

University-Bound Student Questionnaire

Please answer these questions to the best of your ability prior to our first meeting. Please also email, fax, or mail in copies of your high school transcripts and comments, testing reports (PSAT, SAT, ACT, TOEFL, etc.), and any other information that you think would be helpful, at least a day or two in advance, to our office address. Thanks!

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Current School: *

Bina Bangsa School Semarang

Expected Graduation Year: *

10th Grade Graduation: June 2022, 12th Grade Graduation: June 2024

Names, Ages, and College attending of Brothers and Sisters:

Mario Steven Wijaya, 19 this August 2022, Kaplan Singapore

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SMA Karangturi Semarang, 1991

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Graduate School, if any, and Year Graduated:

Are there any universities you are already interested in? *

Yes

Are there any academic areas, Majors, or Concentrations, in which you are particularly interested right now? *

Actuarial Science/Statistics/Computer Science + Math combine

Academic Background

What classes are you taking in school, and what are your approximate grades? *

My classes right now are still general, 80%-89% in report cards

What is your estimate of your school grades and class rank, if your school provides them? *

Secondary 3 (9th Grade) - Rank 3

If you have taken any of these standardized tests, please list all your scores (and dates taken):

PSAT:

SAT:

SAT Subject Tests:

ACT:

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AP:

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TOEFL:

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IELTS:

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Other:

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Middle School / Secondary School / SMP Grades:

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Academic and non-academic honors and recognition (and dates awarded):
are school projects counted?

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In which academic area (math, science, history, English, Spanish, etc.) do you do best? Is this subject the easiest for you? Why do you think you do well in this subject? (Answer can be more than one)

Mathematics, because since i was little, i really loved math, i find it fun and i like challenges

Which academic subject do you enjoy the most? Why do you enjoy it? *

Math, they always have questions that are challenging and always challenge my brain so like when there is a problem solving and then I solve it, its just makes me happy

Which academic subject do you enjoy the least? Why don't you enjoy it? *

it's English, because i don't like reading books, ever since i am primary, i never admire the idea of reading a book, and learning english is just, i don't enjoy it. right now also ever since 9th grade, my english teacher had changed, and she is strict in giving marks so english is also a hard subject for me too because i am struggling with the igcse because it is also first language.

Personal Interests and Extracurricular Activities

What are your most important hobbies (including unusual hobbies) and activities? *

Ice Skating, Graphic Design, and Guitar

Extracurricular activities starting Grade 9 / Year 10 both in and outside of school. Please indicate how long you have been involved in them, awards or special recognition, leadership positions, and their relative importance to you.

1. School clubs and other non-sport activities:

Young Journalist Club (Year 10)
Student Council Internship (Year 10)

2. School and non-school sports:

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3. Volunteer and community services:

Church (Grade 9-10)

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4. Work and internship experiences:

None, no experiences.

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5. Summer activities starting with Grade 9 / Year 10 (camps, school or college programs, etc.):

Are any of these activities particularly important for you in your college planning? Would you like to pursue one or more of them at a higher level? Which ones? *

No, probably Student Council (so like in year 10 (now), we join through internship and then Year 11 (July 2022), I am going to do another round of interview if I get in to Student Council)

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What's something that you're really good at that no one else knows about? *

I am good and creative in terms of designing (more specifically, digital, not manual)

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University Goals and Interests

What kind of college or university do you see yourself in? Given what you know about yourself and your current goals and priorities, please provide some idea of the kind of college experience you envision. It's OK if you're not sure what you want yet – that's part of the college admissions process! If you don't know, or don't care too much at this stage, feel free to say so.

Where would you like to go to college? What countries (or cities) are you interested in? *

University of California, Berkeley or University of Pennsylvania. Only America, as for now.

