, or tradition. Describe how one or more of the values embodied in these concepts are reflected in your life.



Essay Questions: UCF

- Respond to two of the topics below. Your personal statement should be no longer than 250 words each or a total of 500 words for both statements.
- If there has been some obstacle or bump in the road in your academic or personal life, please explain the circumstances.
- How has your family history, culture, or environment influenced who you are?
- Why did you choose to apply to UCF?
- What qualities or unique characteristics do you possess that would allow you to contribute to the UCF community?



Common Application Essays

- Short Answer Please briefly elaborate on one of your extracurricular activities or work experiences in the space below or on an attached sheet (150 words or fewer).
- Personal Essay (250 words minimum). This personal essay helps us become acquainted with you as a person and student, apart from courses, grades, test scores, and other objective data. It will also demonstrate your ability to organize your thoughts and express yourself.
- Evaluate a significant experience, achievement, risk you have taken, or ethical dilemma you have faced and its impact on you.
- Discuss some issue of personal, local, national, or international concern and its importance to you.

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Common Application Essays

- Indicate a person who has had a significant influence on you, and describe that influence.
- Describe a character in fiction, a historical figure, or a creative work (as in art, music, science, etc.) that has had an influence on you, and explain that influence.
- A range of academic interests, personal perspectives, and life experiences adds much to the educational mix. Given your personal background, describe an experience that illustrates what you would bring to the diversity in a college community or an encounter that demonstrated the importance of diversity to you.
- Topic of your choice.

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Essay Questions: hints

- Don't talk about Aunt Sally's death. Talk about how Aunt Sally's death affected you.
- Don't talk about the action, talk about your reaction to it. This holds true for the class trip to France, the 3-day solo on Outward Bound, the death of a grandparent, the loss (or win) in the championship game.
- Tell a story only you could possibly tell.
- Have a stranger read your essay and write three adjectives that describe the person who wrote it; do they put curious, compassionate and eager or boring, stilted and full of themselves? Which one do you want to be known as?"
- Write about something personal that you can be passionate about.
- Read it out-loud to yourself.



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Activities

- Participation in activities throughout grades 9-12 is most important.
- What kind of activities are important?
- Quality participation in one or few activities
- Service to the community -volunteering
- Scouting, Habijax, design own project
Leadership and/or significant contributions
- President or officer in club or organization
- Captain/Co-/captain of athletic team



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- [Get Stanton Blue Devil apparel online!](#)
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National News Articles on Colleges and Scholarships

Click here for recent articles that have appeared in national news media concerning colleges and scholarships.

Grade level information

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Important Links

- Seniors (and Stanton graduates) - request your transcript
- State Universities of FL - Important Information
- Parent Portal for student grades
- Senior News
- Junior News
- Occupational Outlook Handbook
- Duval County Public Schools
- Duval County Scholarship Book
- CyberGuidance Office
- NCAA Athletic Clearinghouse
- Stanton Media Center
- www.facts.org
- Florida Bright Futures

Search

Search this site:

News Feed - click on orange symbol



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Senior Page

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Senior News

Be sure to check the Senior News page often. The link to the page that contains all of the posts is:
<http://www.stantoncollegeprep.org/central/?q=blog/2237>

If you have a personal web page, such as iGoogle, you can set up a news feed from this URL:
<http://www.stantoncollegeprep.org/central/?q=blog/2237/feed>

You can also bookmark the feed URL above on any browser.

Senior Activity Fees

Click here for complete information regarding senior fees.

Links that are important (read about these links on this page):

- [Request your transcript](#)
- [State University of Florida - Information sheets](#)
- [Common Application Website](#)
- [Submit your essay to your counselor](#)
- [Essay Help](#)
- [College Planning Questionnaire](#)
- [Activities and Experiences Sheet](#)
- [Student Information for Teacher Recommendation](#)

College Application Process

State of Florida Public Colleges and Universities - follow all of the guidelines and directions to apply that is either on these pages (will be updated for 2010 by mid-September, 2010) or go to the colleges' websites. When you request the transcript, the following occurs:

1. Stanton receives your request.
2. Stanton electronically sends your request to the Duval County transmission center.
3. Duval County sends your transcript electronically to the college.
4. The college "picks up" your transcript from their electronic mailbox.
5. The college must process this information and will post it on your status screen - **THIS COULD TAKE UP TO 3 - 4 WEEKS** from the date you request it, so please be patient if it doesn't show on your status screen immediately.

