

## Instructions

- ▶ Read the **characteristics for the 8 College-Going Culture Types**. Use the 1–5 scale below to rate how closely each of the characteristics matches your school.
- ▶ Add up the scores for each of the College-Going Culture Types.
- ▶ The type with the highest total score is the best fit for your school today.
- ▶ If multiple types have the same score, use the **common signs** to identify the type that most closely describes your school right now.

1	2	3	4	5
Does not describe my school at all	Describes a few aspects of my school	Describes my school somewhat accurately	Describes my school well	Describes my school almost exactly

## Interpreting Your Results

### Highest Score (17–20)

Your school strongly fits this culture type.

### Moderate Score (10–16)

Your school shows some characteristics of this type but may be in transition or have mixed practices.

### Low Score (Below 10)

This culture type does not describe your school.

## Next Steps

Review the next steps under each culture type for recommendations on how you can start effecting change at your school. Read the other types to see if there are any other changes you may want to implement. Repeat this rubric annually to track progress and identify shifts in your school's college-going culture. Involve multiple staff and compare results to create a fuller picture.