



In Depth College and Career Guide (DISC)

Behaviors	Students Should Avoid	Ideal College and Career Environments	Major or Job Fit
<p>High D's</p> <p>Direct Competitive Opinionated</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Situations where you can't express yourself or be direct with others - Majors or jobs that have little room for opinions. - Controlling professors or bosses that treat you paternalistically - Calm majors or jobs with little to no challenge. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Majors or careers where competition is encouraged. - Majors or jobs that are results-oriented and encourage risk-taking. - Opportunities to lead and take initiative. - Places where they can be direct with others and share their opinions. - High intensity environments 	<p>Political Science, Philosophy, Law, Business Management, Entrepreneurship, Surgeon / Intense Medical Paths, Firefighting, Real Estate, Armed Forces, Sports Management, Investment Banking, Consulting, Personal Training, Emergency Personnel</p>
<p>High I</p> <p>Talkative Friendly Enthusiastic</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Large lecture classes. - Being alone too long. - Professors who appear cold and distant. - Solo projects - Majors and jobs without collaboration. - Majors and jobs where they are not encouraged to raise their voice. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Friendly environments. - Group projects. - Majors and careers with a lot of collaboration time and open discussion. - Majors and careers with a lot of face time with other people. - Environments where they can express thoughts and feelings out loud. 	<p>Broadcasting / Communications, Education, Theatre, Public Relations, Marketing / Advertising, Journalism, Music and Entertainment, Field Researcher, Liberal Arts, Community Programs, Comedy, Actor / Singer, Personal Training</p>
<p>High S</p> <p>Loyal Patient Understanding</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Changing and unstable situations. - Lack of consistency. - Majors or jobs that are open-ended and require a lot of improvisation. - Schools where there is no clear path towards graduation and academic expectations are not as clear. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Programs and jobs where students can clearly see the structure of their education or work tasks / projects. - Students should know what is expected from them on day one all the way until the day that they graduate. - Supportive, calm, and understanding environments. - Minimal surprises or change. - Majors or jobs that encourage a patient, understanding, and calm approach. 	<p>Nursing, Education, Social Work, Medicine, Counselor / Advisor, STEM, Psychology, Research Driven Majors, Accounting, Health Care and Social Services, Biology, Chemistry, Therapy, Librarian, Industrial Engineering, Airplane Steward or Pilot, Administration</p>
<p>High C</p> <p>Precise Conscientious Cautious</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Professors or bosses without clear expectations. - Environments that require students to take a lot of risk. - Jobs or majors where the result is much more important than the process. - Jobs and majors that force students to think "big picture" and don't prioritize the details. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Structured programs or jobs where quality, the process, and the details matter. - Classes with a detailed syllabus. - Jobs or majors that require a step-by-step approach. - Jobs or majors that encourage students to pay attention to all the details and follow a process the "right" way. - Jobs and majors that encourage an analytical, systematic, or logical approach. 	<p>Medicine, Engineering, STEM, Computer Science, Finance, Data Analysis, Data Scientist, Law, Mathematics, Physics, Research driven majors. PhD programs, Architecture, Sociology and Psychology (Research Based), Pilot, Law Enforcement, Administration, Computer Systems, IT</p>

In Depth College and Career Guide (Motivators - Part 1)

Motivators	Ideal College and Career Environments	Major/Career Ideas
<p>Theoretical</p>  <p><i>Value learning and knowledge.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Liberal Arts colleges (study many topics) - Research Institutions or Majors - Broad/core curriculum or intellectually intensive curriculum. - Jobs or majors that are intellectually challenging and push students to think at a deeper level or learn new things. 	<p>Science, R&D, Astronomy, Engineering, Education, IT, Mathematics, Economics, Philosophy, Journalist, Law, Medicine, Aerospace, Think Tanks, Engineering, Pre-med, Pre-law, Neuroscience / Psychology, Economics, STEM, Masters or PhD Programs, Anthropology, Political Science</p>
<p>Utilitarian</p>  <p><i>Value practical accomplishments.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Colleges with great job placement rates and majors or jobs with a high starting salary. - Jobs with clear growth opportunities in terms of salary increases or bonuses. - Look for practical and hands-on programs where students get a return on investment. 	<p>Sales, Finance, Trade School, Entrepreneurship, Law, Computer Programming Specific Schools, Medicine, Consulting, Accounting, Engineering, Real Estate, Construction, Developer, Business Management, Investment Banking, Construction Management, Hospitality and Tourism Management</p>
<p>Aesthetic</p>  <p><i>Value beauty, and harmony.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Students should visit colleges to sense the atmosphere and to see how it looks/feels to them. - Beautiful campuses or offices where the student feels balanced. - Majors or jobs that have a creative outlet or form of self-expression. 	<p>Media, Visual Arts, Architect, Therapy, Counselor, Entertainment, Event Planning, Interior Design, Fashion Design, Culinary Arts, Musician, Environmental Studies, Landscaping, Marketing/Advertising, Arts, Journalism, Creative Writing / English, Horticulture, Environmental Design, Urban Planning, Theatre, Graphic Design, Film</p>
<p>Social</p>  <p><i>Value being of service to others.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Colleges or companies that are making an impact on the world in a way students care about. - Colleges or jobs with community service opportunities. - Majors or schools where volunteering is part of the curriculum and jobs where volunteering is part of the culture at work. 	<p>Non-Profit, Social Entrepreneurship, Corporate Social Responsibility, Education, Healthcare and Social Services, Community Programs, Physical Training, Medicine, Social Work, Counseling / Therapy, Biomedical Engineering, Veterinarian, Public Policy, Environmental Studies, Peace and Conflict Studies, Public Health</p>
<p>Individualistic</p>  <p><i>Value personal recognition and independence.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Colleges with control over your major and the structure of your education. - Jobs and majors where you can have independence in the day-to-day. - Schools, majors, or jobs with performance, political, or entrepreneurship opportunities where you can be in control and gain personal recognition. (i.e. business plan competition or student government) 	<p>Entrepreneurship, Political Science, Theatre, Philosophy, Chef, Public Speaker, Litigation, Driver, Business, Actor/Singer/Artist, Music or Entertainment Industry, Outdoor or Adventure Jobs, Personal Trainer, Broadcasting / Communications, Accounting, Gaming, Trade Jobs such as Welding, Plumbing, Masonry etc., Real Estate, Consulting, Comedy</p>
<p>Traditional</p>  <p><i>Unique system of values drives you.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Colleges and companies that support your core values and encourage you to bring them out. - Any job or major as long as your core beliefs are valued and respected. - Schools that offer clubs or opportunities that align with your core values. 	<p>Government, Education, Counselor, Banking, Military, Engineering, Medicine, Philosophy, Health Services or Public Health, Insurance, Religious Roles, Lobbying, Languages (i.e. Spanish), Quality Control, Industrial or Trade Jobs, Activism, Business, Cultural Studies (i.e. African American or Japanese Studies)</p>