

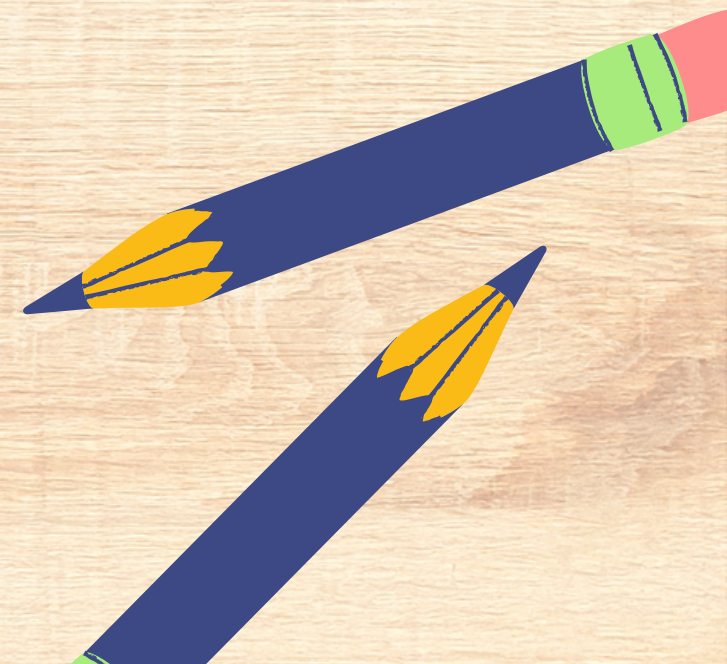
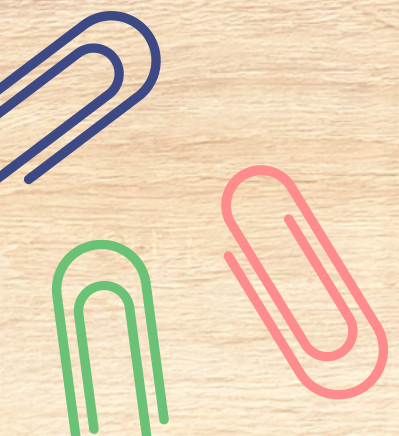


