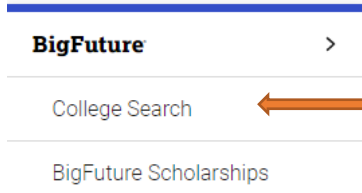



Big Future College Search Activity - Using Filters

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.


- States and Territories (U.S.)
- Distance from Zip Code (U.S.)
- Outside the U.S.

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.



Select  [Continue](#)



Select Type

Answer the questions that are important to you.

- 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.

- 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 

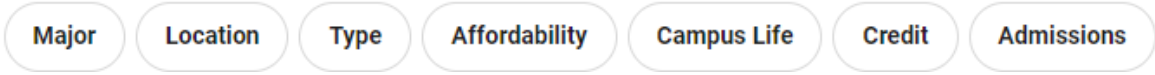
- Choral Groups
- Concert Band
- Dance

Campus Services 

Disability Support Services 

Select  [Show Colleges](#)

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. _____

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