

## *My Tour At Wright State University*

On December 7, 2016 I took a guided tour of Wright State University. I have been on a tour at Wright State before during the summer of 2016, but the school was empty so I didn't get to see what the University looked like when it was full of students. On my second tour I went with two other friends who were interested in Wright State. We arrived at the University at 2pm and went to the Student Union to fill out our paperwork. After filling out paperwork we received a presentation given by an admissions counselor responsible for a majority of Ohio and several other states. We were then assigned a tour guide and began the tour. On the tour we were first shown Wright State's banking system and bookstore that was Barnes and Noble affiliated. After, we were shown the two different cafeterias where our guide explained the meal points system. Basically each student signs up for a meal plan to pay for food before attending. Each student has a card with a certain amount of "swipes." Each swipe is equivalent to a meal and the amount of swipes reset each week. The guide also showed us two of the three housing options, which I didn't get to see during my first visit. Wright State offers many different housing options with different room sizes and bathrooms. Also each person on the tour viewed the college of their interest. I saw the college of science and mathematics, which I had seen in my first visit. Also, since we walked across campus to see the housing options, I got to see a lot more of the campus. There were students with pumpkin smashing booths, and since my visit was before election day, there were candidate booths as well. Last, we saw the library with several floors where our guide explained the book rental system that will save me a ton of money. I will be able to rent everything; if the library doesn't have it, then I can request it from other universities. A cool fact that I learned during the tour is that Tom Hanks endorses their movie production programs. I would recommend to anyone taking a visit to Wright State that they view the housing options even if they aren't interested in living on campus.

