

# Extracurricular Activities – Life Outside the Classroom

## Activity # 26

Use these two websites to learn about extracurricular activities as you answer the following questions.

[www.collegeboard.com/student/plan/high-school/113.html](http://www.collegeboard.com/student/plan/high-school/113.html)  
<http://collegeapps.about.com/od/theartofgettingaccepted/f/what-is-an-extracurricular-activity.htm>

1. T F Colleges are only interested in how you perform in the classroom.
2. Colleges are looking for a \_\_\_\_\_ to and a \_\_\_\_\_ for an activity outside the academic setting. They are looking for \_\_\_\_\_ more than \_\_\_\_\_.
3. T F Colleges want to see your individuality and your long term commitment in an extracurricular activity.
4. T F It is more important to belong to lots of organizations than to focus on being involved and making a difference in one or two activities.
5. What are three ways you can benefit from job experience?
6. Extracurricular \_\_\_\_\_ are anything you do that is \_\_\_\_\_ a high school or \_\_\_\_\_.
7. Most Community and \_\_\_\_\_ activities are \_\_\_\_\_.
8. List at least 3 of the **bold areas** that you are involved in. If you aren't already involved in an extracurricular activity, list 3 areas you might like to try.
9. Give me more detailed information. Briefly explain what you do/will do in the general area. This chart will be helpful when you build a future resume!

Activity	What you do/will do
Sports	Synchronized Swimming—Perform & choreograph

