# College Jeopardy

| True/False     | College<br>Admissions | Mixed<br>Questions | Financial<br>Aid | <b>College</b><br><b>Preparation</b> |    |
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## \$100 Question from True/False

There are colleges in every state in the US.

### \$100 Answer from True/False

#### (True)

#### **Every state has at least one college or university as well as a community college.**

### \$200 Question from True/False

You should ask any person for a recommendation letter for your college application.

### \$200 Answer from True/False

(False) You should ask a trusted adult who you know well and that knows about your strengths and activities you are involved in.

### \$300 Question from True/False

If you graduate college you will on average make more money than just a high school graduate.

### \$300 Answer from True/False

(True) Average annual income in 2004: College Education: \$51,206 High School Education: \$27,915

# \$400 Question from True/False DOUBLE JEOPARDY

# You have to live at the college or university that you attend.



### \$400 Answer from True/False

#### (False)

#### You can attend college and live at home or in an apartment not on campus.

### \$500 Question from True/False

You cannot go to college unless you or your family has a lot of money and can pay for you to attend college.

### \$500 Answer from True/False

#### (False) There is a lot of financial aid available for students, especially for low-income DC students.

# \$100 Question from College Admissions

What is the SAT?

# \$100 Answer from College Admissions

The SAT is the Standardized Admissions Test which colleges use as part of the admissions criteria.

# \$200 Question from College Admissions

What are two things to do to strengthen your college application?



# \$200 Answer from College Admissions

- **1.** Participate in extracurricular activities
- 2. Do well in school
- **3. Study for the SAT**
- 4. Visit the school
- 5. Talk to an admissions counselor

# \$300 Question from College Admissions

What is a resume?



# \$300 Answer from College Admissions

A resume is a list of personal, educational, and professional qualifications and experiences.

# \$400 Question from College Admissions

What is a personal statement?



# \$400 Answer from College Admissions

A personal statement is an essay you write about yourself to help college admissions counselors learn about your goals, your background, and why you want to attend their school.

# \$500 Question from College Admissions

What are two ways to get familiar with a college and the things you need to apply to their school?



# \$500 Answer from College Admissions

- 1. Call the school
- 2. Visit the school
- 3. Attend a college fair
- 4. Research the school online
- 5. Talk to someone who goes to or went to the school

# \$100 Question from Mixed Questions DOUBLE JEOPARDY

What subjects are on the SAT?



### **\$100** Answer from Mixed Questions

#### Math, English, and Writing

# \$200 Question from Mixed Questions

#### What does HBCU stand for?



#### **\$200** Answer from Mixed Questions

#### **Historically Black College and University**

# \$300 Question from Mixed Questions

True or False? The SAT is the only test you can take to apply to college.



#### \$300 Answer from Mixed Questions

(False) You can also choose to take the ACT which is similar to the SAT but includes science and less English.

# \$400 Question from Mixed Questions

Name 2 colleges or universities in the DC metro area.

### \$400 Answer from Mixed Questions

- University of the District of Columbia
- George Washington University
- Georgetown University
- Howard University
- George Mason University
- Montgomery College

# \$500 Question from Mixed Questions

What are possibilities of things you can do after graduating college?

A. Attend graduate schoolB. Get a jobC. VolunteerD. All of the above



### \$500 Answer from Mixed Questions

**D. All of the Above** 

### \$100 Question from Financial Aid

Which will have more money in it total?A. \$80 in a savings account with 10% interest for 5 yearsB. \$100 in a checking account with 2% interest for 2 years



#### \$100 Answer from Financial Aid

A. \$80 in a savings account with 10% interest for 5 years

# \$200 Question from Financial Aid DOUBLE JEOPARDY

What are scholarships?



#### \$200 Answer from Financial Aid

Scholarships is money that can be used for college and do not have to be repaid. Scholarships are awarded by various people, including the state and federal governments, public and private organizations, and colleges and universities.

#### \$300 Question from Financial Aid

True or False? If I do not have good grades, I cannot get any money for college.



#### \$300 Answer from Financial Aid

#### (False)

There are tons of scholarships that do not focus on grades. Instead they reward students for their outstanding characteristics such as leadership and community service.

#### \$400 Question from Financial Aid

What is a student loan?



#### \$400 Answer from Financial Aid

A student loan is money given to the student to borrow to help them pay for college. Students can repay this money once they graduate and get a job.

#### \$500 Question from Financial Aid

What is FAFSA?



#### \$500 Answer from Financial Aid

FAFSA is the Free Application for Federal Student Aid. It is a form required from all students seeking need-based financial aid. The FAFSA collects family income and other financial information and is completed and filed by the student or his/her family.

### \$100 Question from College Preparation

What are two extracurricular activities that you can participate in to help with preparing for college?

### \$100 Answer from College Preparation

- 1. SAT Prep classes
- Summer programs for college prep
  Meeting with your guidance counselor
  Talking with your mentor about college
  Joining Upward Bound
  Coaching for College!!!!!!!

### \$200 Question from College Preparation

True or False? You do not have to start preparing for college until your senior year of high school.



#### \$200 Answer from College Preparation

(False)

It is never too early to start preparing for college. You can even start in middle school by learning what you need to apply to college.

### \$300 Question from College Preparation

What is GPA?



#### \$300 Answer from College Preparation

GPA is grade point average that is calculated each advisory depending on your grades. 4.0 is the highest which is all A's.

### \$400 Question from College Preparation

What can help you buy your future wants and needs?

- A. Impulse buying
- B. Expenses
- C. Overspending
- D. Savings



### \$400 Answer from College Preparation

**D.** Savings

### \$500 Question from College Preparation DOUBLE JEOPARDY

What are the benefits of starting to prepare for applying to college early?

### \$500 Answer from College Preparation

- Know what is going on
- Organization
- Take advantage of opportunities
- Extra time
- Extra money

## Final Jeopardy

# What is the top university in the country that is in Boston?



# Final Jeopardy Answer

Harvard University