

Useful Web Sites and Publications for your College Application Process

College Search

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/>

<https://nces.ed.gov/collegenavigator/>

<https://www.collegegreenlight.com/>

www.petersons.com

www.collegeraptor.com

www.unigo.com

These web sites are similar. They are free and allow you to search for colleges based on the criteria you define.

College Applications

www.cuny.edu

This is the web site for applying to City University of New York (CUNY) colleges.

www.suny.edu

This is the web site for applying to State University of New York (SUNY) colleges.

www.commonapp.org

Many (but not all) private colleges and universities accept the Common Application, which allows you to fill out only one application and have it sent out to multiple colleges. Before you do the Common Application, you should confirm that your colleges use this application. If a college does not use the Common app, you may need to apply through their website.

College Resource Hubs

www.coalitionforcollegeaccess.org

www.nyccollegeline.org

Tests

www.fairtest.org

Fairtest connects you with lots of information about standardized tests, including a list of colleges that do not require them in the admissions process.

www.collegeboard.com

This website allows you to register for SAT, AP tests.

<https://www.khanacademy.org/>

www.number2.com

These sites provide free online SAT and/or ACT test prep.

Career Information

www.nycareerzone.org

This web site allows visitors to research careers in a variety of fields, from arts and humanities to health services to business. You can select a specific job and read more about the day-to-day tasks, education required, average salary, and more.

Books

- *Colleges That Change Lives: 40 Schools that will change the way you think about colleges*
- *Colleges that Create Futures: 50 colleges that launch careers by going beyond the classroom*
- *The College Majors Handbook with Real Career Paths and Payoffs*
- *The College Woman's Handbook: Educating Ourselves*
- *Fiske Guide to Colleges*
- *Rugg's Recommendations on the Colleges*