

COLLEGE PLANNING RELIEF

The Student Solution

The CVS System

We developed the College Visit Scoring System to provide a way to measure how well every school you consider matches up to your and your student's expectations. Using our system and criteria ranking that is derived from the student's educational objectives, you'll have a method of evaluating schools that goes beyond visual impressions and prevents relying too heavily on recollection.

Industry-leading Career Matchmaker Assessment

This much-praised Career Matchmaker Interest Inventory is based on a methodology that is respected and admired everywhere it is used, because it's more powerful than any other interest assessment. Matchmaker doesn't just provide students with a ranked list of careers they should learn more about, it explains why. This depth gives students valuable insights they can use as a springboard to further career exploration and discovery, making the learning process a rewarding and enriching experience.

Detailed Scholarship Search Tools

Scholarships are an important aspect to college planning. Through our system, we provide the resources to search national and local scholarships all while saving the information for later completion. This powerful scholarship search feature will save all potential scholarships so the student can go back at a later time to complete the application and prioritize the application process.

Student College Portfolio Development

The Living Portfolio is always just a click away while students are navigating our personal inventories and occupational learning pages, making it easy to build and grow a valuable storehouse of knowledge, ideas and action plans. We call it a Living Portfolio because it grows and evolves with each student, transforming career exploration into pathways to success. It's more than a place to keep information—it's a place to nurture dreams.

Career Exploration

The career content is a deep reservoir of original material created by our tireless team of researchers, writers and multimedia developers. It is unmatched anywhere in quality and quantity. Everything is prepared with students in mind, offering them countless avenues for exploration. From comprehensive databases to career descriptions and profiles, we update all of our resources regularly to ensure freshness.

Step-by-Step College Admission Guides

These powerful resources for any student that just needs the basics when it comes to the college admission process. We put together an easy three step process for completing the college admission process. State with our college exploration step to our college financial aid step and finish with our complete college application process.

Financial Aid Guides

College financial aid can be confusing to understand and not all colleges are forthcoming with the best information. Our financial aid experts put together easy to use guides for navigating through the financial aid process. Whether you are looking for federal, state, institutional or private college funding options, we have it all together in one place for you.

Interactive College Maps for all Four-Year and Two-Year Colleges

This feature is a great way to search for colleges around any city using an interactive map. You will be able to zoom into any location around the United States and view scholarships that are located in close proximity. You will also be able to click on the specific college to instantly find the contact information and tuition information.

Complete Month-by-Month Detailed Plan for Every Year of High School

The college planning process can be confusing and hard to understand. We developed a complete step-by-step academic planning timeline for you to follow. This timeline will take you and your student through the complete process starting in their freshman year of high school all the way through them stepping foot on the college campus.

SAT & ACT Prep Program

This web-based course are organized into easy-to-digest 15-minute chunks. Why? Because we've found that most students are able to focus their attention best in short bursts. Anything longer and their ability to absorb new material begins to decline. Students who use Method Test Prep raise their SAT scores an average of 120 points and their ACT scores an average of 3 points. Even better, students who work through more of the learning checklist are able to raise their scores much higher.

"Ask the Academic Expert" Support

Know that you have a college academic expert on your side all the way through the process. If you have any questions about the college admission process or student financial aid, all you need to do is send your question to the academic expert. Understand that you have experts in your corner that provide honest accurate information.