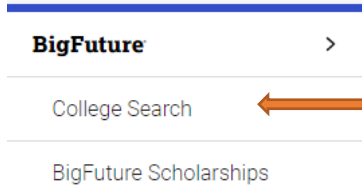



Big Future College Search Activity - Using Filters

1. Go to acalltocollege.org- Helpful Links- Big Future- Scroll to the center of the page and select College Search



2. Choose **Location**, **Major**, **Type**, or **Campus Life** to start exploring what colleges might be the right fit for you.



Select Location

Choose one of the options below to filter colleges by location.

Location


States and Territories (U.S.)

Distance from Zip Code (U.S.)

Outside the U.S.

Select →

Show Colleges



Select Type

Answer the questions that are important to you.

Type

College Level —

4-Year
Bachelor's degrees

2-Year
Associate degrees or certificates

College Type —

Don't limit yourself—both public and private colleges can be affordable with financial aid.

Public

Private

Special Mission —

Some colleges serve a specific population.

Historically Black colleges and universities (HBCUs)

Hispanic-serving institutions (HSIs)

Tribal colleges and universities (TCUs)

All-women


All-men

Religious Affiliation —

Some private colleges are connected to a religion. The connection may be historic, or it may affect day-to-day student life.

Select →

Show Colleges



Select Campus Life

Answer the questions that are important to you.

Campus Life

Size —

Small
Less than 2,000 students

Medium
2,000–15,000 students

Large
More than 15,000 students

Setting —

Urban
Located in cities

Suburban
In small cities, large towns or residential areas near cities

Rural
Often near farms or wilderness areas and a small town

Sports —

Activities —

Choral Groups

Concert Band


Dance

Campus Services —

Disability Support Services

Select →

Show Colleges



Select Major

Begin typing in the major you would like to study and select it from the dropdown. You may add more than one major at a time.

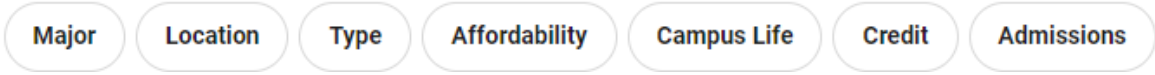
Major

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Select →

Continue

3. If there are too many results, continue to narrow down your options by using the additional fields at the top of your results page to help you hone in on schools that have the potential of being a good match for you.



4. Click on individual colleges to learn more about each one. List three colleges you want to learn more about and answer the following questions after reviewing the “Applying” tab:

a. _____

a. What factors are “very important” in their admission decisions?

b. What are the admissions process application requirements? Deadlines?

Will you apply here? YES When? _____ NO

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b. What are the admissions process application requirements? Deadlines?

Will you apply here? YES When? _____ NO

c. _____

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b. What are the admissions process application requirements? Deadlines?

Will you apply here? YES When? _____ NO