

Sample Interview Questions

- 1) What is the most important thing you have learned in high school?
- 2) What do you expect to be doing ten years from now?
- 3) How do you define "success?"
- 4) What have you liked or disliked about your school? What would you change?
- 5) How would you describe yourself to someone who did not know you?
- 6) What are your strengths? Weaknesses?
- 7) What has been your proudest achievement so far?
- 8) If you could talk with any one living (or deceased) person, whom would it be and why?
- 9) What events have been crucial in your life?
- 10) What do you want to get out of your college experience?
- 11) Why _____ college?
- 12) What about you is unique?
- 13) What could you contribute to our college community?
- 14) Are your grades an accurate reflection of your potential?
- 15) What's your opinion on (fill in current event)?
- 16) What's the most difficult situation you have faced?
- 17) How did you spend last summer?
- 18) What have you learned from participation in extracurricular activities?
- 19) Who is your role model and why?
- 20) What questions do you have for me?

I strongly encourage you to practice! Remember that these questions are just meant to get you started. Make sure that you remember that they are also looking at whether you made eye contact, did you fidget, how was your posture, did you smile, etc.

Resources:

www.moneywatch.bnet.com

www.collegeboard.com