HOW TO USE BIGFUTURE

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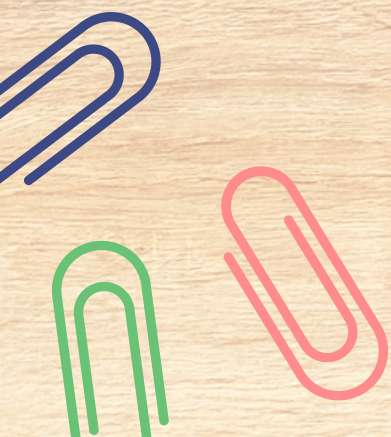
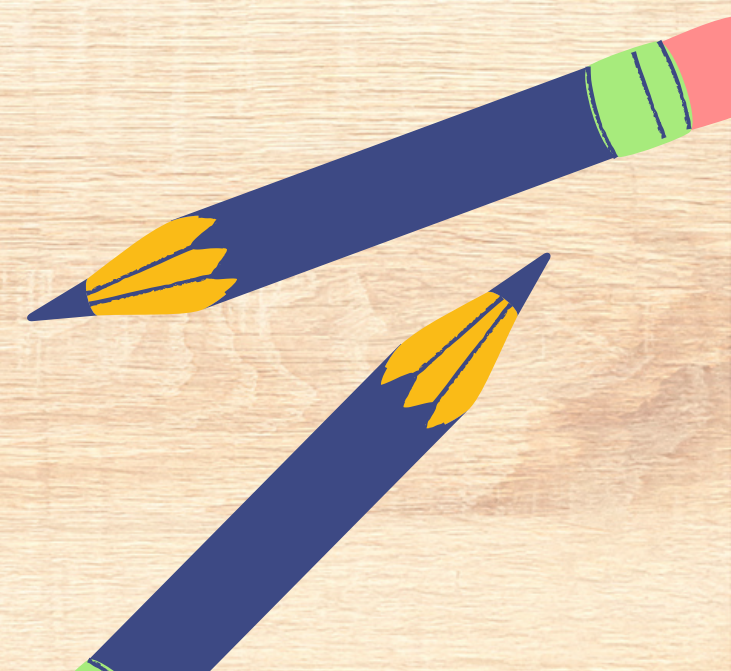
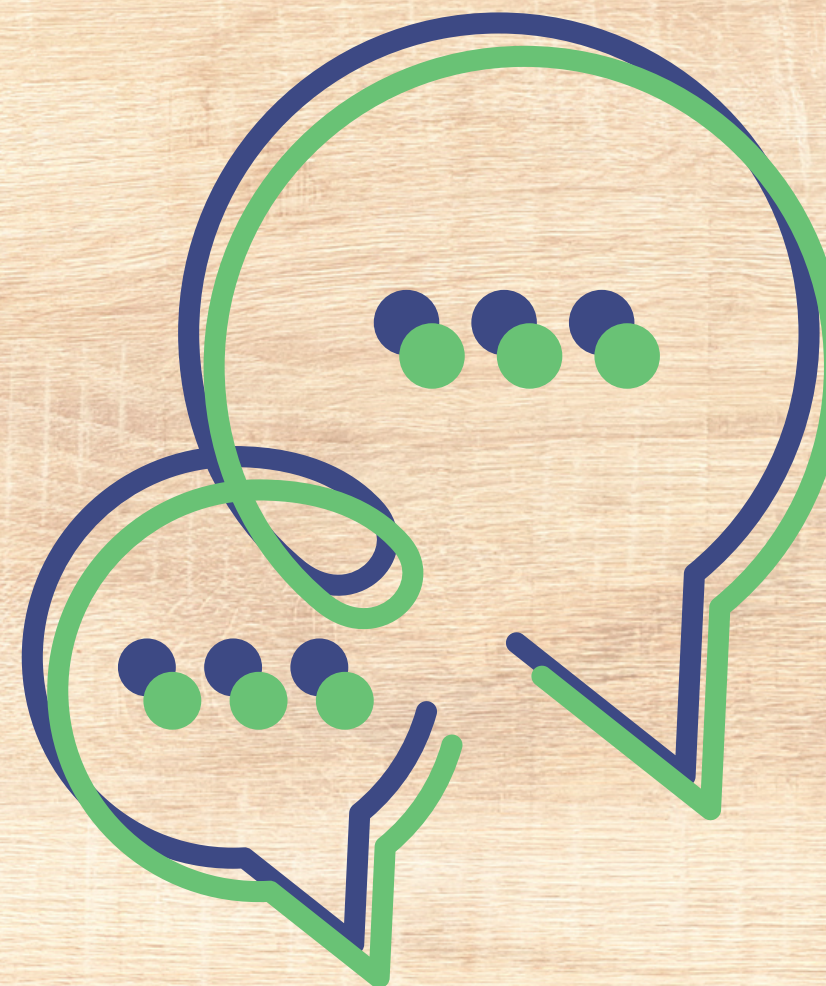
Who is BigFuture?

BigFuture is a website that is supported by College Board, the same organization that creates AP courses and the SAT exam.



What kind of information can I learn on BigFutures website?

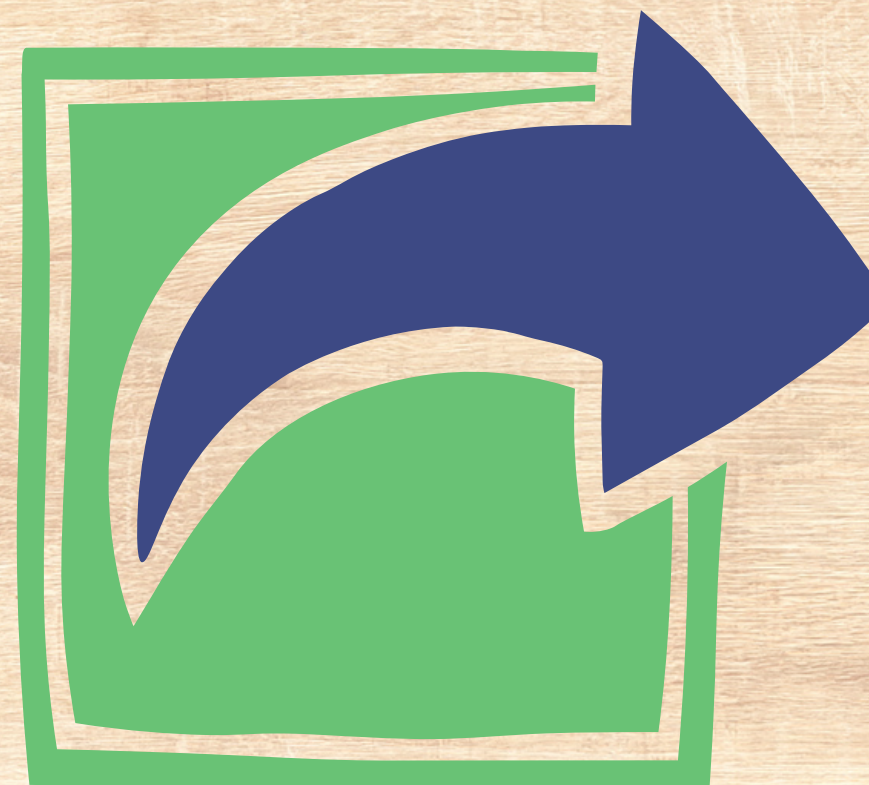
**You can learn about
colleges, academic programs,
careers, scholarship
opportunities, and more.**



