**AVID Seminar College Research Project**

Part of the AVID programs is to help students become familiar with colleges and universities. This is your first step! With a partner or alone, you will choose one school to research using. We will use class time on Fridays to find information on the internet about your school as well as to work on your project. Keep in mind that you may need time outside of school to complete your project too. You will be responsible for collecting the information in order to complete the items below, but how you present this information should be based on your particular learning style. Be as creative as you would like!

**I. The Basics (20 points):**

* location (city)
* # of students
* What percentage of students are male? female?
* List the ethnic breakdown of students
* Mascot
* What are some of the majors and minors offered?

**II. Getting In (20 points):**

* What are the admissions requirements? (ACT, SAT,

GPA, placement test…)

* What is the application process (fees, essays, recommendations)?
* Are you able to test out of any classes based upon scores (list)?
* What percent of incoming freshmen were and were

not accepted in previous years?

**III. Course Info (20 points):**

* What are degree requirements?
* What are the specific math requirements and prerequisites?
* What is the difference in a BA vs. BS?
* Where can you receive help (tutoring) on campus for free?
* What and where is academic advising?

**IV.** **Finance (20 points):**

* What are the universities tuition rates?
* What are other possible expenses (lab, books, meal plans…)?
* What is the difference between loans and grants?

**V. Social Opportunities (20 points):**

* What social activities are offered? (Fraternities, Sororities, Clubs…)

**Project Proposal**

**College:**

 1st Choice: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 2nd Choice: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 3rd Choice: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Group Members:**

**Learning Style Description:**

**Format of Project:** *Please describe exactly how you will be presenting the above information in a detailed paragraph.*

**List of supplies you need Ms. Hizon to get:**

**List of supplies group members need to get:**