

Why I Want To Go To College

I'm a seventh grader that goes to a university model school called Brighton Academy. It is a hybrid homeschool school in Overland Park, Kansas. The school is specialized, so my parents and I can choose classes that are above or below standard grade level depending on how comfortable you are with them. For instance, I took a seventh grade level life science class, when I was a sixth grader, because I love science and it is my favorite subject. This year, I am taking Earth Space Science which is also advanced for my grade.

I think it is valuable to get a college degree because I would stand out from others that don't have a degree. A college degree would allow people to take me more seriously at a job interview and would show that I know more about that particular subject than the average person. Going to college is an investment in my future and since college is really expensive, I'm already starting to think about scholarships.

I would like to study biology in college, so I could be a wildlife or marine biologist. Ever since I was little, I was fascinated by animals, especially oceanic creatures. Having a degree in biology would certainly help me be successful in the field of biology that I choose someday. It would also help me accomplish my dream to discover a new species.

In closing, I want to go to college to get a degree in biology. Thank you to NEST and Omaha Storm Chasers Baseball Club for sponsoring this essay contest. If selected, I hope to use the two thousand dollars to buy books for college since they are so expensive. Thank you so much!