

# SCOIR

The College Counseling Office introduced SCOIR, a new online college counseling platform, to students and parents beginning with the class of 2022. SCOIR is a dynamic and visual college search, selection, and application tool for students, parents, and college counselors. Each stakeholder in the college process will have their own individual accounts in SCOIR, as there are features in the program that are uniquely tailored to the student and parent roles in the college process. Students and parents will receive an email that invites them to initiate their SCOIR account, giving them access to this powerful and fun resource. Students and parents can log on to SCOIR at [www.scoir.com](http://www.scoir.com).

## SCOIR Student

The student page consists of three areas related to the college search: My Profile, College Search, and My Colleges.

### My Profile

After you have logged into SCOIR, you will arrive at the My Profile page. This is where you will find all of the personal information linked to you. In addition to academic stats, standardized test scores, and parent information found in the My Profile section, SCOIR gives students the ability to upload web links, social media posts (that are college relevant), and important documents (transcripts, resumes, a graded assignment that you might need for a college application) into a "My Drive" portal. Students can also share activities they are involved in and achievements they are proud of in this section.

**College Search** SCOIR's college search engine empowers students to find colleges that best meet their individual needs and preferences. Students can search for schools using the drop-down menus. There are more than 10 choices for search criteria: Name, Personal Interests & Activities, Academic, Undergraduate Degrees, Location, Number of Undergrads, Acceptance Rate, School Type, Campus Setting, ROTC Programs, and Application Type.

### My Colleges

Once a list of colleges is created, students will choose to "Follow" a school so that it remains on their prospective college list. Students can save and/or share the schools they're following with other stakeholders (parents or counselors) in the college process. SCOIR provides comprehensive information and analysis about each college on a college list. The in-depth information is found in three areas: **Overview** includes many of the nuts-and-bolts (Academic, Admission, Student Life) information about a school; **the Wall** is a visual representation of the school through photos, social media posts, and school web-sites; and **Analysis** is where students can compare their academic background to students who have previously applied.

## **SCOIR Parent**

Parents are an integral part of the college search process. SCOIR provides each parent with their own login information to access SCOIR's interactive college search tools. Parents can assist their student in discovering schools that may be of interest to them by suggesting schools to Follow; students decide whether or not to "Accept" this suggestion.

SCOIR also provides a comprehensive Net Price Calculator (NPC) to assist families in seeing the cost of attendance at each school a student is Following. The parent page consists of three areas: College, College Search, and Profile.

### **College**

Here you will find the Net Price Calculator tool. The more detailed financial information a family can provide, the more accurate the information about the cost of attendance at each school. Families only need to fill out the NPC once; the information is stored and applied to each school in the student's Following, Applying, and Applied lists.

### **College Search**

Parents will have full access to college search criteria. Parents can complete their own college search, independent of their student. If a student has saved their last college search, parents will have the ability to see the schools on this list.

### **Profile**

This is where you will find all of the personal, academic, and extra-curricular activities your student has listed in their SCOIR account. Parents can also view any documents that their student has uploaded into My Drive.