

Overview

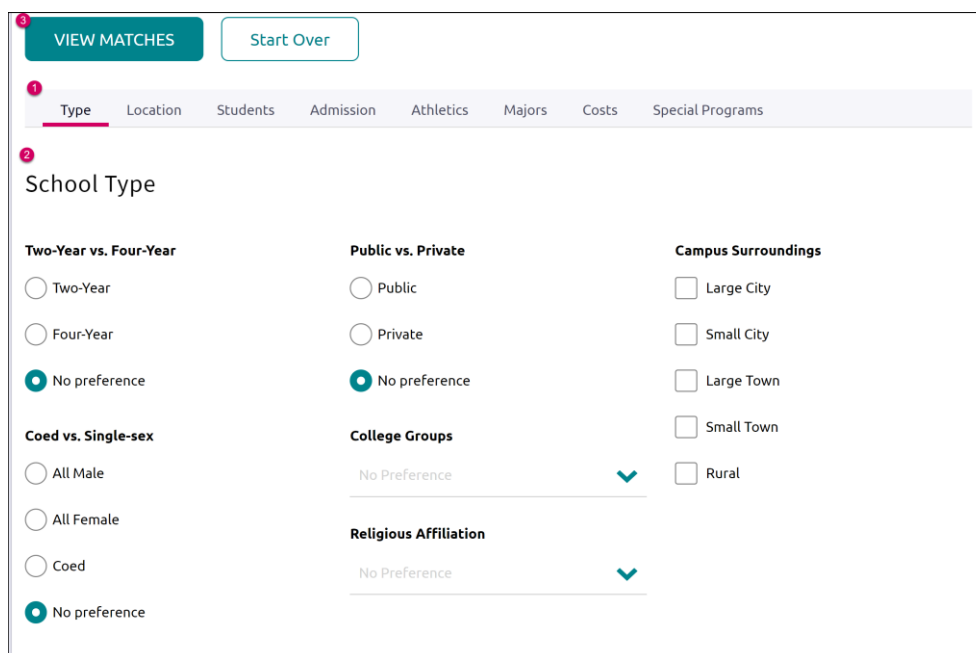
Naviance Student can help make the process of finding the right college just a little easier. Using Naviance Student's Find your Fit search tools, you can locate the schools that most fit with your interests, passions, and criteria. Once you've narrowed down a group of colleges, multiple tools are available to understand more about that school in general and as a prospect. This document is meant to help you understand how to search for, favorite, and research colleges of interest. Naviance Student provides two features to store college information:

- **Colleges I'm Thinking About:** This is a list of schools that you have *favorited* and identified as prospective schools of interest.
- **Colleges I'm Applying To:** This is a list of schools to which you have decided to apply. This can be populated from College's I'm Thinking About or directly from searches.

Advanced College Search

Using multiple categories, answer questions to identify colleges that match your interests.

1. Click on a **category**, i.e.; Location or Majors.
2. Answer category-related **questions** and identify your preferences for a school.
3. Click **View Matches**.
A list of schools that match your criteria displays.
4. Click the **checkbox(es)** next to the school(s) depending on what action you want to take next.
5. From here, you can choose to use **Compare Me**, **Add to Colleges I'm Thinking About** (Favorite), **Send an Email** to the school, view a **Scattergram** for the school, or visit the **school's website**.
6. From our results list, click **Save Search** to save this search criteria.
7. Next time you return, use the **Saved Searches** drop-down to find your saved search.



The screenshot shows the 'VIEW MATCHES' interface with a 'Start Over' button. A navigation bar includes 'Type', 'Location', 'Students', 'Admission', 'Athletics', 'Majors', 'Costs', and 'Special Programs'. The 'Type' filter is active, leading to the 'School Type' section. This section contains several filter categories:

- Two-Year vs. Four-Year:** Radio buttons for 'Two-Year', 'Four-Year', and 'No preference' (selected).
- Public vs. Private:** Radio buttons for 'Public', 'Private', and 'No preference' (selected).
- Campus Surroundings:** Checkboxes for 'Large City', 'Small City', 'Large Town', 'Small Town', and 'Rural'.
- Coed vs. Single-sex:** Radio buttons for 'All Male', 'All Female', 'Coed', and 'No preference' (selected).
- College Groups:** A dropdown menu currently set to 'No Preference'.
- Religious Affiliation:** A dropdown menu currently set to 'No Preference'.

