



March Madness:
College Terminology

Public University



- A college or university that receives funding from the state, lowering costs students pay.

Private college/university



- A non-state college or university that only relies on private funding, tuition, and fees. It does NOT receive financial assistance from the state.

Community or junior college



- A two-year college that gives two options—
 1. Transfer your courses to a four-year university OR
 2. Receive an associate's degree in a certain field

Resident




- A student who meets state residency requirements

Non-resident



- A student who lives out of state and does NOT meet specific state residency requirements.

Campus Life



- All of the opportunities that are on the grounds of the college campus that include extra-curriculars, opportunities, and activities for students—social or academic.
 - Leadership, Multi-cultural, Counseling and Health, Religious and Spiritual, Community Service, Dining, Career Development, Athletics, Clubs