



Instructions: Rank the characteristics below from 1 to 10, with 1 being the most important and 10 being the least.

Rank (1-10)	Neighborhood Characteristic
	How good are the schools? (http://profiles.doe.mass.edu/)
	How safe is the neighborhood?
	Is public transportation close? (https://www.walkscore.com)
	Is there appropriate childcare nearby?
	How close is it to your job? (googe.com/maps) (mbta.com)
	Will I be close enough to family and friends?
	Is it easy to park in the neighborhood?
	Are there playgrounds nearby?
	How close are the medical services that your family needs?
	Can you easily get to a grocery store?
	Are there places of worship you can join in the area?

Write in other factors that may be important to you below:		

Choose a neighborhood

When searching for a neighborhood, try to find one that includes your as many of your top choices as possible.