**(Part 4)**

Day 6 & 7

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COLLEGE DAY!

It is time to start thinking about what college to attend. Ideally you want to know what type of career field you are going into before choosing a college. Not all schools offer all programs, so you don’t want to waste money. If you are uncertain of your career path, then it would be wise to choose a college with the most offerings in your interest areas. Remember: College is a tremendous INVESTMENT!

Step 1) Use the MCIS website, your books, or the schools’ websites to learn more about them. In the MCIS website you can use “School Sort” under the “Education” tab if you don’t have any idea where to start.

Step 2) Answer the questions below and fill out the chart on the back of this sheet.

QUESTIONS

1) What is your biggest struggle in choosing a college?

2) List 2 goals you are working towards before the Fall of 2017.

Goal 1:

Goal 2:

SCHOOL EVALUATION GRID

Directions: Complete the grid by researching 5 schools you are possibly interested in.

Step 1: List the schools on the top of the grid.

Step 2: Brainstorm 7 important factors that you must consider before choosing the school of your choice. List those factors on the left side of the grid. (Examples may be: location, private, enrollment numbers, etc)

Step 3: Color the box green if it’s a match. Color the box red if it’s not a match. The more green you have for a school the better it fits you.

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| **Important Factors** | School Choice 1: | School Choice 2: | School Choice 3: | School Choice 4: | School Choice 5: |
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What are your top 3 school choices?

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B:

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