College Lookup

Lookup and favorite school(s) by multiple filters including name, country, state, or college group. Easily favorite using the heart symbol next to the college.

74 matches

1 selected Compare Me Add to Colleges I'm Thinking Ab... + = extended profile available

College	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<small>+ Amherst College</small>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<small>+ Anna Maria College</small>
<input type="checkbox"/>	College of the Atlantic

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COLLEGE
Lookup

Lookup by:

- Quicklist
- Keyword
- Country
- State
- College Group
- College Name (A-Z)
- Quicklist

available = colleges applied to

You searched by Quicklist

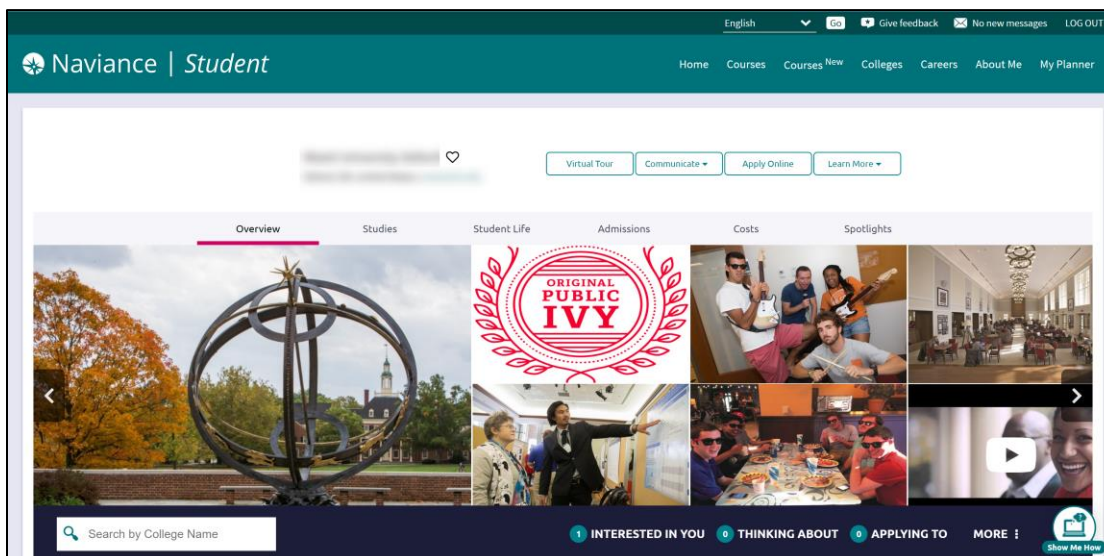
Actions: Favorite

<input type="checkbox"/>	College	Location
<input type="checkbox"/>	<small>+ American University</small>	Washington, DC
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <small>+ Amherst College</small>	Amherst, MA
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Auburn University	Auburn, AL
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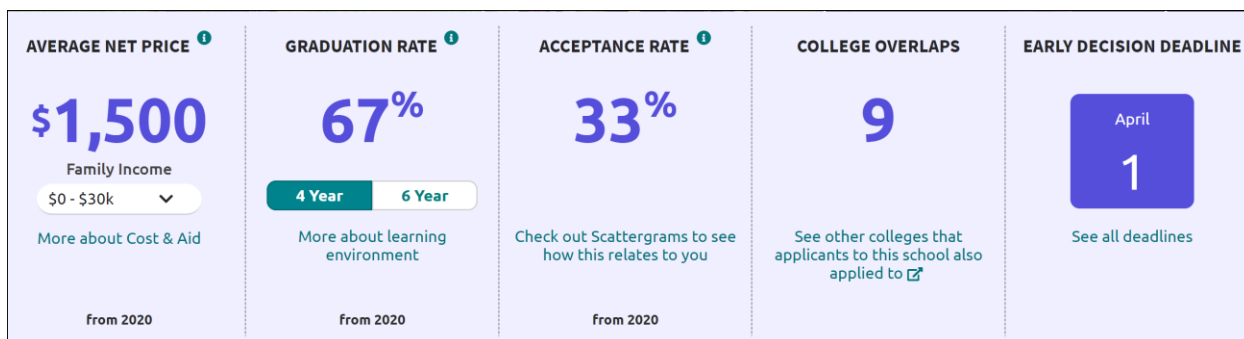
College Profile Pages

