

# KnowHow2GONEbraska

College students helping 8th, 9th and 10th grade students KnowHow2GO to college

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## ABOUT

### KnowHow2GO

Department of Education studies show that 8 out of 10 students expect to earn a bachelor's degree—but few know what it takes to prepare for college. *KnowHow2GO* took the extensive college planning to-do list and created four simple steps students can follow.



## The 4 STEPS

**STEP 1** **Be a *pain* – in a good way.**

Find an adult to help you!

**STEP 2** **Push yourself.**

Take tough courses in high school.

**STEP 3** **Find the *right* fit.**

Explore careers and research colleges.

**STEP 4** **Put your hands on some *cash*.**

Money is available, but you have to apply!

## ABOUT

### KnowHow2GONEbraska Ambassadors:

*KnowHow2GONEbraska* Ambassadors are undergraduate college students who volunteer to help middle and high school students “know how to go” to college. They present the four steps to students and share their personal stories of how they made college possible.

Ambassadors are available to help with activities for 8th, 9th and 10th grade students, such as:

- *KnowHow2GO* classroom presentation
- Classroom or small group activities from the *KnowHow2GO* Playbook
- “9th Grade Registration” presentation
- 9th grade orientation
- College visits
- College panel
- *KnowHow2GO* pep rally



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These are just a few of the many **KnowHow2GO** activities from the Playbook you can do on your own or with help from an **Ambassador**:

## ■ “What It Takes”

Use the *KnowHow2GO* “What it Takes” 60-second videos to help students understand that the hard work they apply to their favorite activities can help them get into college.

## ■ “Finding the Right Fit for College”

Help students learn about options for education beyond high school and understand that most careers require some form of postsecondary education.

## ■ “Financial Aid Basics”

Introduce students to basic financial aid terms and explain resources available to help them pay for college.

To learn how **KnowHow2GONEbraska Ambassadors** can help you with college access activities and events, contact:

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