



# STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE

## COLLEGE COUNSELING OFFICE

CLASS OF 2018

(Please write neatly or download the editable .pdf of this form and type your answers.)

### Personal and Family Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Prefer to be called: \_\_\_\_\_ (nickname)

Social Security # \_\_\_\_\_ Grade entered RPS \_\_\_\_\_ Y N

Place of birth \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ U.S. Citizen? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Permanent Resident? \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred email address (one you CHECK!): \_\_\_\_\_

Other high school attended: Name \_\_\_\_\_ Town \_\_\_\_\_ Dates \_\_\_\_\_

Where else have you lived? (give dates)

Parent's name 1 _____	Parent's name 2 _____
Occupation _____	Occupation _____
Employer _____	Employer _____
College(s) _____ Degrees _____ Dates _____	College(s) _____ Degrees _____ Dates _____
1. _____	
2. _____	

Do you live with: both? mother only? father only? other? (pls. describe):

Parents' marital status: married  separated  never married   
 divorced  Parent1 remarried Parent2 remarried

Please give name, grade & current school for each brother & sister. If they have graduated from college, please list their current occupation as well as the college they attended (continue on reverse if needed).

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

Do you plan to apply for financial aid?

What is your religious affiliation (if any)?

## Academic/Career Information

Current courses:	Projected senior courses (please do not include courses for which you have not been approved):
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Academic area(s)-- of greatest interest: \_\_\_\_\_ -- of greatest success: \_\_\_\_\_  
-- of greatest difficulty: \_\_\_\_\_

What college majors are you considering at this point (in order of likelihood): \_\_\_\_\_

What occupations are you considering at this point (in order of likelihood): \_\_\_\_\_

## College Preferences

Please check those attributes of a college you would consider.

### TYPE:

- Liberal arts college
- University
- College of technology

### SIZE:

- Extra Large (>20,000)
- Large (8-20,000)
- Medium (3-8,000)
- Moderate (1-3,000)
- Small (<1,000)

### LOCATION:

- NE & Mid-Atlantic
- Southeast
- Midwest
- West

### SETTING:

- Urban
- Suburban
- Small town
- Rural

### SOCIAL:

- Coed
- All male
- All female

### GREEK LIFE:

- W/fraternities & sororities
- W/o fraternities & sororities

Is it important to you that you attend a college with a certain proportion of students who share your religious or ethnic background?  Yes  No  Still thinking about this

What else is important to you as we consider a preliminary list of colleges?

If there are specific colleges you are considering, please name them. Please indicate if you have visited there.

## Questionnaire

PLEASE print neatly or use our downloadable .pdf file. IF YOU NEED MORE ROOM, ATTACH ADDITIONAL PAGES WITH NUMBERS INDICATING WHICH QUESTION YOU ARE ANSWERING.

The following questions are intended to help us get a better feel for you as an individual, in order to help us write a more effective recommendation. You should fill this form out thoughtfully and candidly, but you do not need to treat it as an English composition. Be yourself.

As a student, I feel my strengths are:

my weaknesses are:

My advisor at RPS is:

(IF YOU KNOW THAT YOUR HANDWRITING IS NOT THE BEST, please download and fill in the .PDF VERSION of this questionnaire, or type your answers on a separate piece of paper.)

1. Why do you want to go to college? (thoughtful answers, please ☺)
2. In what activity(ies) (extracurricular and/or community-based) are you particularly interested and talented?
3. What has been your favorite learning experience (in or out of school) in the past few years? Why?
4. Are there any new activities you hope to join senior year? Why?
5. What do you plan to do this coming summer (summer after junior year)?

6. What did you do last summer (summer before junior year) and how was that meaningful to you?
  
7. What do you consider your greatest strengths and weaknesses as a person (rather than as a student)?
  
8. What accomplishment are you proudest of?
  
9. What has been your greatest disappointment to date?
  
10. What are your favorite ways to use free time?
  
11. Please write a paragraph about a challenge or obstacle you have faced:
  
  
12. List some books you have read on your own in the past 12 months. Alternatively or additionally, please also list any magazines, newspapers, or websites you read on a regular basis.

