

# College and Career Readiness Websites

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**Your one stop shop to learn about yourself and find your right fit college. Career Interests, strengths, intelligence and learning styles. College, Scholarship, and Enrichment Search, resume builder and goal setter, course planner and more**

College Search/Information	Website Link
Colleges that Change Lives (CTCL) o CTCL is an advocate for quality liberal arts education	<a href="#">CTCL</a>
Big Future o Big Future has a college search and scholarship search tool to help with the college admissions process and more	<a href="#">Big Future</a>
College Navigator o College Navigator is an interactive website that allows you to explore and compare features of different institutions	<a href="#">College Navigator</a>
Minnesota Office of Higher Education o From preparing to choosing and financing your education, this state website can be useful	<a href="#">MN Higher Education</a>
College Confidential o A large college forum. Hear from students, deans and get help on test prep, Financial Aid, Admissions, Essays, Majors and more	<a href="#">College Confidential</a>
College Raptor o Smart choices on where students are accepted and rankings	<a href="#">College Raptor</a>
College Niche o This site has a criteria-based college search feature, college “grades” by current students and actual current student reviews	<a href="#">College Niche</a>
Linkedin for Students	<a href="#">linkedin-for-students</a>
National Association for College Admission Counseling – Students & Parents	<a href="#">NACAC</a>
College Scorecard	<a href="#">College Scorecard</a>
College Majors	<a href="#">College Majors</a>
Campus Security	<a href="#">Campus Security</a>
Colleges by Research Universities, Regional Universities, and Colleges	<a href="#">Type of Colleges</a>

Application Websites	Website Link
Common Application o Use one application for over 600 colleges along with planning and exploring tools	<a href="#">Common App</a>
Coalition for Access, Affordability and Success Colleges o Members of the Coalition include a diverse group of public universities. The website offers a Locker, a Collaboration Space and an Application Portal	<a href="#">Coalition for College</a>

Colleges/Options with Special Focus	Website Link
Historically Black Colleges	<a href="#">Historically Black Colleges</a>
Honors Programs by State	<a href="#">Honors Colleges</a>
Military Colleges	<a href="#">Military Colleges</a>
Gap Year	<a href="#">American Gap Year</a>
3-2 Engineering Programs	<a href="#">3-2 Programs</a>
Great Lists with focus on areas of study and specialty programs	<a href="#">Lot of College Lists</a>

<b>College Visits</b>	<b>Website Link</b>
Campus Tours, Campus 3D	<a href="#">Campus Tours, 3D Tours</a>
College Fly in Programs	<a href="#">College Fly In</a>
You Visit	<a href="#">You Visit</a>
You UniversityTV	<a href="#">YouUniversityTV</a>

<b>College Data - Retention Rates, Graduation Rates, Salary Potential, Average Student Debt</b>	<b>Website Link</b>
College Data	<a href="#">College Data</a>
Beyond College Rankings	<a href="#">Beyond College Rankings</a>
Salaries after College	<a href="#">Payscale</a>
Education to Career: Salary Calculator	<a href="#">Salary Calculator</a>
College Results: College Graduation Rates	<a href="#">College Results</a>
College Graduation Rates by Race/Gender: Create lists by state and more	<a href="#">Graduation Rates</a>
Salary Surfer	<a href="#">Salary Surfer</a>
College Reality Check: Compare colleges, net price, grad rate, debt, and earnings	<a href="#">College Reality</a>
College Transitions: Great Lists and Data and Research	<a href="#">College Transitions</a>
Admission Ratings	<a href="#">Admission Rates</a>

<b>Minnesota Schools</b>	<b>Website Link</b>
Minnesota Private Colleges	<a href="#">MN Private</a>
University of Minnesota System	<a href="#">Univ MN</a>
Minnesota State University System	<a href="#">MN State</a>
Minnesota Office of Higher Education	<a href="#">MN Higher Ed</a>
Big 10 Schools	<a href="#">Big 10</a>

<b>College Entrance Exam &amp; Preparation Options</b>	<b>Website Link</b>
ACT	<a href="#">ACT</a>
ACT & SAT Prep/Free from Kaplan, click on promo code on right-hand side	<a href="#">Test Prep through Kaplan</a>
SAT	<a href="#">SAT</a>
SAT Prep through Khan Academy	<a href="#">SAT Prep</a>
ACT/SAT Comparison	<a href="#">ACT vs SAT</a>
Test Optional Schools	<a href="#">Fair Test</a>
Colleges that Superscore	<a href="#">College Superscore</a>
Colleges that Require the ACT or SAT Essay	<a href="#">ACT/SAT Essay</a>
Everything About College Admissions Tests	<a href="#">Guide To Admission Tests</a>

