

## College Planning Values Assessment

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**Name**

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Students have different reasons for going to college. Eleven reasons or values are found to be most important to students as they think about college. Knowing about your values is the important first step in identifying the colleges where you will fit in and be happy.

**To complete the assessment, read through the list of 11 values —A through K.**

**RANK each of them from #1 (the most important to you) to #11 (the least important to you) on the basis of your answer to the following question:**

<b><i>What do you want college to do for you?</i></b>
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Rank	I want a college. . .
<input type="text"/>	A. To provide me with a place to learn and study.
<input type="text"/>	B. To provide me with opportunities to interact with teachers in and outside of the classroom.
<input type="text"/>	C. To provide me with lots of fun experiences.
<input type="text"/>	D. To prepare me to make a lot of money.
<input type="text"/>	E. To provide me with recognition for accomplishments.
<input type="text"/>	F. To get politically involved and/or to use much of my college years to help those who are disadvantaged.
<input type="text"/>	G. To prepare me for a career.
<input type="text"/>	H. To enable me to be more independent.
<input type="text"/>	I. To provide opportunities for me to grow religiously or spiritually.
<input type="text"/>	J. To provide me with a variety of new experiences.
<input type="text"/>	K. To let me receive a degree from a prestigious school.

**When you are finished ranking them, go back and CIRCLE the THREE most important ones.**

*Each student will rank them differently; hence, there are no “right” answers. Whereas several, or even most, of these values may be significant for you in one way or another, the goal is to decide which three are the most important.*