

Check Out These Websites!

College/Career Search Websites – all of these let you search for colleges based on many different criteria

- www.collegeboard.com – SAT information, online test prep, college search, scholarships, estimate amount of aid that might be received using financial aid calculator
- www.educatorsconnection.com – college search, paying for college, SAT/ACT info, scholarship info
- www.virginiamentor.com – online test prep, paying for college, college search, find careers
- www.vacareerview.vt.edu – career search, college search, career survey, paying for college
- www.bls.gov/oco - career search, training and education required, job earnings, expected job prospects, career descriptions, working conditions
- www.cappex.com – college search, scholarships, estimate chances of being accepted to colleges
- www.nextstepmagazine.com – college search, career search, timelines, informational articles
- www.schev.edu – college search, financial aid, grant programs
- www.ecmcfoundation.org/thecollegeplace - college/career options, financial aid, free publications, career assessments
- www.mappingyourfuture.org – explore careers, prepare for college, pay for college, financial aid info
- www.petersons.com – college search, articles, admissions offices contact information, test prep, pay for college
- www.careersandcolleges.com – college search, career search, scholarships
- www.collegeview.com – college search, financial aid, campus life, careers and majors
- www.students.gov – college planning, career planning, campus life, online study help, military service
- www.cappex.com – college search, admissions chances, scholarship search
- www.undergradzone.com – test prep, admissions process, paying for college, college life (very helpful description of SAT and ACT)

Scholarship Websites – most legitimate scholarship websites are free; you should NOT have to pay for scholarship information

- www.collegeboard.com
- www.fastweb.com
- www.scholarships.com
- www.ftc.gov/scholarshipcams - Warning against scholarship scams
- www.TuitionFundingSources.com – private program run by Pepsi-Cola available free to certain schools and RHS is a member
- www.brokescholar.com
- www.collegeanswer.com – SallieMae loans website

SAT/ACT Information

- www.collegeboard.com – SAT
- www.act.org – ACT

Financial Aid

- www.fafsa.ed.gov – complete your FAFSA application
- www.studentaid.ed.gov – federal student aid programs, applying for college, applying for financial aid, repaying student loans
- www.ecmc.org/fav - financial awareness basics
- www.pin.ed.gov – register to get your pin number which allows you to apply for financial aid, track your application, etc.
- www.finaid.org - scholarships, loans, savings, military aid
- www.salliemae.com – private company, loans, paying for college, financial services
- www.staffordloan.com – private company, loans, paying for college, financial services

Athletics

- <https://web1.ncaa.org/eligibilitycenter/common/> – register with the NCAA Clearinghouse if your plan to play sports in college (talk with your coach first)

Miscellaneous

- www.collegenightinva.org – review college night presentations
- www.usnews.com/sections.rankings – college rankings (there is a fee)

