

USEFUL WEBSITES

International

www.braintrack.com

This website links to the home website of every major university in the world. If you need to locate a specific university's website, this is the place to start.

United States

<http://www.princetonreview.com/college/>

Personalizes the college search. You tell the database who you are, how you're doing in school, what's important to you in a college, what you would like to study, how much you can pay, etc, and the engine will generate several suggested colleges. Drawback? It's not completely unbiased. There may be some great selections for you that do not appear in their database.

<http://www.bls.gov/search/ooh.asp?ct=OOH>

This website contains tens of thousands of careers found in the United States. It provides a thorough description of many aspects of each career and indicates the various educational paths that would qualify a student to practice that career.

<http://apps.collegeboard.com/myroad/navigator.jsp?t=351&i=homepage>

This website requires a log-in. All students will receive their log-in when they get their results from the PSAT/NMSQT. This site contains a personality assessment that is linked to several tools for exploring career options. Allows for personalization according to each student's goals, experiences and test scores.

http://www.advisorteam.com/temperament_sorter/register.asp?partid=1

This website has a free temperament assessment test that can help students match their temperament to specific job types.

<http://www.actstudent.org/planning/>

This website run by the people at the American College Test provides more tips, tricks and advice than you could possibly read in a lifetime. Lots of good information that is organized in a user-friendly way.

www.fafsa.ed.gov

This is the website for applying for federal financial aid in the United States. It will only help you if you are an American citizen or a permanent resident of the United States. Unfortunately, federal aid is not available for foreign students studying in the United States on student visas. However, all American citizens should certainly (must normally) complete the FAFSA before enrolling in university.

United Kingdom

www.ucas.com

If you plan to attend school in Great Britain, you WILL use this site. Even if you're not considering Great Britain, this site can be interesting. Indexes of all the courses available at British universities. Anything you need to know about going to college in Great Britain can be found at this site. (UCAS - University and Colleges Admission Service)

<http://www.timesonline.co.uk/article/0,,716-1628873,00.html>

League Tables. Here you'll find one of the most widely-used, subject specific set of league tables for British universities. **Beware!** These league tables are not 100% accurate and ALWAYS contain biases. They can be a good place to get a general idea about which universities excel in certain fields, but please be aware that some very good programmes get overlooked and some mediocre programmes find their way into the tables.

Canada

www.aucc.ca

studyincanada.com

You can access a complete listing of all Canadian colleges and universities here, get info about student visas and take a FREE online career quiz.

www.ouac.on.ca

This website gives you access to the Ontario universities centralized application centre - **Ontario Universities' Application (OUAC) Center**

Australia

<http://www.studyinternational.com.au/course/search?gclid=CInR29CG8ZECFRs3egodKHFPqA>

Useful info for international students and an easy-to-use course search

<http://www.unisa.edu.au/pas/qap/planning/otherunis.asp>

This website provides links to all Australian universities through the University of South Australia website

Hong Kong

Baptist University

www.hkbu.edu.hk/

Chinese University

www.cuhk.hk/

City University

www.cityu.edu.hk/

HKUST

www.ust.hk/

Institute of Education

www.ied.edu.hk/

Lingnan College

www.ln.edu.hk/

PolyU

www.polyu.edu.hk/

University of Hong Kong

www.hku.hk/

Additional Useful Websites

<http://www.collegeboard.com>

this US-based website provides services in college admissions, guidance, assessment, financial aid, enrollment, etc.

Students can set up a free account to access many of their services, as well as register to take the SAT in Hong Kong.

SAT Prep

http://www.collegeboard.com/student/testing/sat/prep_one/prep_one.html

Provides practice questions, practice tests, official SAT practice questions for critical reading/mathematics/writing

Also allows students to print and take a practice test, then get a score report and answer explanations.

<http://www.sat-preparation.co.il/>

A site useful for high school students preparing for the vocabulary section of the new SAT exam.

<http://www.freesat1prep.com/>

provides free online SAT assistance

<http://www.princetonreviewhk.com/>

SAT/TOEFL prep in Hong Kong

<http://www.tuition.com.hk/services.htm>

IB/IELTS/SAT/TOEFL prep in Hong Kong

<http://www.britishcouncil.org/hongkong-english-adult-english-ielts-xlth.htm>

IELTS prep in Hong Kong

<http://www.ielts.org/>

The official IELTS site

<http://www.sparknotes.com/testprep/newsat/>

This website provides many useful FREE resources for SAT prep