



TODAY'S THEME IS

#CollegeGearDay

**We're promoting a college-going culture.
Share college knowledge
and show off your school spirit!**

THREE WAYS YOU CAN PARTICIPATE TODAY

1) Wear your college gear, snap a photo, and post it on social media with #CollegeGearDay!



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2) Share [College Knowledge](#) materials with your students so they have all the info they need on different education pathways, financial aid, application processes, and more!

3) Decorate your classroom door with your own college pathway! It can be as simple as filling out [this printout](#) or as elaborate as this Alpac Elementary School (Auburn School District) door:



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October 23, 2017 · 🌐



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PATHWAYS BEYOND HIGH SCHOOL

Each day this week, we'll share #beyondhighschool journeys of local alumni, plus their expert insights about exploring college and career opportunities! Consider sharing these printable pages with your students each day of DiscoverU: [College Gear Day insights](#) and [more stories from former students](#).

MARIE'S JOURNEY

Franklin High School
(Seattle Public Schools)
Class of 2010



"I went to Scripps College and studied English and Philosophy. My favorite part of college was the community that I built around me who continue to be there to lift each other up as we change careers or try new passions."

NOW :

"I work at the University of Washington, Evans School of Public Policy & Governance. I help to recruit a more diverse graduate student population for our program and work to create a more inclusive community in our program."

MARIE'S ADVICE FOR STUDENTS:

"Be okay with not knowing everything about anything, including what you want to do with your life. No one's path is straight and it may take a few turns before you finally feel like you're on the right journey. Enjoy the wrong turns, because that will ultimately make who you aspire to become."

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DiscoverU encourages our community to come together and promote college and career exploration for the region's youth. Teachers, school staff, and community partners lead fun and engaging activities in school and the community that help students think about their futures. DiscoverU puts student interests at the center and helps connect their aspirations with the many pathways to get there.

