



Senior Profile

Name: _____

Email: _____

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Please type your answers to the following questions and turn into the counseling office with your high school resume. Students not attending Dawson or Pickens County High Schools may mail or drop off profile responses to Big Canoe Chapel at 10455 Big Canoe, Big Canoe, GA 30143.

- A. To which postsecondary schools or military branch of service are you thinking about applying?
- B. Why, specifically, have you decided to apply to these schools or enlist in the military?
- C. What do they offer that makes them attractive to you?
- D. Will you need recommendations from your counselor or teachers? From which teachers will you request recommendations?
- E. About Me...
 1. What three words best describe you, and why do you think they are good descriptors? (Provide detailed examples, anecdotes, etc.)
 2. What are your personal strengths? Give examples to document them.
 3. What are your academic strengths? These should be different from #2.
 4. What has been the most satisfying course you have taken? Why?
 5. Life's obstacles stimulate us to grow. Describe an obstacle and its maturing effect on you.
 6. What three things would you want a postsecondary admissions committee, scholarship committee, or military recruiter to know about you? Give examples or relate a specific anecdote to explain.
 7. Describe any cultural/travel and/or volunteer experiences and their impact on you.
 8. Which single activity has been most important to you and why? (You may choose a school-affiliated program or an independent one.)
 9. What, if anything, would you do differently if you had to experience high school again? If nothing, how have you made the most of your high school experience?
 10. Describe an incident in which you demonstrated strong character (loyalty, integrity, self-discipline, kindness, commitment to high ideals, caring for others, respect for diversity, etc.). Think outside the box – not just “cheating is not the answer.”
 11. If you had a motto to live by, what would it be and why? Don't forget the WHY and remember – Show, don't tell.
 12. If you were to write your own recommendation, what would you say in your first paragraph that would prompt your reader to read on? WRITE THE PARAGRAPH.