



R.E.C. “Best Fit” College Search Package

(includes a minimum of three face-to-face student-counselor meetings and @ 20 counselor hours)

The goal of the R.E.C. “Best Fit” College Search Package is to determine a list of *Best Fit* colleges for your student—places where your child can discover a joy of learning, develop engaging interests and activities, embrace new challenges, connect with peers, feel at home, thrive as an individual, and ultimately succeed at college and eventually in the professional world.

The R.E.C. Best Fit College Search Package begins with a full student evaluation:

- ❖ Up to three face to face personal consultations;
- ❖ Review of extensive student and parent questionnaires;
- ❖ Review of grades, classes and transcripts;
- ❖ A Myers-Briggs Type Indicator® personality assessment including the *MBTI*® College Edition Interpretive Report;
- ❖ Access to a personalized College Planner Pro® portal (with 3000+ college profiles) which facilitates students' research and exploration of schools while also providing a location to compile and store their own college notes and observations;
- ❖ Evaluation of test scores and recommendations for future test prep (if applicable);
- ❖ Discussion of financial parameters;
- ❖ Advice on getting the most out of your college visits with the *R.E.C. College Touring Guide*;
- ❖ On-going phone and email dialogue as needed.

At the conclusion of the evaluation and research process:

- ❖ A detailed compilation of suggested *Best Fit* colleges for your consideration will be presented including the reason for each college’s inclusion and outstanding college features as they pertain to your student. Colleges in the “safety”, “target” and “reach” categories will be included as well as the potential for merit aid (scholarships) if applicable.
- ❖ As the student visits colleges and provides feedback, I continue to work with the student to modify (if necessary) and finalize a balanced application list of *Best Fit* safety, target and reach schools.

NOTE: This option is recommended for families whose primary concern is identifying possible college options and who do NOT need assistance with longer-term college application management. For assistance throughout the college application process, please see the REC Comprehensive College Counseling Package.