

Recruit, retain and empower College Possible students on your campus

Our Connects partner institutions are committed to closing the college degree divide. Each customized partnership is adapted to your institution's goals and regional student needs to support the college recruitment, retention and degree completion of College Possible students on your campus. Connects offers three partnership levels: **Explore**, **Bridge** and **Collaborate**.



**AS AN EXPLORE PARTNER,
YOUR INSTITUTION RECEIVES:**

- ✓ Contact information of students who visited your campus
- ✓ Early access opportunities to high school juniors
- ✓ Direct outreach opportunities to high school seniors
- ✓ Campus visit assistance

Explore Partners

RECRUIT College Possible students via hosted campus visits

Campus visits play an important role in ensuring a student's best-fit college match. As an Explore partner, your institution gains direct, early recruitment access to College Possible high school juniors and seniors by providing a hosted campus visit. Help students explore their college options and find their best college fit.

Bridge Partners

RETAIN College Possible students through graduation

As a Bridge partner, your institution gains a direct recruitment and retention pathway to College Possible students. We connect our students to your existing student success resources, helping them better understand, navigate and use more of these on-campus and community tools. We also serve as your strategic student retention partner, with designated opportunities to strategize methods to keep every College Possible student on track through degree completion.

**AS A BRIDGE PARTNER,
YOUR INSTITUTION RECEIVES:**

- ✓ Contact information for prospective College Possible students
- ✓ One strategy meeting per semester to explore creative recruitment and retention methods
- ✓ Annual College Possible student progress impact report



Collaborate Partners

EMPOWER College Possible students through supportive peer groups and on-campus relationships

Students with a strong sense of belonging fare better academically, and research shows that students of color and first-generation students generally start their college journey with a lower sense of belonging on college campuses. As our most robust Connects partnership, Collaborate partners are matched with a designated, on-campus coach to help College Possible students create on-campus networks via study groups and other supportive, structured environments. We also help optimize the use of your career services programming to support College Possible students' as they transition from graduation into a career.

AS A COLLABORATE PARTNER, YOUR INSTITUTION RECEIVES:

- ✓ A dedicated campus-based college coach matched to enrolled College Possible students
- ✓ Tailored campus events and success programming to optimize existing student retention and support services
- ✓ Dedicated meetings to explore creative methods to further students' sense of belonging and community

Explore a Connects partnership now

We're eager to explore how a College Possible Connects partnership can empower more first-generation students and students from low-income backgrounds within your school on their path to a college degree. Contact our College Success team at MNinfo@CollegePossible.org today to schedule an informational meeting with our team.



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