

Ethan Ris & Associates

COLLEGE ADMISSIONS COUNSELING

School-based guidance counselors are often some of the hardest working and dedicated educators in a high school. But their large caseloads and broad job responsibilities often detract from their ability to give students the individual attention and tailored assistance that they need in the post-secondary planning process.

Ethan Ris & Associates offers individualized, comprehensive college admissions counseling, from the college search to the financial aid process. Our goal is to match motivated students with colleges, universities, and alternative programs that suit their needs and interests — and then provide them with the tools to get there.

The college admissions process is almost always the most daunting and consequential set of decisions and actions a young person has ever undertaken. We believe that students must take responsibility for charting their own paths, but we are here to help them along the way.

Services include guidance for:

- Comprehensive college search process
- High School summer program planning and applications
- Personal Statement writing
- Application Completion
- Financial Aid and Scholarship Applications
- Final Decision Process

Pricing:

- In-person counseling sessions: \$85/hour
- Phone and email sessions: \$80/hour
- There is never a charge for brief phone and email contact
- Hourly rates are billed at 15-minute increments
- Reduced rates considered for special circumstances

About Ethan Ris.

Ethan Ris was the college guidance counselor at The Met High School in Providence, RI, before relocating to San Francisco to start Ethan Ris & Associates. He is a *magna cum laude* graduate of Brown University. In addition to his counseling business, he is the founder and author of Admission-sWire.com, an online college admissions news source.

Ethan is a member of the Western Association for College Admission Counseling (WACAC).

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