

Past Trips

Overnight Trips

- ◆ Consider Maryland Tour
 - ◆ Goddard Space Center
 - ◆ U.S. Naval Academy
 - ◆ and more
- ◆ West Virginia Colleges Tour
 - ◆ Allegany College
 - ◆ West Virginia University
 - ◆ and more
- ◆ Ohio/Pennsylvania Tour
 - ◆ Ball State University
 - ◆ Lincoln University
 - ◆ and more


Day Trips

- ◆ Bowie State University
- ◆ Coppin State University
- ◆ Frostburg State University
- ◆ Morgan State University
- ◆ St. Mary
- ◆ Stevenson University
- ◆ Towson University
- ◆ University of Maryland College Park
- ◆ University of Maryland Eastern Shore

What does a trip cost?

Day trips: FREE. Some require students to bring money for lunch.

Overnight trips: Average per student = \$50 (Includes transportation, meals, snacks, lodging, admission to campus or cultural events, and other activities.)



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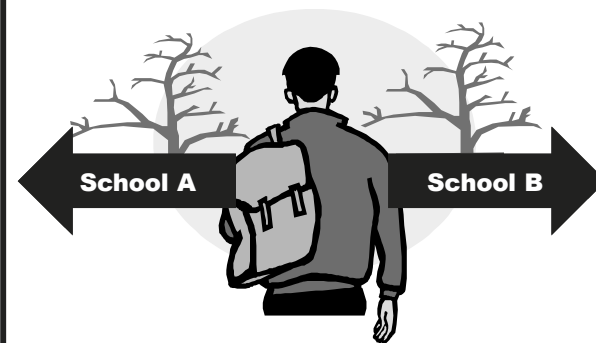
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Why Visit a College?

- ⇒ Go beyond the college brochure
- ⇒ Get a taste of campus life
- ⇒ Clarify what is important to you
 - ◆ Historically black or traditional school?
 - ◆ Small or large student body?
 - ◆ Urban or rural?
 - ◆ Co-ed or same gender?
 - ◆ Liberal arts, performing arts, or technical?
 - ◆ Dorms? Dining?
 - ◆ Social activities?

Potential Activities

- ⇒ Go on a campus tour
- ⇒ Talk to an admissions representative
- ⇒ Meet and talk with current college students
- ⇒ Attend a basketball game, step show, or band performance
- ⇒ Use the athletic and recreational facilities
- ⇒ See local cultural attractions

Points to Consider

Academics

- ◆ Freshman to Sophomore retention
- ◆ Do graduates instruct undergrads?
- ◆ Research/publishing happening in departments of interest
- ◆ Opportunities to assist in research
- ◆ Libraries

Extra-Curricular Activities

- ◆ Sports
- ◆ Cultural and political organizations
- ◆ Social or Greek organizations
- ◆ Theater and/or music

Support Services

- ◆ Career Advising? Assistance with job placement?
- ◆ Counseling services
- ◆ Academic support (tutoring)
- ◆ Support services for minorities
- ◆ Companies or agencies that recruit on campus
- ◆ Percentage of applicants admitted to graduate or professional schools

Financial Aid

- ◆ Percentage of students who receive aid
- ◆ Percentage of students who work
- ◆ Merit based awards and requirements
- ◆ Need based awards and requirements

dorm life, especially sharing the bathroom.

-Nicole Harris, Virginia Corridor Tour

-on-one conversations let me know first hand what the school is about.

-Dondrell Weaver, New York City Tour



difference between private and public, and big and small colleges.

-Kinyarnta Johnson, Ohio Bound Tour