

Real Life 101  
Guide  
College 2

In the second of two programs, our host, Lewis, continues his visit to the University of Florida. Lewis learns more about college life by interviewing a student who is involved in college athletics, a student who is president of a fraternity and a student who is in medical school. Each individual shares the ups and downs of being involved in their particular field of study and/or activity.

Viewers will learn that being a student athlete, in this case, Kim Larson, a swimmer, takes a lot of commitment and time management. She also explains that there are a wide variety of athletic opportunities on campus, including intramurals. Being on the swim team with approximately 65 other teammates, has given Kim many opportunities, including international competitions. President of his fraternity, Romano Muniz, tells Lewis that being a part of an organization, such as a fraternity provides life-long connections and friendships. Fifty percent of all students at the U of Florida belong to a fraternity or sorority. Romano appreciates how he has learned leadership, life skills that will help him beyond college. Fourth-year medical student, Raina Yehia, explains how the U of Florida has a program in the Harrell Professional Medical Center designed to help med students learn how to interact with patients, take medical histories and perform exams. This program uses actors as the patients, so that students can get practice before they work with real patients. Raina explains that medical school takes a balance of hard work, along with time for studying and life outside of school. It's learning the balance that she says has provided her with rewarding relationships that provide support and enjoyment. This program can be viewed in its entirety or in segments.

### **Websites for more information**

#### **Information Sheet on Greek Life**

From About.com: Teen Advice. Tells teens 10 things they should know about Greek life. There are also links to other sites relating to fraternities and sororities.

<http://teenadvice.about.com/od/factsheetsforteens/a/10thingsgreeks.htm>

#### **Careers in Medicine**

From the AAMC website. Provides users with many links to help students decide if a career in the medical field is for them. Assessments, articles and help finding a school.

<http://www.aamc.org/students/cim/>

#### **College Life**

From CollegeTips.com. Provides students with everything from college dorm tips to laundry tips.

<http://www.collegetips.com/>

