

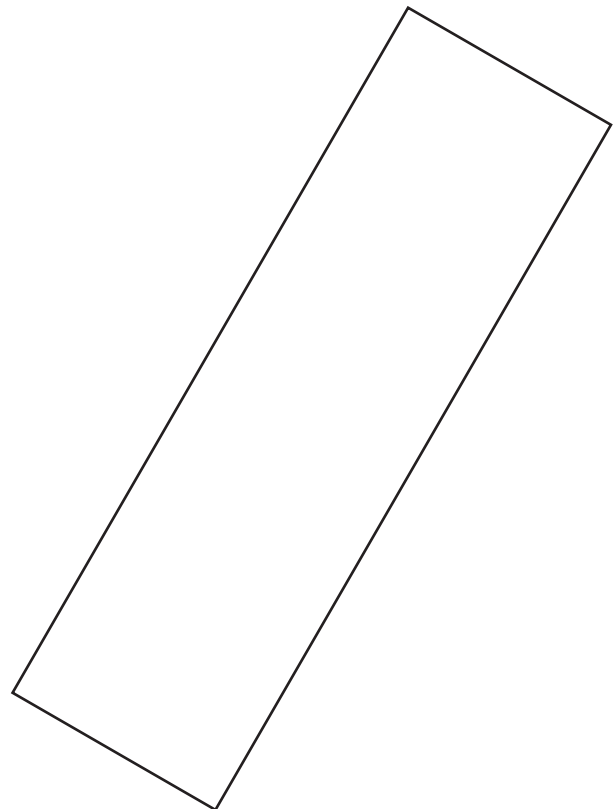
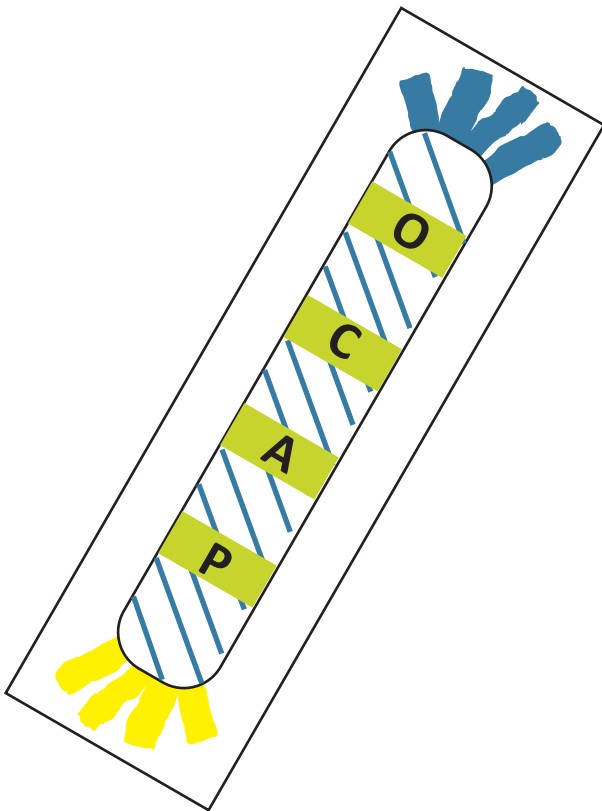
Let's Go to College: School Spirit (4th & 5th Grade)

No matter which college you choose, you'll find school spirit there. Some schools show their spirit by celebrating chosen days, wearing certain clothes or decorating specified items. One item you could decorate is a spirit stick. A spirit stick is something people use to help the crowd cheer louder at sporting events. Something else you could decorate to show your spirit is your dorm room. A dorm room is your personal bedroom where you can stay while attending college. You can study, eat and relax in this space.

Make Your Own Spirit Stick

Instructions: There is a basketball game next Thursday and your class is in charge of bringing the spirit stick. Decorate your own spirit stick to help you prepare for the one your class will use at the game.

EXAMPLE



Dorm Room Decoration

Instructions: You can have so much fun living in a dorm room. Part of the fun is decorating it. Practice designing your future dorm room by decorating the one below. Be sure to include some school spirit in your designs. Don't forget to include a bed and a desk!

The drawing area is a large rectangle divided horizontally into two sections. The top section is white, and the bottom section is shaded gray. In the upper right quadrant of the white section, there is a 2x2 grid of squares, likely representing a window or a door.

School Types

Instructions: There are different types of colleges that students can attend. Whether it's big, small or medium in size, you have many college options. Read the descriptions of the various types of colleges. Then decide which type of college each student attends.

Community College – A college that has a small student body, focuses on career preparation for students and offers little variety in courses. Classrooms at these colleges usually hold 15 – 30 students.

Regional University – A college that has a mid-size student body, focuses on teaching and public service and offers a variety of courses. Classrooms at these colleges usually hold 30 – 50 students.

Research University – A college that has a large student body, offers a wide variety of courses and focuses on doing research projects. Classrooms at these college usually hold 50 – 200 students.



Elizabeth attends Connors State College in Warner, Oklahoma. Her school offers a small variety of courses and she has 18 students in her class. What type of college does she attend?



Dorian attends Oklahoma State University in Stillwater, Oklahoma. His school is very big and does many research projects. What type of college does he attend?



LeAnn attends Southeastern Oklahoma State University in Durant, Oklahoma. Her school focuses on teaching students and she has 36 students in her class. What type of college does she attend?



Oscar attends Rogers State University in Claremore, Oklahoma. His school has a mid-size student body and does a lot of public service in the community. What type of college does he attend?

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Rocco attends Western Oklahoma State College in Altus, Oklahoma. His school has a small student body and is preparing him to become a professional pilot. What type of college does he attend?



The UNIVERSITY of OKLAHOMA

Mariah attends the University of Oklahoma in Norman, Oklahoma. Her school offers a wide variety of courses and she has 177 students in her class. What type of college does she attend?



Stacy attends Langston University in Langston, Oklahoma. Her school focuses on teaching students and does public service projects in the community. What type of college does she attend?



Anson attends Seminole State College in Seminole, Oklahoma. His school is preparing him to become a physical therapist assistant and he has 20 students in his class. What type of college does he attend?