

BETHESDA SOCCER CLUB

Twenty Questions to Ask Your School Counselor

- 1. What courses do I need to take to be ready for college?
- 2. How should I plan my schedule so I'll complete them?
- 3. Which elective courses do you recommend?
- 4. Which AP® courses should I consider taking?
- 5. When is the PSAT/NMSQT® going to be given?
- 6. How should I study for the SAT®, and is it given at this high school or do I need to go somewhere nearby?
- 7. Do you have any college planning sessions scheduled?
- 8. Do you have college handbooks or other guides that I can browse or borrow?
- 9. What activities can I do at home and over the summer to get ready for college?
- 10. What kinds of grades do different colleges require?
- 11. Are there any college fairs at this school, or nearby?
- 12. What colleges do other kids from our school go to?
- 13. What are the requirements or standards for the honor society?
- 14. Can you put me in touch with recent grads who are going to the colleges on my wish list?
- 15. Do you have any information to help me start exploring careers?
- 16. If my colleges need a recommendation from you, how can I help you know me better, so it can be more personal?
- 17. Are there any special scholarships or awards that I should know about now, so I can work toward them?
- 18. Can I see my transcript as it stands now, to see if everything is as I think it should be?
- 19. What forms do I use to apply for financial aid and where I can find them online?
- 20. How does our school compare to others, in terms of test scores and reputation?