

Factors in Selecting Your College

(POSSIBLE COLLEGE CHOICES)

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| Program Type: Check one <input type="checkbox"/> Vocational Technical Education <input type="checkbox"/> Liberal Arts, General Studies <input type="checkbox"/> Liberal Arts with a Major <input type="checkbox"/> Liberal Arts with a Major and Minor Field(s) of study Write in your field(s) of study: <hr/> <hr/> | Comprehensive – Degrees and certificates in 186 options | | |
| Certificate and Degree Programs: Check one <input type="checkbox"/> Occupational <input type="checkbox"/> Baccalaureate <input type="checkbox"/> Associate <input type="checkbox"/> Masters <input type="checkbox"/> Associate/Transfer | Associate, Bachelor's, Master's, Certificates, Continuing Studies | | |
| College or University: Check one <input type="checkbox"/> College <input type="checkbox"/> University | University | | |
| Region: Check one <input type="checkbox"/> Pacific and Mountain States <input type="checkbox"/> North Central States <input type="checkbox"/> Great Lakes States <input type="checkbox"/> South Central States <input type="checkbox"/> Middle Atlantic States <input type="checkbox"/> New England States | Convenient! Northeastern Indiana (Great Lake States) | | |
| Setting: Check one <input type="checkbox"/> Urban (large city setting) <input type="checkbox"/> Suburban (outskirts of a city setting) <input type="checkbox"/> Small town <input type="checkbox"/> Rural (country setting) | Suburban | | |
| Enrollment: Check one <input type="checkbox"/> Fewer than 1,000 students <input type="checkbox"/> 1,000 to 2,500 students <input type="checkbox"/> 2,500 to 5,000 students <input type="checkbox"/> 5,000 to 7,500 students <input type="checkbox"/> 7,500 to 10,000 students <input type="checkbox"/> More than 10,000 students | 11,500+ students | | |
| Control: Check one <input type="checkbox"/> Public <input type="checkbox"/> Private religious affiliation (preferred religion: _____) <input type="checkbox"/> Private nonreligious affiliation | Public | | |
| Student Body: Check one <input type="checkbox"/> All male <input type="checkbox"/> All female <input type="checkbox"/> Primarily male <input type="checkbox"/> Primarily female <input type="checkbox"/> Coeducational (male and female) | 57% Female 43% Male | | |
| Special College: Check if desired <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | 6 schools 4 divisions | | |
| Academic Competitiveness: Check one <input type="checkbox"/> Most competitive <input type="checkbox"/> Less competitive <input type="checkbox"/> Highly competitive <input type="checkbox"/> Noncompetitive (open admission) <input type="checkbox"/> Very competitive <input type="checkbox"/> Special <input type="checkbox"/> Competitive | Top ½ class rank and academic honors or CORE 40 high school diploma | | |
| Admissions Policies: Check one <input type="checkbox"/> Rolling admissions <input type="checkbox"/> Early decision <input type="checkbox"/> Early admission <input type="checkbox"/> Deferred admissions | Rolling admissions | | |
| Admissions Examinations: Check those you have taken: <input type="checkbox"/> Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) <input type="checkbox"/> American College Testing Program (ACT) <input type="checkbox"/> Achievement Tests of the College Board (ACH) <input type="checkbox"/> Washington Pre-College Test (WPCT) | SAT or ACT required | | |
| Financial Aid Programs: Write in the names of those you plan to apply for <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> | 49% of students received financial aid, totaling \$22 million in '00-'01 | | |

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| Minimum Grade-Point Average (GPA): Check if you prefer a college that requires a minimum GPA Yes | High school – top ½ class Transfer – 2.0 GPA | | |
| Advanced Placement (AP): Check if you prefer a college that offers advanced placement Yes | Yes | | |
| Student-Faculty Ratio: Check one Small Medium Large | Medium – 16:1 | | |
| Accreditation: Check accreditation you desire Institutional accreditation Special program accreditation Write in your preferred program: _____ | North Central (NCATE, ABET, NLN, AACSB, ACS, ADA, NASM) | | |
| Calendar: Check one Semester Trimester 3.3 Quarter 4.1.4 | Semester | | |
| Summer Sessions: Check yes if desired Yes | 2, six-week sessions | | |
| Special Academic Services: Check those desired Accelerated program Cooperative education Honors program Independent study Study abroad Remedial Instruction or courses | Honors program, co-op, national student exchange, study abroad, individual major, remedial courses | | |
| Student Activities: Write in those activities in which you would like to participate _____ _____ | Nearly 100 student organizations | | |
| Athletic and Recreational Programs: Write in those activities in which you would like to participate _____ _____ | Intramurals and NCAA Division I – basketball, soccer, volleyball, tennis, cross country, track & field, baseball, softball | | |
| Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC): Check yes if desired Yes | No | | |
| Minority Population: Check one 75 to 100 percent minority population 50 to 75 percent minority population 25 to 50 percent minority population 0 to 25 percent minority population | About 10% | | |
| Housing: Check one Dormitories or on-campus housing Single sex Coeducational Special interest Town house or efficiency apartment Off-campus housing | Campus housing in 2004; 17 apartment complexes in a 2-3 mile radius of campus | | |
| Special Rules and Regulations: Check if desired Dress code On-campus residency Curfew No 24-hour visitation Drinking | No | | |
| Orientation Program: Check yes if desired Yes | ½ day summer orientation | | |
| Barrier-free Campus: Check yes if desired Yes | Yes | | |
| Special Student Services: Check those preferred Career counseling Transfer counseling Job placement | Career counseling Job placement | | |
| Other Factors: Write in not listed that are important to you. _____ _____ | Quality teaching, beautiful campus, great value, earn IU or Purdue degree | | |
| Totals | | | |