

## **Facing College Fears**

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One of the biggest transitions from high school to college is moving miles away into a building that isn't anything like home.

While some students don't mind this, for it is one of the worst fears for others.

The best way to ease those fears is to get involved at the school. "The more you get involved, the more you find people that share the same common interests," Danielle Berkman, a resident assistant at Stonehill College in Easton, said. "Once you find those people, it can become more like home."

Many institutions offer guidance counselors for students who miss their parents or are struggling with class work.

At Stonehill College, in Easton, the mission is to "strive to be a community of scholarship and faith that affirms the diversity and dignity of all of its members." The college endorses acceptance amongst all students and provides many outside activities to help students enjoy the college experience.

"There are plenty of things that you can do in college," Victoria Mello, a resident assistant at Stonehill College, said.

Stonehill College offers a wide range of clubs to join including Campus Ministry, The Good News Club, Student Government Association, and the school's newspaper.