College Questionnaire

members or grad students?

Questions to Consider Answers (or Your Impression) Academics Are the courses taught at small seminars or large lecture halls? What is an average course load? Is Tuition based on how many courses you take? (Depending on the institution, a full load is 12-18 credits per semester.) How broad is the variety of courses offered? Are there course requirements? Facilities and Support How up-to-date are the facilities? Visit the library and check the collection. How up-to-date are the resources? How plentiful are computers? Are there computers in the dorms? Financial Aid Are there special scholarships your teen can apply for? What kinds of work-study programs does the school offer? What kinds of part-time jobs are available on campus and in the community? **Faculty** Who teaches introductory courses – faculty

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Walk past faculty offices and notice the posted office hours. How available do the instructors seem to be?	
Student Body	
How diverse is the student body?	
Will your teen be exposed to a broad variety of people?	
What percentage of each year's entering class actually graduates from the school?	
Campus	
Most students live on campus? Do they?	
Are dorms coed or single sex?	
Is Greek life important?	
How are roommates assigned?	
Where do students eat?	
What type of recreation, cultural, and social opportunities are available?	
Is campus crime a problem? How effective is campus security?	