Where is BigFuture?

BigFuture is a free website that
can be accessed here:

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/>



When is a good time to use BigFuture?

You can sign up for a free profile on BigFuture at anytime. The earlier you start, the more information you can gather as you prepare.

Once you create a profile, you can save your search results and share them with your parents, family, and/or caretakers.

As you narrow down your searches and create your list of your top 3-5 schools, you can review pertinent information from BigFuture to help you begin the application process.

How do I get started with BigFuture?

**Check out these helpful
steps on how to get started
with the website.**

Let's start!



Your Future, Your Way

Plan for College and Career.

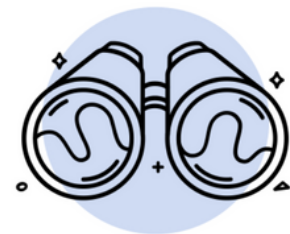
Sign In

Create an Account



See Your Options

What do you want to do after high school? Answer questions to help you make a plan.



Career Quiz

Use your passions and interests to get matched with possible career paths.

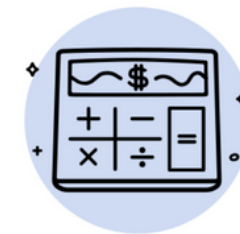
Take the Career Quiz



College Quiz

Are you looking for a big school? Something close to home? Find what schools are right for you.

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Scholarship Quiz

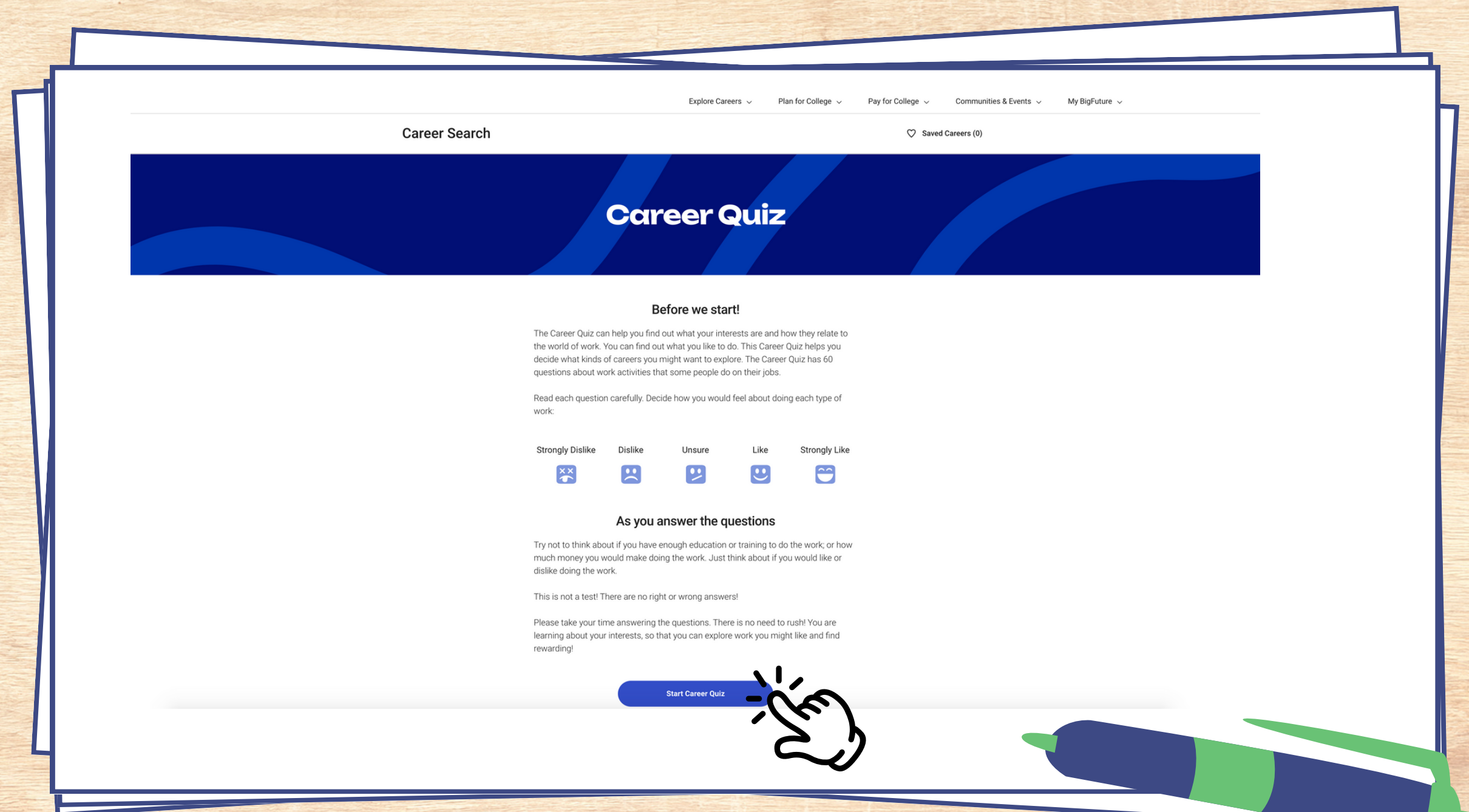
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You can start a search or you can sign up for a free profile.

