

An International Student

A. Match the vocabulary items with their definitions:

Vocabulary item	Definition
the records (academic records)	1 -the amount of money you pay for participation in a programme
a grade point average (GPA)	2 -to be arranged to officially join a college (university etc)
an application form	3 -an average of all marks received for all the courses the student studied
an achievement	4 -something very good and difficult that you have succeeded in doing
a fee	5 -the information and documents about a student's career
a volunteering experience	6 -a person who continues doing something before having success despite the difficulties
persistent	7 -to improve someone's skills
to boost	8 -a form that you fill out to apply for a programme
to enrol at a college	9 -all the work you've done for free for charity or the benefit of the community

B. Fill in the gaps:

fee achievements GPA persistent an application form

1. My biggest _____ is enrolling at Harvard.
2. Oh my goodness! This _____ is too high! I can't afford it.
3. Sally is the second in a student's rank. Her _____ is 11.1.
4. I know Jilly. She is so _____ she never gives up.
5. To become a student of our college, you need to fulfil _____.

C. Choose the correct option.

My goal is ___ before I am 20 years old.		
a) to enrol at college	b) to boost	c) persistent
I have big __. I spent around 150 hours on charity projects and helping people.		
a) achievement	b) GPA	c) volunteering experience
This programme has an extremely high __. Fortunately, you can skip it if you cannot pay for it.		
a) fee	b) volunteering experience	c) records
My sister was totally ___ a year before. She couldn't stop working before her goals were not achieved.		
boost	enrolled	persistent
To apply for this programme you must fill out ___ and send your ___ from school.		
a fee, volunteering experience	an application form, achievements	an application form, records