Common Application Colleges at www.commonapp.org - if you are applying to a college that uses the Common Application, the we require that you submit you application using the common application and the online submission process. This process works in this way:

1. You open an account at www.commonapp.org. Follow all directions carefully.
2. Complete all information thoughtfully, completely, and accurately.
3. You will be asked for your counselor's email address. Use **ONLY** the following:

Coming Up

Monday, October 4, 2010

- [Homecoming Court applications available](#)
- [Amherst College Visit](#)
- [Young Harris College Visit](#)
- [PTSA General Meeting](#)
- [College prep Workshop for JUNIORS and SENIORS](#)

Tuesday, October 5, 2010

- [Homecoming Court applications available](#)
- [A-Day](#)
- [Department Chair Meeting](#)
- [Guidance Department Meeting](#)
- [IB Pinning Ceremony](#)

News and Blogs

- [SeniorNews](#)
- [JuniorNews](#)
- [lewismct](#)
- [MorningNews](#)
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News and Posts from Blogs

- [Morning News - 10/4](#)
- [National College News - 10/2/10](#)
- [Senior News - Scholarship of the Day](#)
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 - do what's right for you
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Award Winning Service Activities

- Kristin created classroom lending libraries for an entire elementary school in her community. She publicized the book collection drive, set up collection boxes throughout the community, contacted publishers and suppliers for donations and sorted the books into appropriate categories. Ultimately, she presented the school with over 3,000 books for its classrooms and library.
- <http://cyberguidance.net>



Award Winning Service Activities

- Josh created a recycling center at his high school. The center raises money that will be used to provide a scholarship for a graduating senior, and it improves the environment for all Marfa residents. The school's National Honor Society will continue to run the center as a permanent project.



Award Winning Service Activities

- Carrie created a gardening project for children in her community.
- Emily created a community service club, called RACS (Random Acts of Community Service Club) at her high school.
- T. Joseph designed and initiated an art therapy program for the elderly.



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The College Application

- Transcript (Stanton web site)
- GPA (Stanton web site)
- Test Scores – sent by student



Transcript

- Official record of high school work
- Transcript is cumulative: 9th - 12th grade.
- Transcript starts in 9th grade - every course and grade counts!
- Is received every June with the report card



What is on the Transcript

- Biographical Information - check for accuracy.
- All courses and final averages
- Rank in class
- GPA



Grade Point Average

- Described on Stanton Web Site
- State, Unweighted GPA
- District, Weighted, Ranking GPA
- Re-calculated GPA
- Florida Bright Futures GPA



Application Types

- Florida University System
 - Available at the college website, i.e. www.unf.edu, www.ufl.edu, www.ucf.edu
- Common Application
 - www.commonapp.org



The State University System of Florida Admissions Statistics

Universities	FAMU	FIU	FSU	UCF	UF	UNF	USF
Total Enrollment Fall 2008	11,848	39,146	39,136	50,275	51,474	15,430	39,263
% of Applicants Accepted Summer/Fall 2009	S - 73% Fall - 61%	41%	S - 53% Fall - 46%	S - 51% Fall - 44%	41%	S-86% Fall - 54%	42%
Mid Range Accepted GPA Summer 2009	2.98	3.2 - 3.8	3.3 - 3.9	3.3 - 3.8	4.0 - 4.2	2.9 - 3.5	2.92 - 3.53
Middle Range GPA Accepted - Fall 2009	3.05	3.5 - 4.1	3.6 - 4.2	3.5 - 4.2	4.3 - 4.4	3.3 - 4.0	3.58 - 4.12
Middle Range SAT Accepted - Summer 2009	CR+M 1171	CR+M 990 - 1060	1100 - 1250 CR+M+W 1630-1850	CR+M 1060 - 1150	CR+M+W 1820 - 1950	CR+M 1030 - 1060	CR+M 1020 - 1160
Middle Range SAT Accepted Fall 2009 (Reading & Math)	CR+M 1350	CR+M 1100 - 1230	1170 - 1320 CR+M+W 1730-1960	CR+M 1150 - 1290	CR+M+W 1970 - 2090	CR+M 1140 - 1260	CR+M 1120 - 1280
Middle Range ACT Accepted - Summer 2009	18	21-23	23 - 28	22 - 25	27 - 30	20 - 22	22 - 25
Middle Range ACT Accepted - Fall 2009	19	23-27	26 - 29	25 - 28	30 - 32	22 - 25	24 - 29

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- Merit Scholarships
- Need Based Financial Aid



How To Choose a College That's Right For You

by Martha O'Connell

- **You can afford to go to college.**
- If you make the assumption that you cannot afford college based on the "sticker price" of tuition, you will miss out.
- if you investigate all the options and ask for help and advice, you will find affordable choices.
- Online resources, as well as financial aid workshops sponsored by high schools in local communities
- College and university financial aid Web sites offer useful information and links as well.