If you choose to sign up,
you can save all of your
search histories and review
them later as needed. It is
free to sign up.

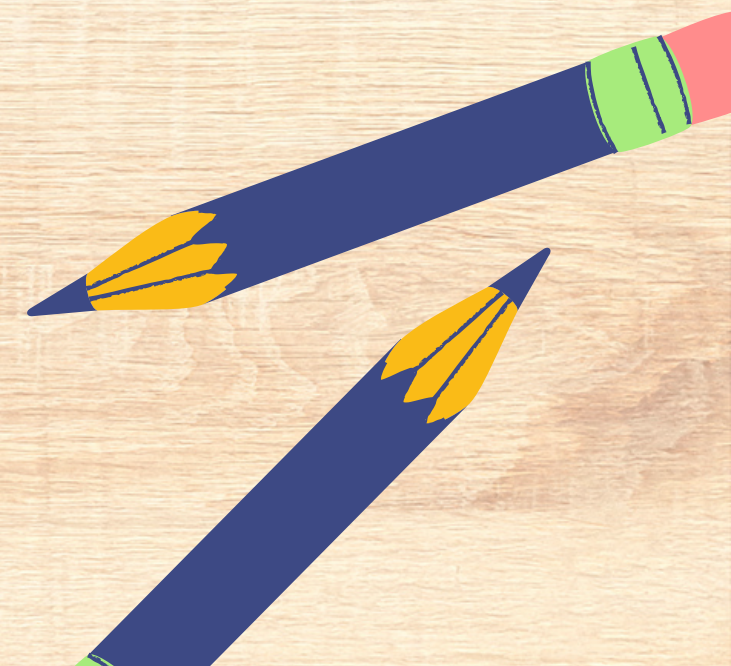
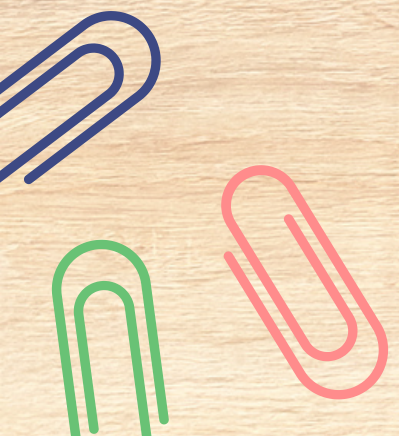
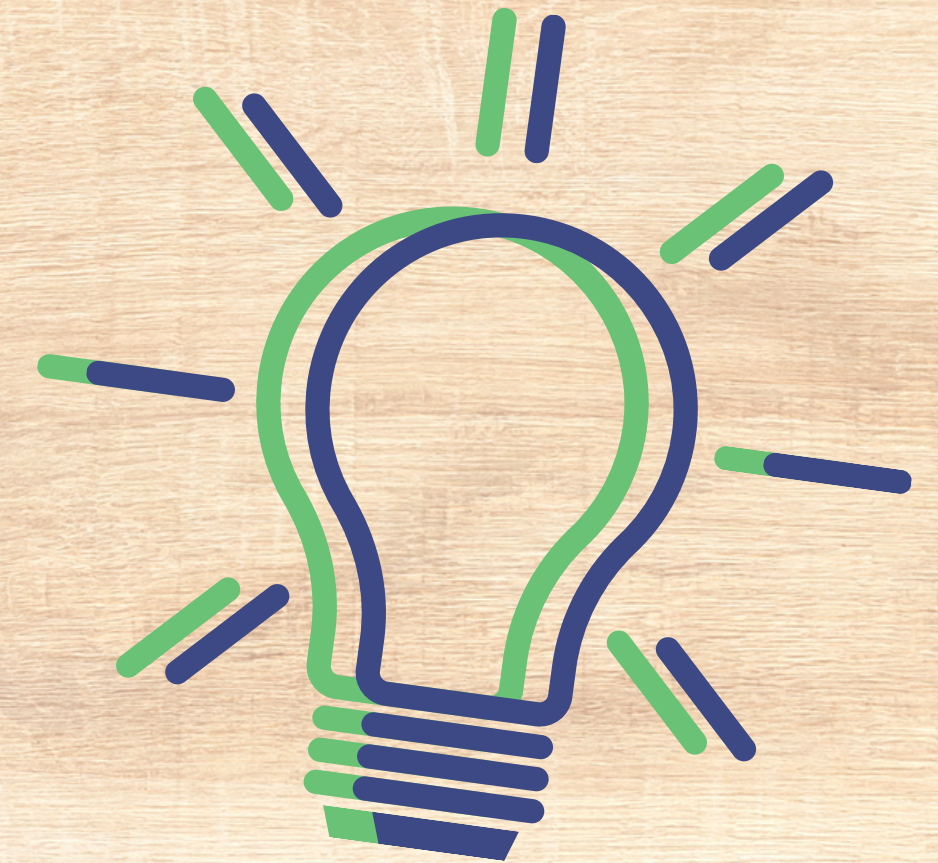