<b>Military</b>	<b>Website Link</b>
Military Options and Academies	<a href="#">US Gov</a>
Today's Military	<a href="#">Today's Military</a>
ASVAB	<a href="#">ASVAB</a>

<b>Careers</b>	<b>Website Link</b>
O-Net Online	<a href="#">ONet</a>
Careerwise (formerly Iseek)	<a href="#">ISeek</a>
Bureau of Labor Statistics	<a href="#">Labor Stats</a>
Job Outlook	<a href="#">Job Outlook</a>

<b>Credits</b>	<b>Website Link</b>
AP Credit Policy at Colleges	<a href="#">AP Student</a>
Transferology	<a href="#">Transferology</a>

○ Shows how courses you have taken or plan to take transfer to another college or university for credit – it's free!	
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<b>Financial Aid &amp; Scholarship Searches</b>	<b>Website Link</b>
Finaid	<a href="#">Finaid</a>
Fastweb	<a href="#">Fast Web</a>
Expected Family Contribution Calculator	<a href="#">EFC</a>
sNet Price Calculators: A must to determine real price of a potential college. Google college name + NetPrice Calculator or try these website	<a href="#">College Abacus</a> <a href="#">Net Price Calculators</a>
CSS Profile	<a href="#">CSS Profile</a>
FAFSA	<a href="#">FAFSA</a>
Federal Student Aid	<a href="#">Student Aid</a>
Selective Services for males completing Financial Aid	<a href="#">Male Financial Aid</a>
<a href="#">Minnesota Dream Act</a> Undocumented students can apply for state financial aid	<a href="#">Dream Act</a>
College Affordability and Transparency Center	<a href="#">College Afford</a>
Pell Abacus: low-income students get net price comparisons of colleges	<a href="#">Pell Abacus</a>
Cappex: Find merit scholarships for schools	<a href="#">Cappex</a>
Scholly: Find scholarships	<a href="#">Scholly</a>

<b>Reduced/Out of State Tuition Options</b>	<b>Website Link</b>
Reciprocity (Wisconsin, North & South Dakota)	<a href="#">Reciprocity</a>
Midwest Student Exchange ○ Students from IL, IN, KS, MI, MN, MS, NE, ND, WI may be eligible for tuition reductions through the <a href="#">Midwest Student Exchange Program</a>	<a href="#">Midwest Exchange</a>

<b>Support Services Websites</b>	<b>Website Link</b>
Students with Learning Disabilities ( <i>Click Keys to a Successful College Transition</i> )	<a href="#">College Connectors</a>
Association on Higher Education and Disability	<a href="#">Ahead</a>
Student Engagement	<a href="#">Student Engagement</a>
Campus Pride/Transgender policies	<a href="#">Campus Pride</a>
Multicultural/First Generation Fly In Programs	<a href="#">Diversity Visit Programs</a>
First Generation support with College	<a href="#">First Generation Support</a>
First Generation support with College Mentor	<a href="#">Strive for College</a>

<b>Athletes</b>	<b>Website Link</b>
NCAA Athletic Eligibility	<a href="#">NCAA</a>
NCAA Clearinghouse	<a href="#">NCAA Clearinghouse</a>
Captain U	<a href="#">Captain U</a>
Scholarship Stats	<a href="#">Scholarship Stats</a>

<b>Essay Help</b>	<b>Website Link</b>
Admitsee	<a href="#">Admitsee</a>
Essay Hell	<a href="#">Essay Hell</a>
College Essay Guy	<a href="#">Essay Guy</a>

<b>Academic Tutoring Services</b>	<b>Website Link</b>
Homeworks/Strategyworks for Students	<a href="#">Homeworks/Stragetyworks</a>
Khan Academy	<a href="#">Khan Academy</a>
K-12 Services	<a href="#">K-12 learning solutions</a>

<b>Volunteering/Leadership/Summer Enrichment</b>	<b>Website Link</b>
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Teen Life – summer programs, gap year programs and more	<a href="#">Teen Life</a>
Volunteering	<a href="#">Volunteer Match</a>