Meeting College Costs

Merit Scholarships

- Based on a talent or merit
- Essay Competitions
- United Auto Workers - “What organized labor means to me.”
- Fire Sprinkler Association - “How fire sprinklers affect my community.”



Meeting College Costs

World Wide Web Sites

- Florida Academic Counseling and Tracking for Students: www.facts.org
- Bob Turba's Cyber Guidance Office
<http://cyberguidance.net>
- Financial Aid Page <http://www.finaid.org>
- <http://www.fastweb.com>
- <http://www.collegeboard.org>



BRIGHT FUTURES SCHOLARSHIP Requirements

- **Florida Academic Scholar Award:**
- **1270 SAT, 28 ACT; 3.5 GPA; 75 hours of community service.**
- **Florida Medallion Scholar Award:**
- **970 SAT, 20 ACT; 3.0 GPA**
- **Online application available December 1**



BRIGHT FUTURES SCHOLARSHIP Award Levels

- **Florida Academic Scholar Award:**
- **\$126.00/credit hour**
- **Florida Medallion Scholar Award:**
- **\$95.00/credit hour**
- **Examples of costs per credit hour:**
- **UF \$145, FSU \$138, UNF \$134, UCF \$128, FCSJ - ~\$89.**
- **Most college courses are 3 credit hours; the average credits per year = 30.**

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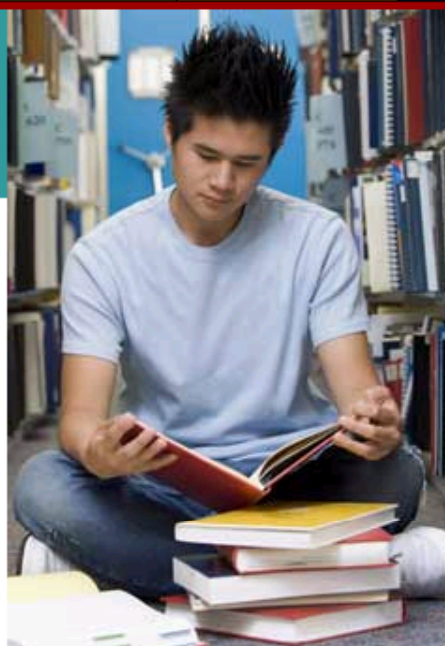
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Florida's educational opportunities and student advising at your fingertips!

■ FACTS.org is Florida's Academic Counseling and Tracking for Students. Sponsored by the Department of Education and the Florida Center for Advising & Academic Support, this free online advising website helps students plan and track their education progress from middle school through college.

■ The entire site was recently updated based on input from our users. But don't worry! All the information and tools are still here and are even easier to find. The main menu tabs across the top of the page guide users to specific information and tools designed especially for them.



News & Info:

[2008 Go Higher-Get Accepted Campaign final report](#) (PDF)

[2008-09 Counseling for Future Education Handbook now available](#) (PDF)

[Senate Bill 1908 Requires Yearly Review of ePEP](#) (PDF)

[8th grade student Allyssa Brown wins FACTS.org laptop contest!](#) (PDF)

[KnowHow2Go.org has new TV ads to encourage students to take rigorous courses, including Algebra, Foreign Languages, and Biology](#)

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In 1997, the Florida Legislature created the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program. This Florida Lottery-funded scholarship rewards students for their academic achievements during high school by providing funding for them to pursue postsecondary educational and career goals in Florida.

2009 High School Graduates [apply here](#) beginning December 1, 2008, and before graduation. Additional documentation is required for [Home Education](#), [GED](#), and [Out-of-State](#) applicants.

- [Check Your Status](#)
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Meeting College Costs

Need Based Financial Aid

- Most students and families receive need based financial aid
- Families complete FAFSA - Free Application for Federal Student Aid
- Do Not Send until after January 1 of 12th grade.
- Results are EFC - Expected Family Contribution