You can take a career quiz and search for careers that might work well with your interests and personality.

You can search for and compare colleges and academic programs.

You can filter your searches based on specific criteria that is important to you.

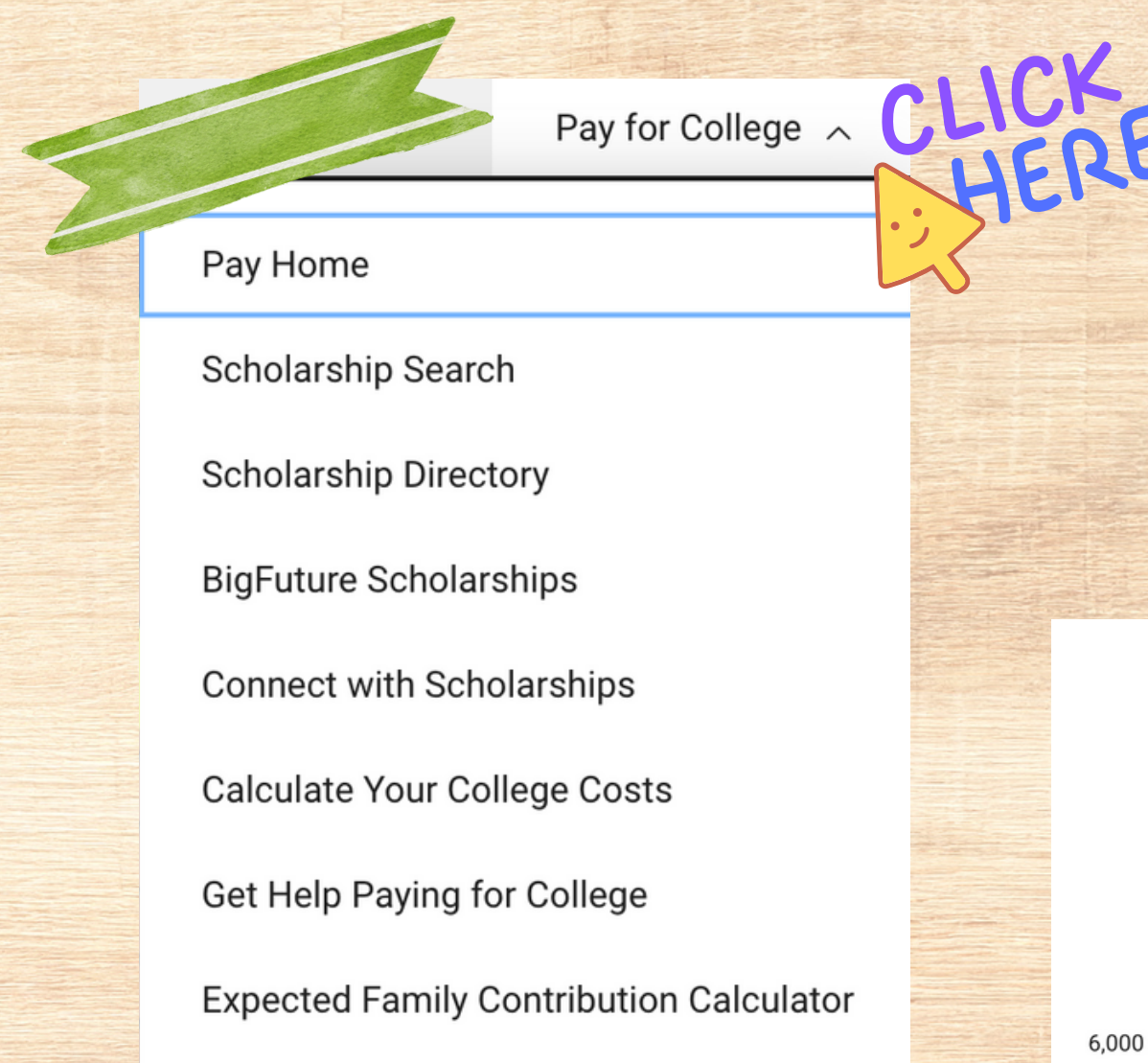
The screenshot shows the BigFuture website's College Search interface. At the top left is the BigFuture logo. To the right are links for 'Sign In' and a search bar. Below these are navigation links: 'Explore Careers', 'Plan for College', 'Pay for College', 'Communities & Events', and 'My BigFuture'. The main section is titled 'College Search' and features a search input field with the placeholder text 'Search by college name' and a heart icon with the number '0'. Below the search field are several filter buttons: 'Majors', 'Location', 'Type', 'Affordability', 'Campus Life', 'Credit', 'Admissions', 'Reach, Match, Safety', and 'Degrees'. The 'Location' button is highlighted with a green border. Below the filters is a section titled 'Get matched with colleges' with a small icon of a college building, the text 'Get a list of colleges that match your interest with our personalized college quiz', and a 'Match me' button. At the bottom, there is a heading 'Find the Right Colleges for You' and the text 'Use the filters to narrow your search and explore colleges.'



Learn about scholarship opportunities!

Check out the “Pay For College” tab at the top of the website to learn more about ways to discover scholarship opportunities.

