

Parent College Visit Evaluation Form

(St. Mary's College of Maryland has provided this college evaluation form to enable prospective students to keep a record of all their college/university visits. Keeping a record that includes information and thoughts gathered from visits will enable you to better determine what you are looking for in a college/university and to help narrow your list of top-choice institutions for which to apply.)

Name of College/University _____

Website _____ Admissions Phone _____

Director of Admissions _____

Financial Aid Director _____

Counselor Assigned to your file _____ Email _____

Sent Application on _____

Online Application ____ Yes ____ No

College Visit Agenda

Day _____ date, ___/___/___ Weather _____ (Sunny, Cold, etc.) Rural __ Suburban __ Urban __

First Impression of the College (What were your thoughts as you drove onto the campus?)

Time of Admissions Interview: ____ Name of Counselor _____ Email _____

The question to ask: "Why should I come to (name of institution)?"

Impression of Interview (Do they care? Were your questions answered? Etc.)

Time of Professor Meeting: ____ Name of Professor _____ Email _____

The question to ask: "What do you think of your students?"

Impression of Interview (Do they care? Were your questions answered? Etc.)

Time of Tour: ____ Name of Tour Guide _____ Email _____

The question(s) to ask: "What is the best thing?" & "What is the worst thing?"

Impression of the Tour Guide and Campus tour (Did they represent the school well?)

Extracurricular Appointment (Athletic Coach, Dramatic Arts, Music, SGA, etc.)

Activity: _____

Name _____ Phone _____ Email _____

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Activity: _____

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Your ratings:

How would you rate the attractiveness of the campus? (10 being the highest)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Comments:

How would you rate the technology available to students on campus?

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Comments:

How would you rate the sports and recreational activities and facilities available on campus?

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Comments:

How would you rate the quality of the academic and residential buildings?

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Comments:

How would you rate the quality of food and/or food service facilities?

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Comments:

Overall rating of the College/University _____

End of day impression (Is it different than your first impression? If so, why?)

Cost: Tuition & Fees - \$ _____ Room & Board - \$ _____

Cost/value (Is the education a good value? What do you get for your money?)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Financial Aid

What types of financial aid are available? (Circle all that apply)

Scholarships Grants Work-study Part-time employment Student loans Parent loans

Will the financial aid package cover the entire cost of the education? Y _____ N _____

Is there a separate financial aid form required? Y _____ N _____

What date is the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) due? _____

Campus Safety

Did you get a sense that the campus is safe? Y _____ N _____

Are commissioned officers on-duty at all times? Y _____ N _____

Are safety phones readily available and easy to find? Y _____ N _____

Comments: