RESEARCH NOTES ORGANIZER

Once you have selected the college/university you will use the **Research Notes Organizer** below to guide your research.

School #1: _____

Guiding Questions	Notes
College/University Overview: What is the name of the college/university you chose?	
Where is this college/university located?	
Was there a specific purpose for the founding of this college/university? Is it private, public, or was it previously a boarding school?	
What are the school's colors and mascot?	
Admission Requirements: What are the admission requirements for first-year students? List all requirements. What are the admission deadlines?	
Cost of Attendance: How much does it cost to attend this school?	

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Guiding Questions	Notes
Academic Programs: What program(s) that are offered interest you? Are there prerequisites for these programs?	
Is the college/university known for a specific program?	
Residential Life: What are the housing requirements for an incoming first-year student?	
What are my dining options?	
Extracurricular Activities/ Special Interest Organizations: Do they offer sports? Does one stand out to you the most?	
Is there a club or organization that stood out the most to you?	
This can include degree clubs, marching bands, fraternities and sororities, student governing organizations, service groups, social clubs, special interest clubs, or religious groups.	
Daily Life: What is the climate like there?	
Is this more rural, urban, or suburban?	
What is the transportation like in this area?	
Does the state where the university is located align with my personal beliefs?	



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School #2: _____

Guiding Questions	Notes
College/University Overview: What is the name of the college/university you chose?	
Where is this college/university located?	
Was there a specific purpose for the founding of this college/university? Is it private, public, or was it previously a boarding school?	
Admission Requirements: What are the admission requirements for first-year students? List all requirements. What are the admission deadlines?	
Cost of Attendance: How much does it cost to attend this school?	

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Guiding Questions	Notes
Academic Programs: What program(s) that are offered interest you? Are there prerequisites for these programs?	
Is the college/university known for a specific program?	
Residential Life: What are the housing requirements for an incoming first-year student?	
What are my dining options?	
Extracurricular Activities/ Special Interest Organizations: Do they offer sports? Does one stand out to you the most?	
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