Session 3

• Student Engagement

An engaged student is a motivated student. Mentors can help students connect their co-curricular and curricular learning and find incentives for students to do their best in each area.
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The retention literature clearly indicates that students who feel a sense of belonging and involvement at the institution are more likely to be successful in the classroom and happier with their collegiate experiences. Ideally, you will create opportunities to interact with both faculty and other students outside the classroom setting. How are you going to become involved?

**Current activities you are involved in outside of class:**

**Activities you are interested in pursuing:**

**Opportunities:**

- Study abroad: Would you be interested in studying abroad? If so, where?

- Undergraduate research: If you could research a topic, what would it be?

- Service Learning: Would you be interested in participating in service learning? If so, what kind?

- Are there other opportunities you are interested in pursuing?

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Trying to find your place at college can be challenging. Luckily, there are many opportunities for you to connect with leaders and professional staff to explore your interests and passions on TCU’s campus.

www.studentorgs.tcu.edu

Fraternity and Sorority Life
www.greeks.tcu.edu
Multipurpose Building, Suite 209
817-257-7281

Religious & Spiritual Life
www.faith.tcu.edu
Jarvis Hall, 1st Floor
817-257-7830

Community Involvement & Service Learning
www.involved.tcu.edu
Jarvis Hall, 2nd Floor
817-257-5557

Student Government
www.sga.tcu.edu
BLUU Student Activities Suite

Inclusiveness & Intercultural Services
www.diversity.tcu.edu
Jarvis Hall, 2nd Floor
817-257-5557

Student Activities
www.studentactivities.tcu.edu
what2do.tcu.edu
BLUU Student Activities Suite

Club Sports
www.campusrec.tcu.edu
Campus Recreation Center
817-257-7529

Leadership Center
www.leadership.tcu.edu
BLUU Suite 2003
817-257-7855

Student Development Services
www.sds.tcu.edu
BLUU Suite 2003
817-257-7855

Don’t forget to check out the organizations hosted by your college, department or major!
Additional Questions
Student Engagement

• What were you involved in during high school?
• What are your current co-curricular activities?
• What opportunities are you looking for in college?
• What kinds of experiences have you had, in your area of interest, and what did you like/not like about it?
• What are some things you can get involved with now?
• How do your current activities/talents help you move toward your future goals?
• What skills do you need to develop?
• Who can you network with?
• Do you know anyone in the field with whom you can job shadow or intern?
• How could social networking assist you in achieving your dream?
• What can you get involved with now to prepare you for your future?
• What types of volunteer experience have you had to help you reach your career goals?