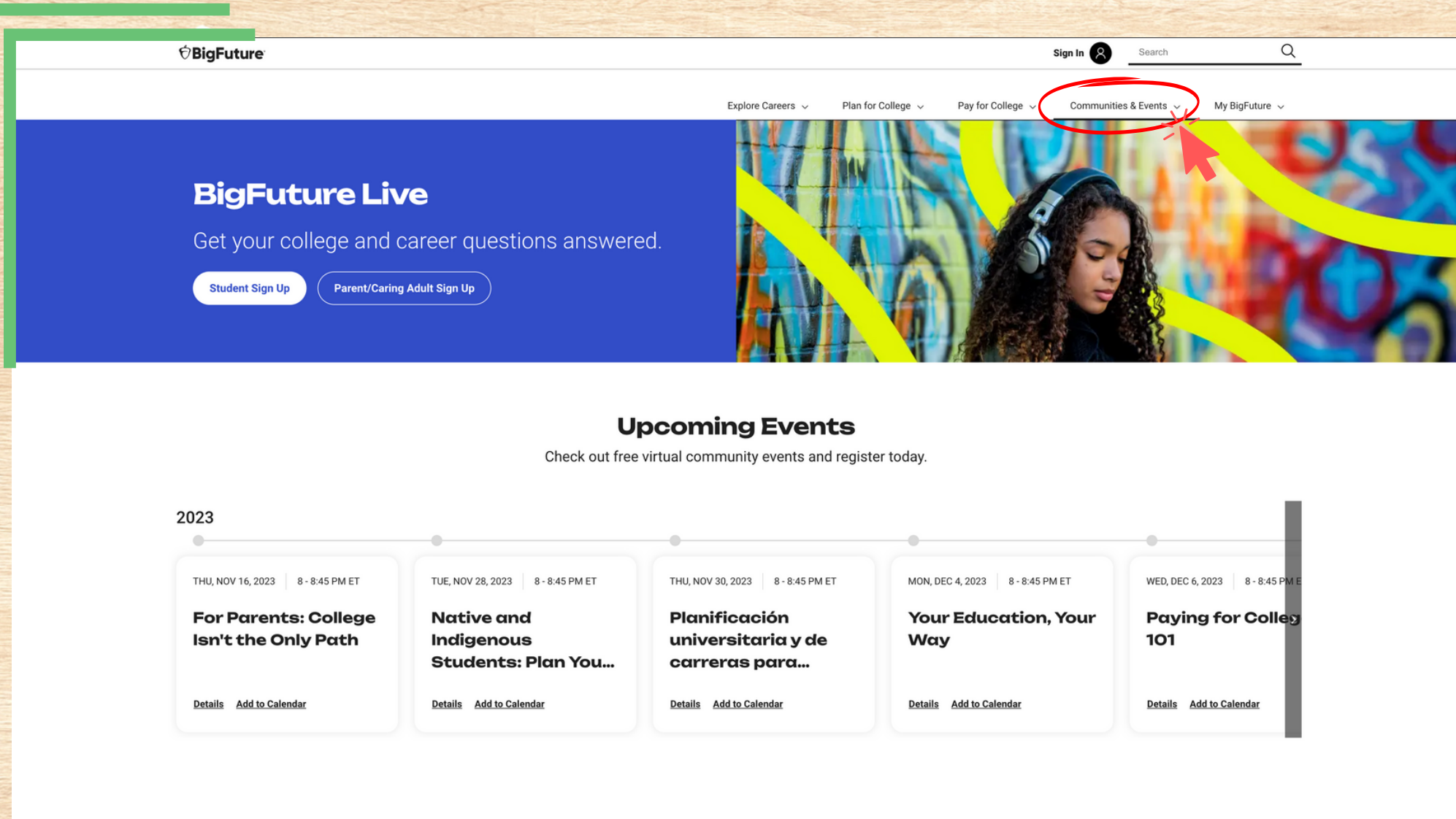
You can also take a scholarship quiz to help get started on your search.



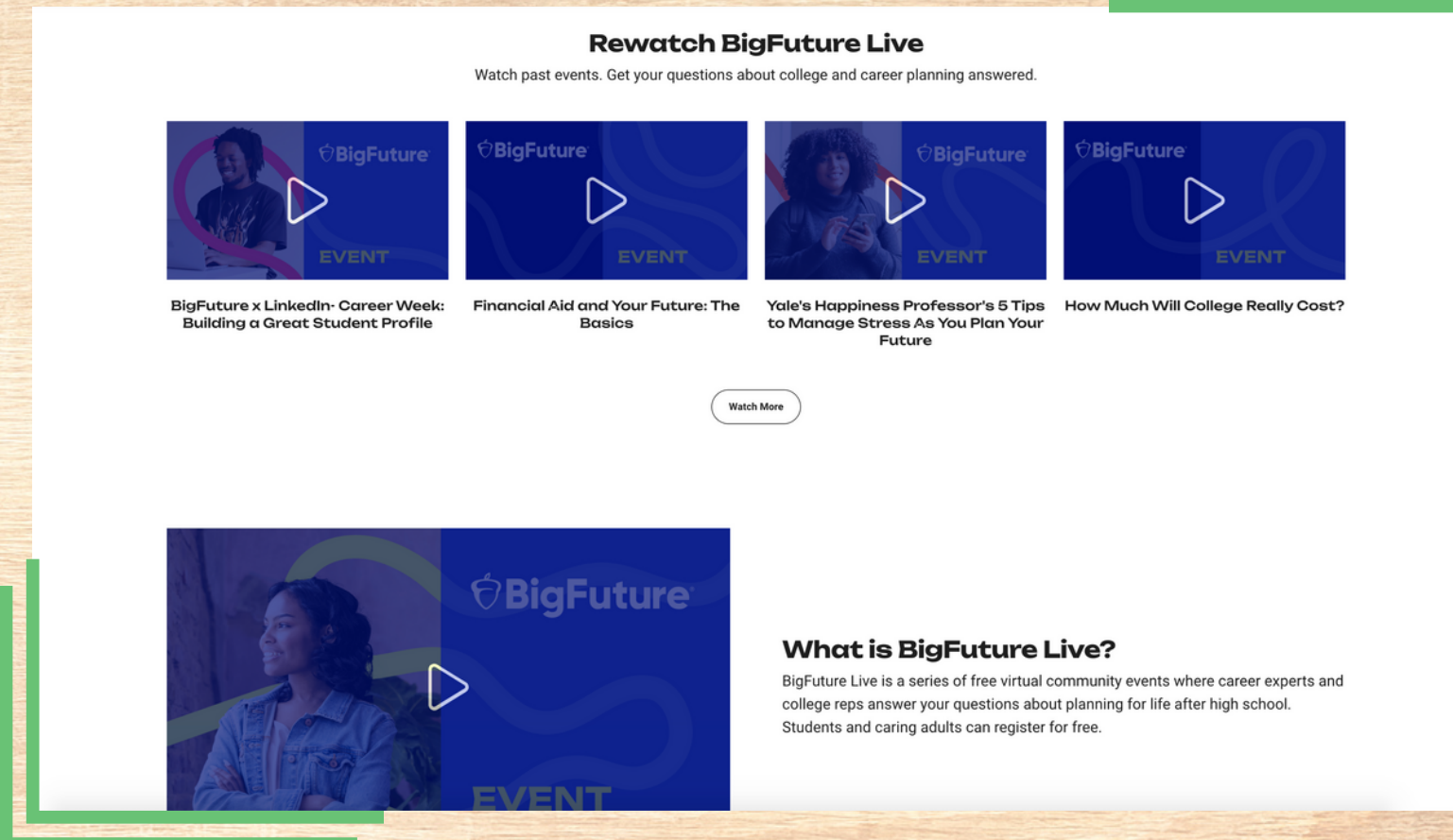
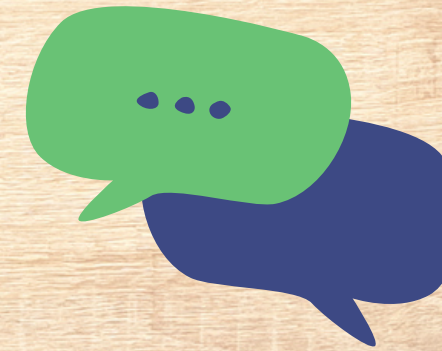
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Register for free virtual webinars about college and career planning at BigFuture Live.



