WESTMINSTER SCHOOL COLLEGE COUNSELING
FIFTH FORM PARENTS' QUESTIONNAIRE

Please fill out and return by January 10, 2020 by mail to
Jane Toner, Westminster School, 995 Hopmeadow St., Simsbury, CT 06070
or via email at jtoner@westminster-school.org
Thank you.

STUDENT'S NAME: _____________________________

Parent filling out this questionnaire: _____________________________

PLEASE CHECK:
___ I /We DO plan to attend Westminster's January 18, 2020 college program.

___ I /We DO NOT plan to attend Westminster's January 18, 2020 college program.

Names of those attending: _____________________________

PARENT INFORMATION

Parent 1

Name: _____________________________

__Mother  __Father  __Other

Address: _____________________________

City, State, Zip________________________

Email Address: _____________________________

Occupation__________________________

Employer____________________________

College_____________________________

Degree_____________________________

Graduate School_____________________

Degree_____________________________

Parent 2

Name: _____________________________

Mother  __Father  __Other

Address: _____________________________

City, State, Zip________________________

Email Address: _____________________________

Occupation__________________________

Employer____________________________

College_____________________________

Degree_____________________________

Graduate School_____________________

Degree_____________________________
Your involvement in the college admissions process is essential. To help us get a better sense of which colleges might be a good match for your daughter or son, please answer the following questions and return this form to us as soon as possible. Your comments and thoughts will be greatly appreciated.

Is this your first child to go through the college admissions process? __________

What words come to mind when you are describing your child?

Please describe your child's special abilities and interests, both academic and non-academic.

Is there an anecdote you can share that may illustrate these qualities?

Are there any outside factors which may have affected your child's level of academic achievement (learning differences, illness, death/illness of a close friend or relative)? Please inform us if you would like to keep this information confidential.
Is there anything we should know about your child or your family circumstances which relate to his/her going to college (English as a second language, English not spoken at home, first in family to go to college)?

What kind of colleges and programs do you feel would be appropriate for your son or daughter? (Example: Do you feel your child would benefit from a liberal arts setting, a university setting, a specialized program in engineering?)

Do you have any particular geographical locations/limitations in mind?

Do you have any specific colleges that you are interested in exploring with your child?

Do you or other family member(s) have a special relationship with any particular college? Please explain.
Do you feel that your child has a special interest or talent that will place geographic or other limitations as to the type of school he/she will consider (examples: intercollegiate ice hockey and squash are regional sports. Architecture and Astronomy are not offered at many liberal arts colleges)?

Does your child communicate well with you, passing along pertinent information concerning dates, deadlines, and programs which involve Westminster students?

Looking to the summer months, will you and your child be able to visit college campuses? If not, will there be a time that your child will be able to visit? (Please note that many colleges view the campus visit as an essential part of the application process.)

What specific concerns do you have as you enter the college admissions process with your child?

Do you plan to apply for financial aid?  _______Yes _______No

Other Comments: