

# Your middle school visit checklist

Print out this sheet and take it with you on your school visit.

School name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Hours \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ School size \_\_\_\_\_

## The school has:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Before care                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Library                     | <input type="checkbox"/> School newspaper             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> After care                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Computer lab                | <input type="checkbox"/> Art/Dance                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation              | <input type="checkbox"/> Second language classes     | <input type="checkbox"/> Clean & well-kept facilities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hot lunch                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Special education services  | <input type="checkbox"/> Safe & secure campus         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cafeteria                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Gifted services             | <input type="checkbox"/> Safe neighborhood            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gymnasium                   | <input type="checkbox"/> School work posted on walls | <input type="checkbox"/> Anti-bullying program        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Playing field/outdoor space | <input type="checkbox"/> High school counseling      | <input type="checkbox"/> Wheelchair accessibility     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Garden                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Honor's track program       | <input type="checkbox"/> PTO/PTA                      |

| Important questions to ask                       | Notes |
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| Are classrooms welcoming & well-organized?       |       |
| Are teachers actively engaging students?         |       |
| Do students look interested in their work?       |       |
| How does the school track students academically? |       |
| Are there electives & clubs my child would like? |       |
| Does the school offer the sports my child wants? |       |

## Additional comments & questions

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