	COLLEGE A Private Moderate cost: Jacksonville University	COLLEGE B State U, In- State: UNF, UF, FSU, etc	COLLEGE C State U, Out-of- State: University of Virginia	COLLEGE D Private University of Miami	COLLEGE E Public - 2 year, Live at home: FCCJ	COLLEGE F Private - highest cost Ivies, MIT, Duke **
Tuition and Fees	\$23,900.00	\$3,790.00	\$29,790.00	\$34,834.00	\$2,226.00	\$37,630.00
Room and Board	\$7,400.00	\$7,200.00	\$7,709.00	\$10,254.00		\$10,180.00
Books and supplies	\$900.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,150.00	\$1,200.00	\$800.00	
Personal Expenses, miscellaneous, travel	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$3,662.00	\$3,590.00	\$2,940.00
Cost of Attendance (Sticker Price *)	\$35,200.00	\$14,990.00	\$41,649.00	\$49,950.00	\$6,616.00	\$50,750.00
Expected Family Contribution EFC (based on results of FAFSA) ***	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000
Need - amount needed to attend this college	\$29,200	\$8,990	\$35,649	\$43,950	\$616	\$44,750
Financial Aid Package:						
Grant (Gift Money)	\$21,950.00	\$5,424.00	\$28,399.00	\$36,700.00		\$37,500.00
Loan	\$5,250.00	\$2,566.00	\$5,250.00	\$5,250.00		\$5,250.00
Work Study	\$2,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00		\$2,000.00
Total Aid Package - if college meets 100% of need	\$29,200.00	\$8,990.00	\$35,649.00	\$43,950.00		\$44,750.00

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Estimated Undergraduate Basic Costs 2009-2010

*Estimated costs cover two semesters
(15 hours per semester)*

	Florida Residents	Non-Florida Residents
Tuition/Fees	\$ 4,566	\$ 19,011
On-Campus Housing	5,020	5,020
Food (Meal Plan)	3,710	3,710
Books/Supplies	1,000	1,000
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SUBTOTAL	\$ 14,296	\$ 28,741
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Health Insurance*	1,250	1,250
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TOTAL	\$ 15,546	\$ 29,991

** FSU has a mandatory health insurance policy for new students admitted to the university. Costs of meeting this requirement will be included in financial aid considerations. Students who currently have health insurance may show proof of comparable coverage and may not be required to purchase the university policy. Refer to www.tshc.fsu.edu/ for additional information.*

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How to Apply

How to Apply for Aid, Dependent vs. Independent, UFID, myUFL, Federal PINS, Florida PINS, Common FAFSA Mistakes, Cost of Attendance, Fee Calculations, Tracking Your Application, Important Addresses, What to Expect After Applying

Average Cost of Attendance (09-10)

	Undergrad On-Campus	Undergrad Off-Campus	Undergrad Living at Home	Grad Off-Campus	Undergrad (Summer 09, A+B) On-Campus
*Tuition/Fees	\$4,340	\$4,340	\$4,340	\$9,470	\$1,510
Books and Supplies	990	990	990	990	380
Computer Costs	1,040	1,040	1,040	1,040	370
Housing	4,860	5,530	—	5,530	1,390
Food	2,640	2,640	1,530	2,640	890
Transportation	540	540	540	540	160
Clothing Maintenance	650	650	650	650	220
Personal/Health Insur.	1,630	1,630	1,630	1,630	580
Total Budget	\$16,690	\$17,360	\$10,720	\$22,490	\$5,500

* Tuition/fee figures are projected estimates for 2009-10 for incoming freshmen and graduate students entering UF for the first time. Tuition/fees for continuing students may be lower. Out-of-state undergraduates should add \$19,370 to projected tuition/fees. Out-of-state graduate students should add \$17,390 to projected tuition/fees. Undergraduate tuition/fees listed are based on an average of 30 credit hours of 0-4999 level courses. Graduate tuition/fees are based on 24 credit hours of 5000-9999 level courses. Rates per credit hour and block fees include the student health fee.

Student budgets can only include costs of attendance for the individual student. Additional living allowances for married students or students with children are not included. A standard child care allowance, however, may be included -- depending on the ages of the student's children.

Following is a brief description of how these budgets are derived. Budgets are based on a two-semester academic year and vary according to academic classification and residency status:

1. Tuition/Fees

Fees for undergraduate students are based on an average of 30 credit hours of 0-4999 level courses. Graduate tuition fees are based on 24 class hours from 5000-9999. Graduate students in dentistry, medicine, and veterinary medicine pay block fees.

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UCF Current Tuition and Fee Schedule

[Click here to review current Tuition & Fees provided by the Office of Institutional Research](#)

Estimated Cost of Attendance for 2009-2010

Undergraduate Students

fall/spring based on 14 hours per term

Living Arrangement	Florida Residents		Non-Florida Residents	
	On/ Off Campus	Parent/ Relative	On/ Off Campus	Parent/ Relative
Tuition and Fees*	\$ 3,846	\$ 3,846	\$ 19,160	\$ 19,160
Books	924	924	924	924
Room & Board*	8,574	4,450	8,574	4,450
Transportation	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,800
Personal Exp.	<u>2,276</u>	<u>2,276</u>	<u>2,276</u>	<u>2,276</u>
Total Costs	\$ 17,420	\$ 13,296	\$ 32,734	\$ 28,610

