

Identification Number: _____

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Peer Leaders for College/Career Program
Your opinion, please!

Congratulations on becoming a peer leader for the College/Career Program! To help us further develop this program, we would like your input on your own college and/or career goals, understandings and plans. Please take a moment to complete the questions below by circling the number or checking the box that meets your answer the best. All the information you provide will be kept **confidential**. For our purposes, “*peers*” refers to people about your age from your school or neighborhood.

1. Rate your current ability in each of the following areas on a scale from 1 (poor) to 4 (excellent).

	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent	Don't Know
a. getting along with your high school peers	1	2	3	4	DK
b. getting along with college students	1	2	3	4	DK
c. leading discussions about college and careers	1	2	3	4	DK
d. talking with guidance counselors about college/career goals	1	2	3	4	DK
e. listening to peers about their college/career concerns	1	2	3	4	DK
f. having a positive influence over other people	1	2	3	4	DK
g. making a presentation to a group.	1	2	3	4	DK
h. working as part of a team to develop college/career workshops	1	2	3	4	DK

2. **In general how confident are you in your ability to be peer leader for the College/Career Workshop?**
 Not at all confident A little confident Moderately confident Extremely confident

3. **To what extent are you aware of your life/career goals?**
 Not at all aware Somewhat aware Very Aware Don't Know

4. **How easy or difficulty is it to obtain the skills, education and training you will need to achieve these goals?**
 Very Easy Somewhat Easy Somewhat Difficult Very Difficult

5. **Are your parents helping you obtain the skills, education and training you will need to achieve these goals?**
 Not at all helpful Somewhat helpful Very helpful Don't Know

6. **Are teachers/school helping you to obtain the skills, education and training you will need to achieve these goals?**
 Not at all helpful Somewhat helpful Very helpful Don't Know

7. If your goals include going to college, rate your knowledge of the following on a scale from 1 (poor) to 4 (excellent).

	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent	Don't Know
a. Different types of colleges/college programs	1	2	3	4	DK
b. How to apply to college	1	2	3	4	DK
c. How to apply for scholarships or financial aid	1	2	3	4	DK

8. **What factors make going to college difficult for people in your community, from 1 (not at all difficult) to 3 (very difficult)?**

	Not at all Difficult	Somewhat Difficult	Very Difficult	Don't Know
a. Getting good grades in high school	1	2	3	DK
b. Passing the MCAS test	1	2	3	DK
c. Scoring high on the SAT's	1	2	3	DK
d. Finding help/information on how to apply	1	2	3	DK
e. Paying for college	1	2	3	DK
f. Lack of confidence and motivation to try	1	2	3	DK

9. **To what extent do you agree/disagree with each of the following statements on a scale from 1 (strongly disagree) to 4 (strongly agree)?**

	Strongly Disagree	Somewhat Disagree	Somewhat Disagree	Strongly Disagree
a. My peers don't think going to college is important.	1	2	3	4
b. I don't think going to college is important.	1	2	3	4
c. My parents don't think going to college is important.	1	2	3	4
d. Other adults in the community don't think going to college is important.	1	2	3	4

Please tell us some more about you:

10. Are you female or male? Female Male
11. What grade are you in? ____ If not in high school, other educational program you attend _____
12. How do you identify your race/ethnic group?
 ___ Hispanic/Latino
 ___ Black (not Hispanic)
 ___ American Indian or Alaska Native
 ___ White (not Hispanic)
 ___ Asian or Pacific Islander
 ___ Other: _____
13. Have you participated in College/Career Workshops before? Yes No
14. Have you taken tours of the local colleges? Yes No
15. Have you completed your high school transcript? Yes No
16. Do you have a current professional resume? Yes No

Thank you for completing this survey!