**College Research Assignment**

Advanced English 2

**Objective:** To take an active role in preparing for college.

**Assignment:** With a group, you are going to research one of the colleges that you are interested in attending. Use at least two CREDIBLE sources from the internet to research the following information about your assigned university, and create a Google Slides Presentation to share with the class. You must turn in a **hard copy of a Works Consulted** in addition to pasting it in your last frame of the presentation.

**Information to include:**

**General Information:**

* College Name and location (possibly include map)
* College Mascot
* Admission Requirements
* Typical incoming freshman statistics: SAT/ACT scores, GPA, Community Service, Athletics, etc.
* College costs including: tuition, room and board, fees and expenses
* Student Population (numbers and ethnicity)
* Student to teacher ratio
* Financial Aid and scholarships available
* Academic Life (Popular programs, majors, class sizes, etc.)
* % of Freshmen who lives on campus

**Student Life and Activities:**

* Clubs, organizations
* Athletics
* Greek Life (sororities and fraternities)
* Residence Hall/dorms
* Students per room in residence halls
* Facilities, libraries, gym, dining halls, meal plans, etc.

Individual Slides: After the information listed above, each group member needs to create a slide with his or her name on it which should include the following:

* What major you would pursue at this university (Undeclared is acceptable) and minor if applicable
* Two things that most attract you to this university

Presentation Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Total Points: 95 points (75 for presentation and 20 for participation)

**Project Checklist:**

\_\_\_\_\_ Do you address the information that is required for the assignment?

\_\_\_\_\_ Do you include pictures and images to make the presentation appealing to the audience?

\_\_\_\_\_Do you start with an Introduction Slide with your names and the name of the university?

\_\_\_\_\_ Do you include your Works Consulted on the last slide?

\_\_\_\_\_ Do you have a typed copy of your Works Consulted to turn in on the due date?

\_\_\_\_\_ Have you planned your presentation? Does each group member know what slides he or she is responsible for presenting?

\_\_\_\_\_ Have each of you created your individual slide?

\_\_\_\_\_ Do you have note cards to assist you during your presentation?

Schedule:

**DUE Tuesday, February 6:** “Fab” Five List

**Block, February 7 or 8:** Group Research

**Block, February 14 or 15:** Group Research + Create Slides

**Block, February 21 or 22:** Group Research + Create Slides

**Block, February 28 or March 1:** Finishing touches + Prepare Presentation

**Block, March 7 or 8:**  Presentations

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