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Questions about college from young Maine students, answered by old Maine students.

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Q: Where do I eat at college?

A: The dining hall is a great place to eat your main course meals such as lunch and dinner. There is a cafe on campus that sells baked goods, breakfast sandwiches, coffee and snacks for an in-between class pick-me-up.

-Jenna

I eat at the dining hall for the most part! There are also lots of places in town to eat at, so once in a while, I'll do that instead of eating at the dining hall.

-Olivia

Q: Do people dress up for Halloween in college?

A: Of course! College students love a chance to get creative and take a break from studying. Many groups of friends will gather and dress up together.

-Jenna

Yes, people dress up for Halloween in college! There are always events going on around this time, like campus-wide trick-or-treating and Halloween parties that are all super fun!

-Olivia



Q: Is it scary to go to college?

A: New things can definitely be intimidating but that shouldn't scare you away from college. It can be scary at first, trying to find where your classes are and how to get access to everything on campus, but after a week or so, you really get into the hang of things.

-Jenna

No, it's not scary to go to college. College has been the best time of my life, and I love it here! It's definitely a change, but it's a change for the better.

-Olivia

Q: Where do I go if I need help with my homework?

A: Students have an endless amount of support and resources when it comes to needing help. On campus we have access to tutors, study groups, writing centers if you need help writing, and so much more. Your professors are there to help you as well and offer many one on one office hours for help outside of the classroom.

-Jenna

There are many resources on campus if you need help with homework. There are typically TAs and tutors that can be super helpful. You can also work with classmates on challenging homework assignments.

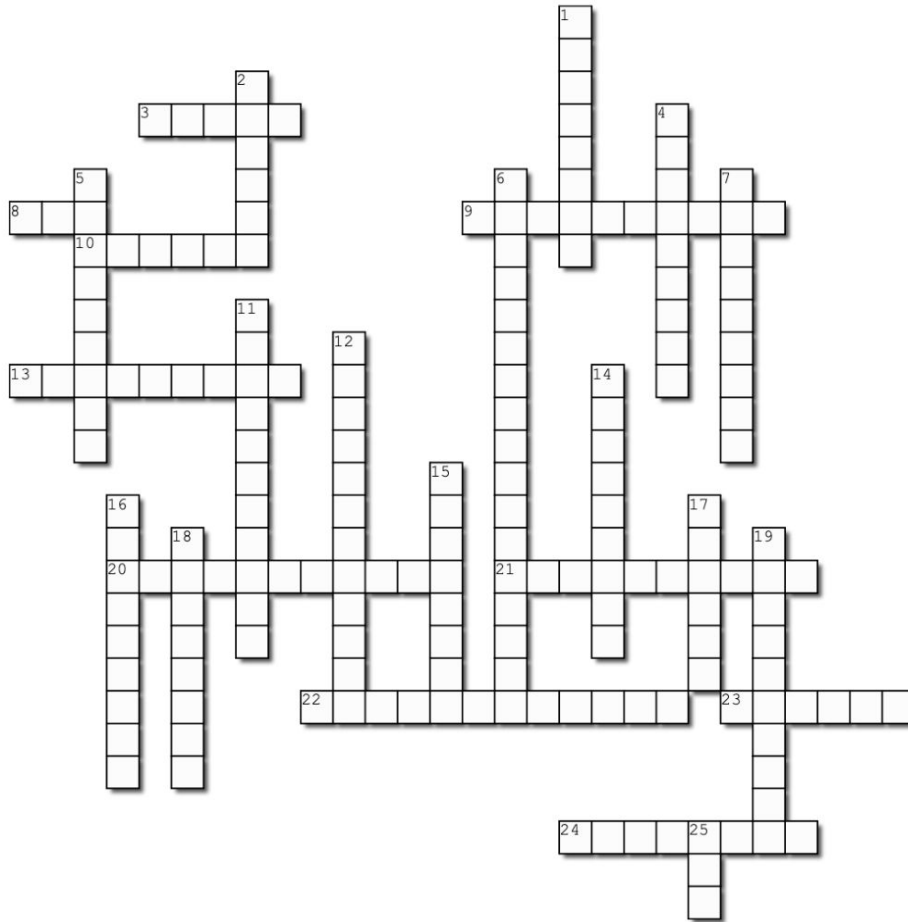
-Olivia

That feeling when it's almost Halloween & you finished your FAFSA!



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October 2022 Crossword



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Across

- 3. state of the Longhorns
- 8. advanced business degree
- 9. town of Colby College
- 10. town where you'll find Washington County Community College
- 13. where to purchase school supplies and some textbooks
- 20. home state of RISD
- 21. where Barack Obama began college
- 22. college major in the study of dinosaurs and fossils
- 23. country of the University of Oslo
- 24. where Tom Brady studied before becoming a Patriot

