



COLLEGE KNOWLEDGE AND NAVIGATION

High Beginning

Students navigate post-secondary school admission information.

Lesson objectives:

- Learn about post-secondary school admissions
- Explore a college admissions web page

Warm up

- Before class: write the lesson objectives on the board.
- Tell Ss that many jobs require post-secondary education. Write examples of post-secondary schools on the board: *college, university, trade* and *vocational schools*.
- Ask Ss: *What is school admission?* Elicit answers such as *accepting a student into a school*.
- Encourage Ss to compare a few local post-secondary schools and to choose one that offers training in their career of interest.
- If a computer lab is not available, bring Ss to the library. Notify the library ahead of time and ask if a librarian is available to direct Ss to educational research resources.
- If possible, bring brochures from local colleges, universities and post-secondary programs to class. Tell Ss they will use books, articles or brochures to answer the questions.

Presentation

- Tell Ss they are going to learn about post-secondary school admission.
- Give each S a copy of the Activity Worksheet. Review the questions and ensure Ss understand the terms.
- If your school has a computer lab, tell Ss they will use the Internet to answer the questions.
- Model how to use a post-secondary school website. Go to the website for a nearby college or university and show Ss how to find and navigate the admissions page.
- Walk around and help Ss complete the worksheet.

Evaluation

- Ss add the completed Activity Worksheet 7C to their Career Portfolio.

¹ If any Ss do not have a resume, they can create one during class while their classmates interview one another.



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Name _____

Career of interest _____

Find a post-secondary school that offers training for your career of interest. Answer the questions.

1. What is the name of the school?
2. What is the address of the school?
3. What are the steps to apply to the school?
4. How many students go to the school?
5. How can you sign up for a campus tour?