



College Exploration

Assessing criteria of a variety of colleges and universities can help you make the right decision about where and what to pursue after high school. There are so many things to consider that it's easy to get overwhelmed. School Sort is a great starting point for using *myStrategic Compass* for college exploration.

To get started, go to the Education tab then click School Sort. Complete the School Sort and answer the questions below.

1. What region or state did you search in?
2. What area(s) of study did you choose?
3. List two or three schools that were included in your results and note whether they are public or private schools.

Choose one of the schools from the list of results to investigate further. After clicking the name of the school, answer the following questions.

7. What is the name of the school?
8. How many total students attend this school yearly (Student Body)?
9. What is the in-state and out-of-state tuition per year?
10. What is the name, email address, and phone number for the admissions contact?

JOURNAL ENTRY: Please consider the research you just did. Why did you choose to study the school you selected? After considering the information you learned about the school, what are your thoughts about whether it's a good fit for you or not?