The screenshot shows the BigFuture website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the BigFuture logo on the left and 'Sign In' and 'Search' on the right. Below the navigation bar, there are several menu items: 'Explore Careers', 'Plan for College', 'Pay for College', 'Communities & Events', and 'My BigFuture'. The 'Communities & Events' menu item is circled in red, and a red arrow points to it. Below the navigation bar, there is a large blue banner with the text 'BigFuture Live' and 'Get your college and career questions answered.' There are two buttons: 'Student Sign Up' and 'Parent/Caring Adult Sign Up'. Below the banner, there is a section titled 'Upcoming Events' with the subtitle 'Check out free virtual community events and register today.' The events are listed in a timeline format for the year 2023. The events include: 'For Parents: College Isn't the Only Path' (THU, NOV 16, 2023, 8 - 8:45 PM ET), 'Native and Indigenous Students: Plan You...' (TUE, NOV 28, 2023, 8 - 8:45 PM ET), 'Planificación universitaria y de carreras para...' (THU, NOV 30, 2023, 8 - 8:45 PM ET), 'Your Education, Your Way' (MON, DEC 4, 2023, 8 - 8:45 PM ET), and 'Paying for College 101' (WED, DEC 6, 2023, 8 - 8:45 PM ET). Each event card includes a 'Details' link and an 'Add to Calendar' button.



The screenshot shows the 'Rewatch BigFuture Live' section of the website. The title is 'Rewatch BigFuture Live' and the subtitle is 'Watch past events. Get your questions about college and career planning answered.' Below the title, there are four video thumbnails, each with a play button icon and the word 'EVENT' in yellow. The thumbnails are: 'BigFuture x LinkedIn: Career Week: Building a Great Student Profile', 'Financial Aid and Your Future: The Basics', 'Yale's Happiness Professor's 5 Tips to Manage Stress As You Plan Your Future', and 'How Much Will College Really Cost?'. Below the thumbnails, there is a 'Watch More' button. At the bottom of the section, there is a larger video thumbnail with a play button icon and the word 'EVENT' in yellow. To the right of this thumbnail, there is a section titled 'What is BigFuture Live?' with the text: 'BigFuture Live is a series of free virtual community events where career experts and college reps answer your questions about planning for life after high school. Students and caring adults can register for free.'

Access BigFuture Live by clicking on the “Communities and Events” tab at the top of the website.

There are resources for students, parents, and educators.