

## Some Possible Questions from Interviewers

### Your thoughts about college

1. Why are you interested in this college? What makes you think this college and you are a good match?
2. What other schools do you think you will apply to?
3. What do you think you will major in and why?
4. How would you like to see yourself grow over the next four years?
5. What would you add to this college?

### Your academic background

1. Tell me about your high school.
2. What kind of student are you? Are your grades and SAT scores an accurate picture of who you are?
3. What courses are you taking? Which classes have you enjoyed the most? The least?
4. What has been the highlight of your high school experience?
5. Who is your favorite teacher? Why?
6. Are there any circumstances or events that have interfered with your academic performance?

### How you spend your time

1. What do you do with your time when you are not in class? What kinds of extra-curricular activities are you involved with? What are your hobbies and special interests?
2. What events or activities have made you feel involved?
3. Do you have a passion?
4. What have you done with your summers?
5. Have you done any volunteering?
6. Have you ever worked for pay?
7. What do you do for fun?

## Personal stuff about you

1. Tell me about yourself. (Have 3 things ready)
2. What are your personal strengths and weaknesses?
3. Tell me about your family.
4. Who are your friends?
5. Do you have a hero, heroine? Who and why?
6. If given the opportunity to do something in your life differently, what would it be and what would you do?
7. Who are your two favorite authors? What are some of your favorite books? Why?

## The world and current events

Be prepared to talk about what is happening in the world. You can do that by reading newspapers and magazines, or even taking a daily look at an Internet site such as [cnn.com](http://cnn.com)

1. What newspapers and magazines do you read regularly?
2. What do you think about:
  - The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan
  - Terrorism
  - The Middle East situation
  - Global warming
  - Drug and alcohol use
  - Tests such as the SAT, ACT?
  - The Presidential race
3. If you could meet anyone, present or past, who would that be? What would you like to talk with him or her about?
4. What political or social issues do you think college people should be interested in? What issues or topics concern you?

## Your goals and future plans

1. What are your plans after college?
2. What do you expect to be doing 10 years from now?
3. What are your goals in life?

## Miscellaneous

1. Is there anything else you would like us to know or discuss?