

AVID 9/10 Technology/ Website Check-off
300 points

ANSWER AT ALL OF THE PLACES THAT HAVE ** NEXT TO THEM.

Write all answers on a separate ANSWER paper. Organize the paper by using the numbers and titles I have given you in each section.

I. www.jupitergrades.com/login:

- Log on to www.jupitergrades.com/login and view your AVID class.
- ******What grade do you have? **WHY?**

II. College Board <https://www.collegeboard.org/>

- 1) Create an account by **clicking on the College Planning tab** at the top of the page. On the bottom of the next page click *sign up to create a username and password* or *sign in* if you remember your info from last year. **(5 points)**

- a. ******Username: _____
- b. ******Password: _____

- 2) Put your cursor on the black **Get Started** tab at the top of the page. **Don't click it!** Click on **Know Yourself**.
- 3) ******Click "*Answer 10 Questions and Discover Your Future*" and **answer the questions on your own paper, as you click through the slides**. You **don't** need to go to the 5 Ways to Find Career Ideas at the end of this slide show. **(20 points)**
- 4) Now put your cursor on the black **Find Colleges** tab at the top of the page. **Don't click it!** Click on **College 101** and click on **Types of Colleges: The Basics**. Read slides 1-8. Choose your answer to the questions below using the information you received on **slides 1-8** (*notice that it's 8, not 14 slides that I want you to choose from*).

******What kind of school do you think you would like to attend now that you know the difference? ******Why that kind? **(10 points)**

- 5) Now put your cursor back on the **Find Colleges** tab at the top of the page and click on **College 101** and then click on the **Quick Guide: Your College Degree Options** and read about the different types of degrees available by clicking.

******What kind of degree do you think you want to pursue? Use the names you just read about.

******Why that kind? **(10 points)**

- 6) Put your cursor back over the **Find Colleges** tab and click the **Finding Your College Fit** link. Now that you are on a different page, click the **College Search Step-by-Step** link. Read the pink box and click the blue **BEGIN EXPLORING** button. **For this to work for you, you MUST read each page and make selections**. Sometimes it will say that you do not need to decide right now, so those you do not need to do, but **you must read each page and make selections**. After you select, on each page, go up to the gray bar and click the next section: Kinds of Colleges, Location, Campus Setting, etc. and **make selections**.

When you get to the end of the gray bar, click the pink **My College Snapshot**. Do NOT print. Click the blue **Find Colleges** button.

- 7) When you get to the next page you will see FILTERS. Click on each one to see what information you entered previously (Your selections). Now choose from the schools that match your preferences and fill in the information below. **When you click a box it will take you to a page of info. about that school. It will also give you their website. Click that to get more info. Make sure to drag the school into the MY COLLEGES box at the bottom if you like it, so College Board can save the info. for you. THIS IS NEEDED FOR YOUR FINAL: THE COLLEGE PRESENTATION & POWER POINT**

******a) List 5 schools that match your preferences: **(20 points)**

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

******b) Why do you like EACH school above? **(20 points)**

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

- 8) ******What are 5 terms or words and their definitions that you learned while doing your college search? Go to www.dictionary.com to find definitions. **(20 points)**

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

- 9) Put your cursor over the other tabs at the top of the page. I want you to see how much more there is to understanding how to choose a college, but also how much help is out there for you. **There is SO much more on this website to assist you. This is just a sample of what it offers. Please explore more on your own.**

III. CSU Mentor

Complete this section on a separate piece of paper

1) Go to www.csumentor.edu and click on *CREATE AN ACCOUNT at the top of the page*, and create an account or if you have one, click *Log On*. **(5 points)**

**a. User name: _____

**b. Password: _____

-Label your paper My CSU campuses

- Click on the *Explore Campuses* tab at the top and *use the Matching Assistant, in the list, to find the right CSU campus for you*. Fill in the information to determine the CSU campus that matches your preferences. Click on the top two colleges you get in the list and look at information about them. List the two schools below and complete the writing about each.

1. _____ What do you like about this campus? Write a PARAGRAPH explaining why you selected THIS school. **(20 points) You will receive NO credit for this section without the paragraph.

2. _____ What do you like about this campus? Write a PARAGRAPH explaining why you selected THIS school. **(20 points) You will receive NO credit for this section without the paragraph.

-Label your paper EPT –English Placement Test

- Next, click the **TESTING** tab at the top of the CSU Mentor page. When you get to the new page, scroll down to the **ENGLISH PLACEMENT FOR CSU FIRST-TIME FRESHMEN** section and click on the Learn more about the English Placement for First-Time Freshmen link (at the bottom of this section). When you get to the new page, find the English Success Website link and click it (almost at the bottom of the page!) When you get to the new page click the **Exam Prep** tab at the top. When you get to the new page, find the green **Exam Prep** box on the left. ****You need to take the one Reading Skills Test and one Composing Skills Test** on your own paper. I do not care if you take test #1 or #2. But you need to take BOTH. The computer will score the test. To get credit for this part, you must write the letter answer and correct the test. Show me which you got wrong by marking them wrong and correcting the answer. **Be honest when you score it. To get credit for this section, I need to see how you ACTUALLY scored, so mark the ones you got wrong, wrong, and correct the answer. If you do not take the tests and correct them you will NOT get credit for this part. They will tell you WHY you missed each question. Read to find out!**
- In order to answer the exemption questions for the EPT and ELM, you must read the sections entitled WHO MUST TAKE THE EPT on the EPT page of information and the ELM information page. You get these pages on the pages that have the English and Math Success Websites. ****ANSWER on your own paper, How do I become exempt from the EPT, which means you will not need to take it?**
(60 points for the answers to the English test and the exemption question above)

-Label your paper ELM- Entry Level Math

- Now, click on the CSUMentor-Plan for College tab that you have open above the address bar at the very top of the page. Find **ELM** on the right. Find and click on the Math Success Website link. Click the **Exam Prep** tab and ****TAKE THE 10 Online Problem TEST**. Correct the test the same as you did for the EPT. **If you do not take the test and correct it you will NOT get credit for this part.**
*Also, TO GET CREDIT FOR THIS PART you must click on and look at the questions in the 50 Online Test. ****ANSWER:** According to these test questions, WHY do I need to learn in my math classes?*
- **ANSWER on your own paper, How do I become exempt from the ELM, which means you will not need to take it? (See directions above to find this answer.)**
(60 points for answers to the Math test and the exemption question above)

****Label your paper Reflection ABOUT BOTH TESTS. You must discuss both tests. (30points)**

- Write a reflection about how you did on the tests. You can use sentence starters to help you: While taking the _____ test I felt.... The (put test name here)_____ showed me that I need to learn more about..... Taking higher-level classes is important because..... I really need to focus on _____ before I graduate...

The purpose of completing these tests is so you can see how much you need to learn to be ready for college and how to NOT HAVE TO TAKE THE REAL TESTS!! 😊