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Finalizing Your List

- Review your current list of colleges – do you have a range of colleges based on academics and cost?
- Your list of potential colleges should include:

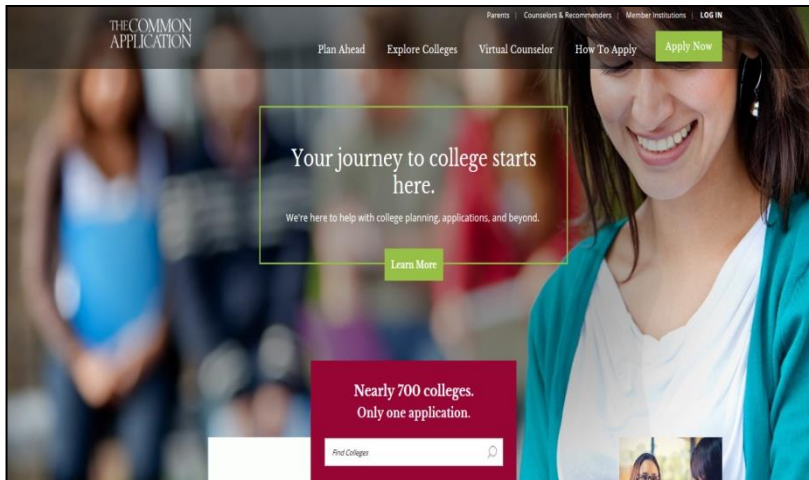
2 Probable – 2 Target – 2 Reach
Including 1 Financial Safety

- Consider applying to both public and private colleges to offer some financial diversity
- Understand the cost difference between public in-state and out-of-state colleges



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Common App Tips



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- Accepted at nearly 700 colleges
- 1 “Common Application” submitted to each college
- Colleges can require supplemental answers/essays
- Some colleges no longer require the essay as part of their process
- Each college may have their own application fee
- Fee waiver eligibility & process



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Our High School Specific Process

- Visit us to discuss your process and timeline
- Transcript request procedure
- How you submit your school counselor and teacher recommendations
- When you need to bring required paperwork to our office
- Our other school specific procedures
- Research local scholarship opportunities and deadlines

