1. Why do you want to attend this college/university? (Hint: Specific examples are always key! Your interviewer *wants* you to be as excited as they were–and are!—about their college).
2. What’s your favorite subject in high school?
3. What do you want to study in college?
4. What do you enjoy doing when you’re not in class?
5. What are three interesting things about you that I wouldn’t know from your application?
6. What’s an example of an obstacle, a failure, or a mistake that you learned from?
7. What is the most important thing you've learned in high school?
8. What do you expect to be doing ten years from now?
9. How do you define "success?"
10. What have you liked or disliked about your school? What would you change?
11. How would you describe yourself to someone who did not know you?
12. What are your strengths? Weaknesses?
13. What has been your proudest achievement so far?
14. If you could talk with anyone living (or deceased) person, whom would it be and why?
15. What events have been crucial in your life?
16. What mark do you feel you've left on your school?
17. What do you want to get out of your college experience?
18. What about you is unique?
19. What could you contribute to our college community?
20. Whom do you most admire? Why?

Tips:

* Dress professional!
* Discuss your goals and reasons for wanting to attend the college.
* Tell your “story.”
* Share information other than what the interviewer can already see on paper.
* Be confident!
* Ask questions!
* Research the college before the interview!
* Relax – you shouldn’t sound rehearsed!