Hello student!

Thank you for taking the time to fill out this questionnaire. Your input provides important content and perspective for our college counseling team, specifically when we are writing the Counselor Recommendation for college applications and scholarship opportunities. We have also asked your parents to fill out a companion questionnaire, so they have their own homework this time!

Student Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Counselor: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please share five words that describe you.

What has been your favorite class? Does this class relate to what you might want to study in college? Why was it such a meaningful experience?

How have you changed as a person and as a student over the last four years? Please share experiences, events or milestones as examples.

What is the biggest challenge you've faced as a high schooler? How did it affect you, what did you do, and how did you change as a result?

Describe something important that you've learned outside of the classroom during your high school years. This could be through involvement in a club, athletics, work, community service, etc.

Have you demonstrated leadership at school or in your community? If yes, describe.

What are you proudest of?

Do you feel your academic performance is reflective of your abilities? If not, why?

Is there anything on your transcript that you feel needs clarification? If so, explain.

Tell me about the changes in your life since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Are there any particular family circumstances or stressors that you would like your counselor to know about?

What three things do you want college admissions officers to know about you? Give examples or specific anecdotes to explain, if not already covered above.

Other than those you’ve asked to write a recommendation letter on your behalf, what teachers, staff, coaches, etc. know you well?