Home Buyer Lifestyle Checklist

To ensure the lifestyle you want and expect... Ask these questions before you buy:

Schools
What schools will my child attend?
Where are they located?
What are their test results?
What is the consensus of local parents?
Do they have the special programs necessary for my child?
How will my child get to school?
Work
How far is it to work?
How long am I willing to commute?
Are there optional routes to take to work?
If necessary, is public transportation available and convenient?





Location
What is the immediate neighborhood like?
Is it well kept?
How is traffic?
Are shopping facilities adequate and convenient?
How close are hospitals and/or medical centers?
Are churches/synagogues close?
Are police and fire protection adequate?
If important, how close is the airport?





Recreation & Activ	vities				
Does the Homeowner's Association provide recreational facilities such as:					
Golf	Tennis	Lake Access	Swimming Pool	Playgrounds	
Are there fees and regulations involved for their use?					
What additional recreational facilities are close by?					
Golf Country Clubs Tennis State Parks Hiking/Camping/Boating	Public Public		Private	Semi-Private	
YMCA/Gyms					
How available are childre	en's activities?				
Scouts					
Dance classes					
Karate					
Swimming					
Music School					
Gymnastics					
Sports Leagues					
Are there children in the	neighborhood?				
Are movies, libraries, theatre, sports complexes, museums convenient?					





Homeowner's Association & Neighborhood
Is there a Homeowner's Association?
How active are they?
Can I live with their rules and regulations?
What are their dues?
Is the community well planned and well run?
Are the following items available?
Sewage Facilities Public Water Sidewalks Septid Drainage Drainage
Are there protective zoning ordinances?
Is there any vacant land close by?
What is it zoned for?



