

## COLLEGE CHOICE SPREAD SHEET

**REACH** schools. You should have 1 to 3 colleges listed here. Last year these colleges accepted freshmen who had slightly higher scores than yours. The Ivy League schools are always REACH schools.

School name	Numbers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Average scores and GPA of admitted freshmen last year</li> <li>• Costs/ scholarships</li> <li>• Number of freshmen retained</li> <li>• Number of students graduated in 4 years, 5 years</li> </ul>	Specific programs or classes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Year abroad.</li> <li>• Community service.</li> <li>• Labs</li> <li>• Core studies</li> <li>• Majors</li> </ul>	Other requirements that are important to you in your college experience: Location, Size, Programs offered, Internships offered, Placement after graduation, Crime rate, Student support available. Library hours, Clubs or Sports, etc

**COMFORT** schools. These schools should be a reasonable FIT for you to gain entrance. The test scores of admitted freshmen should be similar to yours. You should have all of the requirements needed for entrance. Your portfolio is similar to those of the admitted freshmen class just last year. You should have 3 to 4 schools here.

School name	Numbers Same as above	Programs Same as above	Other Same as above

**SAFETY** schools. These schools require less than your GPA and course work. You should apply to 2 of these.

School name	Same as above	Same as above	Same as above

Use this worksheet to evaluate and compare all your college choices. Complete it as far to the right with your own desired categories. Choose about 6 to 8 institutions for your final aspirant schools. Good Luck!

