College Visit Questions

Academics

- 1. Are you are quarters, semesters, trimesters?
- 2. How many classes or hours do students typically take per semester?
- 3. Is there an opportunity to study abroad?
- 4. What is the average class size?
- 5. Are classes taught by professors or teaching assistants?
- 6. How much time do students typically spend on homework?
- 7. Do you have an honors college?
- 8. Do most student have a major and a minor?
- 9. Once admitted, how soon do you have to declare a major?
- 10. How soon can a student apply to their specific school? (Nursing)
- 11. What is the application process for the school of nursing?
- 12. What opportunities are there for clinical experiences?
- 13. Is there a learning community or freshman experience?

Academic Support

- 1. How do you provide academic advice to students
- 2. What type of tutoring program do you have? Cost?
- 3. Do you have a writing center and how do you access that?

Graduation

- 1. What is the four year graduation rate?
- 2. What does it take to graduate in four years?
- 3. What is the five year graduation rate?
- 4. What type of career services do you have?
- 5. What percentage of freshman return for sophomore year?

Financial Aid

- 1. What is your average financial aid package?
- 2. What is the typical breakdown of loans versus grants?
- 3. What percentage of financial need does the school typically meet?
- 4. What is the average merit award?
- 5. What is the average college debt that students leave with?

Student Life

- 1. What kind of dorm choices are there?
- 2. How are college roommate paired?
- 3. What percentage of students live on campus?
- 4. Freshman and cars on campus?

- 5. Are students required to be on a meal plan?
- 6. Health Services?
- 7. Weekend? What do students do?
- 8. Out of State students?
- 9. Greek Life?
- 10. What clubs, organizations and/or intramurals?
- 11. Athletic events?
- 12. Campus safety?
- 13. What is the most special thing about this school?
- 14. What are the large school events and or traditions?