List the five most important things you are looking for in a college (in order of preference): *

- Majors that they have
- Urban campus (suburban is ok, but a no in rural)
- Student Activities
- Many friends (in a class, many students)
- Has a snow weather (if none, it's fine too)

What kind of college setting do you prefer? Please circle those that interest you and cross out those you want to avoid *

- ☒ MAJOR CITY (URBAN)
- ☐ SUBURBAN & CITY OUTSKIRTS
- ☐ COLLEGE TOWN
- ☐ RURAL
- ☐ SMALL TOWN

What size are you looking for in a student body? Please circle all that interest you. *

- ☐ 1,000 or LESS
- ☐ 1,000 – 2,000
- ☐ 2,000 – 5,000
- ☐ 5,000 – 10,000
- ☒ 10,000 – 20,000
- ☐ Over 20,000

University Goals and Interests

Schools with enrollments of 5,000 and below are much more likely to offer small classes taught by involved, accessible professors, a real sense of community, attention to you as a person, and better access to activities. Smaller colleges also often have better records for getting their undergraduates into graduate schools. The downside of attending a small college is a smaller number and variety of courses and activities that are offered. Students who seek personal connection and involvement are likely to feel more at home at a small college.

Schools with over 10,000 students are more likely to offer an abundance of undergraduate classes and majors. At large colleges, there are more activities and organizations in which to get involved. Some of the downsides include many classes with 200 – 1,000 students, limited access to certain courses, activities, and Varsity sports teams. Often the focus of a large university is more on research and graduate students than undergraduates. Students who like to be anonymous in a setting, who are self-starters and can take care of themselves without much support are likely to feel at home at a larger campus.

What kind of college or university would you like to attend? Please check the box next to each of the categories in which you are interested. *

- ☐ Small, Private Liberal Arts Colleges
- ☒ Ivy League Colleges
- ☒ Moderate to Large Private Universities
- ☒ Regional Public Universities
- ☐ Science and Engineering Colleges and Universities
- ☐ Specialized Art, Music, and Architecture Schools
- ☐ Single Sex Colleges (i.e. women only)

Which school characteristics are important to you? *

- ☒ Excellence in major:
- ☐ National academic reputation
- ☐ Vast number of majors and classes ☐ Classes by professors vs teaching
- ☐ Very competitive, challenging academic climate
- ☒ Cooperative, non-pressured academic climate
- ☒ Good study abroad program
- ☒ Outstanding record for getting undergraduates into graduate schools
- ☐ Small classes
- ☒ Availability of discussion vs. lecture
- ☐ Classes by professors vs teaching
- ☒ Abundant internship opportunities
- ☒ Availability of co-op programs
- ☒ Opportunities for undergraduate

What kind of people do you want in the student body of the school you attend? Please check the boxes next to each category of people that you want to be around with and cross out any that you want to avoid. *

- ☒ Ethnically diverse
- ☐ Many international students
- ☒ Career-oriented
- ☐ Techie/science oriented
- ☒ Free spirited, unconventional
- ☒ Community service oriented
- ☐ Liberal students
- ☐ Politically active
- ☒ Very social
- ☒ Outdoorsy
- ☒ Lovers of ideas and good discussion
- ☐ Combination of all of the above

Campus environment and facilities: please check the boxes next to each category of people that you want to be around with and cross out any that you want to avoid. *

- ☐ Very safe environment
- ☒ Beautiful, well-kept campus
- ☐ Fast-paced lifestyle
- ☒ Moderately-paced lifestyle
- ☐ Quiet, peaceful lifestyle
- ☒ Good public transportation
- ☒ Most students live on campus
- ☒ Variety of good, healthy eating places
- ☐ Availability of nearby town
- ☒ Spacious, well-maintained housing

Is there anything else that you want in a college or university not covered by the above?

Is there anything else that you want to avoid that is not covered by the above?

Have you ruled out any colleges? Which ones and why?

I dislike universities that are located in like nature, forest, like their environment requires a long walks through a whole large park (even if they are said to be in a urban or suburban). (Like NYU, it is a university that I like)

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