**TN Student Success**

**“How to Pay for College - The Right Way” with Dave Ramsey**

**Guided Reading Questions**

**Mr. Fernandez**

Please answer the following questions as you view the video “How to Pay for College:”

1. At the beginning of the video, Dave Ramsey says that Americans have racked up $1.6 trillion in college-loan debt! How many zeroes are in a trillion???
2. “The average student who graduates, graduates with $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in debt.”
3. According to Anthony O’Neal, what is the biggest “myth” of them all?
4. What percentage of college graduates walk across the stage with a “truckload of debt?”
5. What do you think they mean by saying “a kids approach to an adult’s decision?”
6. According to Rachel Cruz, what is the right mindset for making college plans?
7. “The average monthly student loan payment is $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.” Federal Reserve, 2017
8. What are the advantages of attending a trade school?
9. What does it mean to “work your way through school?” Why is this a good idea?
10. “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - term sacrifice for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - term gain.”
11. On what non-educational things are too many college students spending their loan money?
12. The average cost, including room and board, for a four-year degree at an in-state public university is $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.” The College Board, 2019