13. What circumstances, if any, have interfered with your academic performance?

14. What part-time jobs have you held (paid and/or volunteer)? Do you work during the school year?

15. Which ways do you feel you learn most effectively?

I learn most effectively by:	lecture	reading textbooks	hands-on projects
	class discussion	small group interaction	

16. Please check on the following continuums (X) where you feel you would fall on the scale:

I prefer highly structured assignments with clear expectations	-----	I prefer informal, open-ended assignments.
Academically, I am highly self-motivated.-	-----	I don't consider myself that motivated.
	(Motivated by grades and/or parents)	
I'm very persistent when I run into difficulties academically.	-----	I give up fairly easily when I run into problems.
I work best in a group.	-----	I work best alone.
I'm confident & assertive in a new situation.	-----	I'm not very confident & assertive in a new situation.

**17. PERSONAL STATEMENT. (We will not be able to schedule your family meeting without this.)**

**Please write and ATTACH a short personal statement about your life up until this point (400-750 words). Please try to go beyond *what* you've done and focus on how the people and experiences of your life have influenced or shaped you.**

Extra credit; is there something we didn't ask that you'd like to tell us anyway?

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

Please use third column to include as much detail as possible.  
 Be sure to include, with each activity, the years you were involved, and information about notable accomplishments, honors, or awards within the context of the activity.

STUDENT GOVERNMENT	9	10	11	12	Leadership/Honor/Notes
Class Government					
Judiciary Board					
Student Council (list roles @ right)					
CLUBS/ACTIVITIES	9	10	11	12	Leadership/Honor/Notes
Academic Team					
American Red Cross					
Arabic Club					
Architecture Club					
Argo (Newspaper)					
Blood Drive					
Broadway Club					
Business Club					
Chemistry Club					
Clothing Design Club					
Community Service Board					
Computing Club					
Croquet Club					
Dance Club					
Debate Club					
DECA					
Drama (acting? tech? please annotate ->)					
English Club					
Environmental Club					
Excelsior (Lit. Magazine)					
French Club					
Future Business Leaders (FBLA)					
Gender Equality Movement					
Gender Sexuality Alliance (GSA)					
GO Club (Global Outreach)					
History Club					
Hockey Club					
Human Rights Club					
Japanese Club					
Key Club					
Latin Club					
Light the Candle					
Madrigals					
Math Club					
Mobile Apps Club					
Model Congress					
Model UN					

Music Expansion Project					
Orchestra and/or Jazz Band					(instrument?)
Partners in Health					
Photo Club					
Physics Club					
Piano Quintet					
Prepstock Performer (musicians)					
Prepstock Poet (slam poetry)					
Prom Committee					
Robotics Club					
RPawS (Animal Club)					
Science Olympiad (Physics? Chem?)					
Ski/Snowboard Club					
Spanish Club					
Spikeball Club					
Sports Debate Club					
STAR Club (Students Taking a Role)					
Tai Chi Club					
Tea Club					
Tend To a Friend					
Ultimate Frisbee					
Ye Dial (Yearbook)					
(Something missing? Add it here!) ↓					

<b>SPORTS</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>Level (JV, V)/Position(s)/Achievement</b>
Baseball					
Basketball					
Cross Country					
Golf					
Lacrosse					
Soccer					
Softball					
Swimming					
Tennis					
Volleyball					
Wrestling					

<b>AWARDS/HONORS</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>Leadership/Honor/Achievement</b>

COMMUNITY SERVICE	9	10	11	12	Leadership/Honor/Achievement
COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES	9	10	11	12	Leadership/Honor/Achievement
EMPLOYMENT	9	10	11	12	DATES, HOURS PER WEEK