When a search is completed, the schools that are a part of the results can be researched further by accessing the college's profile. From a search result, click the college of interest to open its college profile.

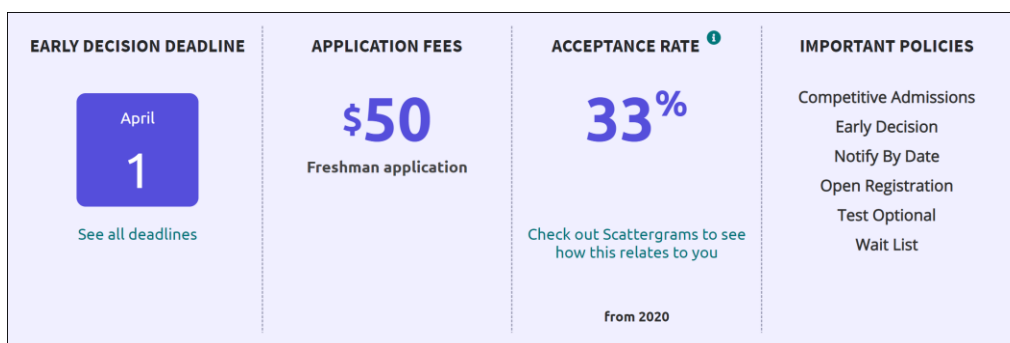
1. Click the **heart icon** to favorite the school and add it to your list of Colleges I'm Thinking About.
2. Use the **tabs** (Overview, Studies, Student Life, Admissions, etc.) to learn more about these areas.
3. **Check out a Virtual Tour, Communicate, Apply Online, or Learn More** using the provided buttons on the page.
4. Located at the bottom of the page, use the buttons to **navigate** to those areas specified in Naviance Student (Colleges I'm Thinking About, Applying To, etc.).



The **Overview** tab provides general information about the school, including the information seen below.



You can find **Scattergrams** and other admission information on the **Admissions** tab.



College Research

You have found some schools you are interested in and now you are ready to learn even more. From the **Colleges Home** tab, under **Research Colleges**, you can find multiple tools for researching schools and your likelihood of admittance.

- College Compare
- College Resources
- Acceptance History
- Enrichment Programs
- College Maps
- College Visits

College Compare

Add schools to compare the average GPA and test scores of students from your high school that have been accepted to that college over a span of time.

1. Click **Add Colleges to Compare**.
2. Use the **College Lookup** to find schools.
3. Click the **checkbox** (es) next to the schools to which you'd like to see a comparison.
4. Click **Save Selection** from the upper-right corner.
5. Click **Finished Searching**.

The schools are added to your Compare list. A green check means your numbers are higher and a red x means they are lower than average for those who have been admitted to this school.

College	GPA	Single SAT 1600	Single SAT 2400	Combined SAT 1600	Combined SAT 2400	PSAT to SAT 1600	ACT	IB	Acceptance
	3.5	1400	0	1400	0	1100	0	0	-
American Univ	3.48 ✓	1267 ✓	1879 ✗	1142 ✓	1882 ✗	1267 ✗	26 ✗	20 ✗	281/526