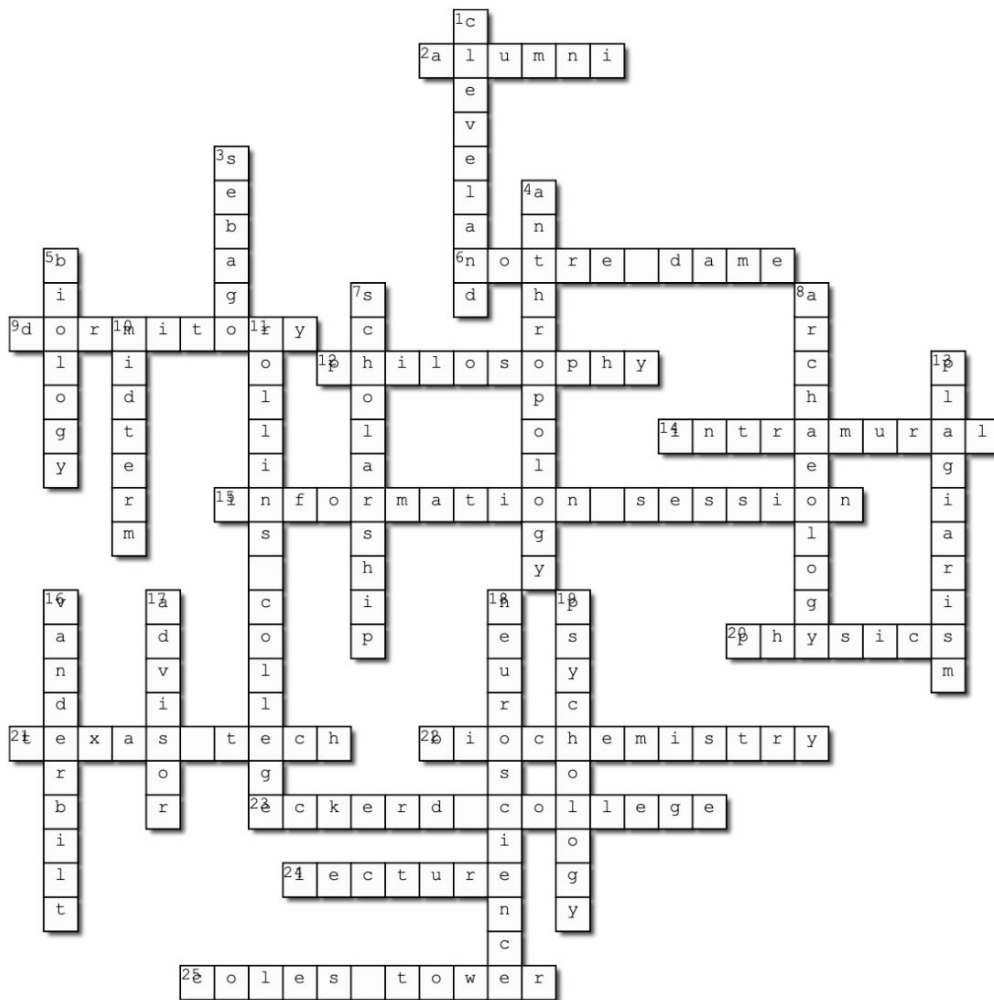
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- 1. half of a college school year
- 2. University of Florida Mascot
- 4. home state of Tulane University
- 5. four-year college degree, often grade 16
- 6. good place to study art in Maine, often called MECA
- 7. college/university that someone once attended
- 11. college of John Cena
- 12. city where University of Pennsylvania is located
- 14. college of the US army
- 15. city where you would find UCSD?
- 16. city of Worcester Polytechnic Institute
- 17. country of the University of New Brunswick
- 18. Ivy League university in NYC
- 19. state to find UCLA
- 25. plant of the league including Yale, Harvard, and Brown

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September 2022 Crossword

Complete the crossword puzzle below



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Across

2. Graduates of a college (**alumni**)
6. Mascot is the Fighting Irish (**notre dame**)
9. Room where students live in college (**dormitory**)
12. The study of contemplating knowledge, reality, and existence (**philosophy**)
14. Sports teams or clubs that are organized within one college (**intramural**)
15. Event hosted at a college for prospective students to learn about it (**information session**)
20. The study of matter, energy, and the universe (**physics**)
21. College of Patrick Mahomes (**texas tech**)
22. The study of the chemistry of biological organisms (**biochemistry**)
23. Liberal arts college in St. Petersburg, Florida (**eckerd college**)
24. An educational talk given to students by a professor (**lecture**)
25. Bowdoin College Dormitory once the tallest building in Maine (**coles tower**)

Down

1. The city where Case Western Reserve University is located (**cleveland**)
3. Lake next to St. Joseph's College in Maine (**sebago**)
4. The scientific study of human culture and society (**anthropology**)
5. The study of living organisms (**biology**)
7. Grant (free money) given to students with financial need, academic or athletic merit (**scholarship**)
8. Study of ancient ruins and artifacts (**archaeology**)
10. A large exam taken in the middle of the semester (**midterm**)
11. Mr. Rogers graduated from this college in Florida (**rollins college**)
13. The unethical practice of copying another person's work and submitting it as your own (**plagiarism**)
16. Major university in Nashville, Tennessee (**vanderbilt**)
17. A professor that helps guide an individual student's course of study (**advisor**)
18. The study of neurons, the nervous system, and the brain (**neuroscience**)
19. The scientific study of the human mind (**psychology**)