

College Recommendation Information Form

FULL NAME _____ **PREFER TO BE CALLED:** _____
Last First Middle

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

School Rank _____ **# of students in your class** _____

Have you taken the ACT within the last year? _____ **Have you taken the SAT?** _____

* Consider taking one or both tests in September or October to try to attain a higher score. Can be important for scholarships.

ARE YOU A FIRST GENERATION COLLEGE ATTENDEE (neither parent graduated from college)? _____
(FOR SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES ONLY)

If applicable,

College **FATHER** attended _____ **Degree** _____

College **MOTHER** attended _____ **Degree** _____

of Brothers _____ **# of Sisters** _____ **Your birth order** OLDEST MIDDLE YOUNGEST

List college(s) where siblings currently attend _____

How do you spend your FREE TIME/HOBBIES? _____

How did you spend YOUR LAST 3 SUMMERS? _____

STRONGEST subject area? _____ **LEAST STRONG** subject? _____

Possible COLLEGE MAJOR(S) you are interested in? _____

What interests you about it? _____

In what areas do you consider yourself a LEADER? _____

List and describe PERSONAL STRENGTHS _____

PERSONAL WEAKNESSES and how you COMPENSATE _____

3 ADJECTIVES that describe you and WHY? _____

ORGANIZATIONS w/ OFFICES HELD _____

Other CLUB MEMBERSHIPS _____

Most meaningful EXTRACURRICULAR or SERVICE ACTIVITY? Why? _____

What, if any, MUSICAL INSTRUMENT(s) do you play? _____

Level of ability _____

What, if any, are you talented in? ART DRAMA SINGING WRITING

What do you enjoy about it? _____

NAME _____

What, if any, **EVENT/EXPERIENCE** has been **CRUCIAL** in your life? _____

Explain any **CIRCUMSTANCES** that have **AFFECTED YOUR GRADES**. _____

What **PERSONAL** and/or **ACADEMIC ACCOMPLISHMENT(S)** are you **MOST PROUD OF**? _____

Describe a **QUALITY** that is **UNIQUE/SPECIAL ABOUT YOU**. _____

List and discuss your **WORK EXPERIENCE**. Which job was most meaningful to you and why?

COLLEGE CHOICES LIST

Possible Academic Subject areas of interest:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

DOUBLE REACH LIST (Colleges that have **HIGH** admissions qualifications such as GPA and very strong test scores and/or high cost or expectations.)

REACH LIST (Colleges may be more possible for your academic record and/or cost expectations.)

REALITY LIST (Colleges that are the **CLOSEST MATCH** to your academic records, GPA and test scores, and/or financial expectations.)

COUNSELOR Suggestions _____

Are you interested in

Small college
(under 5,000)

Medium
(5001-14,000)

Large
(over 14,001)

Compile & submit your **PORTFOLIO** using www.careercruising.com