Estimated Cost of Attendance for 2009-2010

Graduate Students

fall/spring based on 10 hours per term

Living Arrangement	Florida Residents		Non-Florida Residents	
	On/ Off Campus	Parent/ Relative	On/ Off Campus	Parent/ Relative
Tuition and Fees*	\$ 6,212	\$ 6,212	\$ 23,017	\$ 23,017
Books	924	924	924	924
Room & Board*	8,574	4,450	8,574	4,450
Transportation	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,800
Personal Exp.	<u>2,276</u>	<u>2,276</u>	<u>2,276</u>	<u>2,276</u>
Total Costs	\$ 19,786	\$ 15,662	\$ 36,591	\$ 32,467

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Tonight's Menu

- Finding the right college
- Who are you?
- The all-important college essay
- Activities
- Transcript
- Paying For College
- **To do**



11th Grade Activities

- PSAT in October, scores in December
- Study
- Activities
- ****SAT and ACT in spring****
- Counselors in Test Prep or TOK Class
- Junior Interview January - April



Looking Forward to 12th Grade

- Courses to take:
- Math: AP Calculus or AP Statistics
- Science: AP Biology, AP Chemistry, AP Physics, AP Environmental Science
- English: AP Literature
- AP Government/Economics

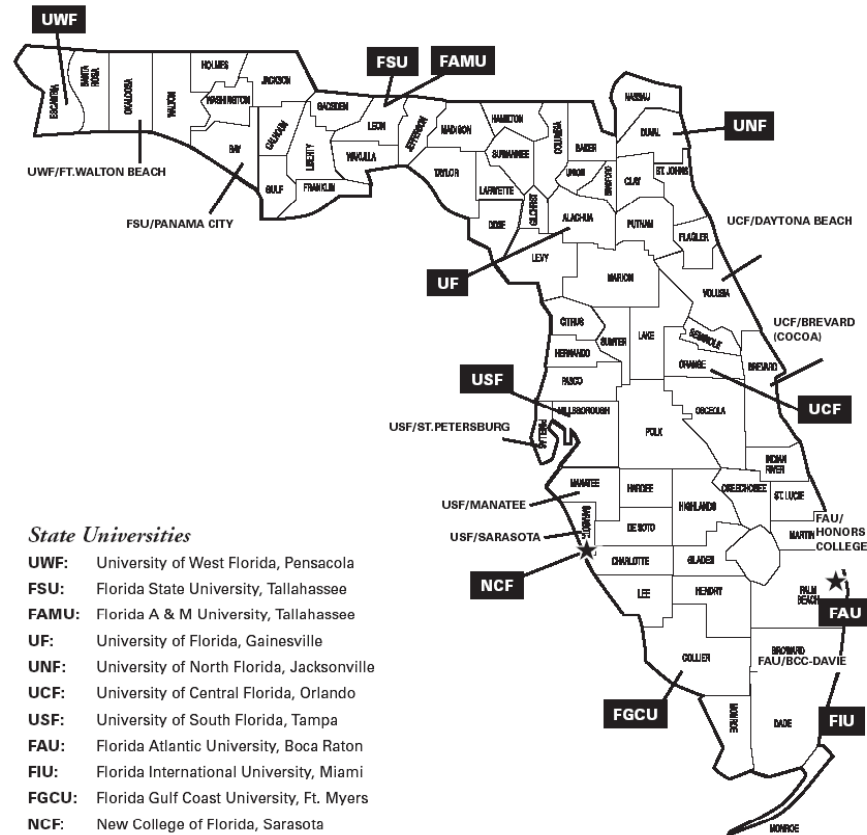


12th Grade Activities

- ****Take SAT and ACT****
- Prepare college applications - online is preferable. www.???.edu
- Apply for scholarships and financial aid
- Study – senior year grades are important
- Activities and community service
- Meet with your counselor.



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State Universities

- UWF:** University of West Florida, Pensacola
- FSU:** Florida State University, Tallahassee
- FAMU:** Florida A & M University, Tallahassee
- UF:** University of Florida, Gainesville
- UNF:** University of North Florida, Jacksonville
- UCF:** University of Central Florida, Orlando
- USF:** University of South Florida, Tampa
- FAU:** Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton
- FIU:** Florida International University, Miami
- FGCU:** Florida Gulf Coast University, Ft. Myers
- NCF:** New College of Florida, Sarasota

Campus Locations:

MAIN CAMPUS

BRANCH CAMPUS

★ Residential Honors College

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your student's future!



Stanton's Guidance Office

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