

11TH GRADE COLLEGE GUIDANCE CALENDAR

DECEMBER

Junior Parent College Night

- Parent questionnaires due
- Parent meetings with College Guidance
- Accommodations requests for ACT

FEBRUARY/MARCH

- Students should be registered for March SAT or April ACT if not applying test optional
- Students begin researching and visiting colleges on list
- SAT/ACT Prep should begin now for those choosing to test.
- Hypothetical Letter of Rec due
- Pre-college apps due (or find job, internship, community service, etc.)

JANUARY

- Arrange SAT or ACT prep, if you are not test optional
- Research for a summer precollege, job or internship
- LD Testing due ASAP for March SAT or April ACT
- Student college guidance meetings to create an initial list of colleges
- Start visiting colleges

APRIL

- TOEFL for international students
- Common apps and essays should be mostly completed
- Ask 2 teachers for recs (1 math or science and 1 Eng. or history)
- Deadline for most pre-college programs is now

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MAY

- Find Community Service to do this summer
- Register for June SAT/ACT if needed
- You should have 2 teachers recs, follow up to see if submitted to our office
- Focus on finals
- Essays due in class with common application
- You are doing great and most of the work is done!



12TH GRADE COLLEGE GUIDANCE CALENDAR

JULY / AUGUST

- Get outside letters of rec from job or program
- Send pre-college transcripts to our office
- Test prep for fall
- Call colleges for visits
- Register for Oct. SAT or Sept.
 ACT
- Consider ED at one college

SEPTEMBER

Senior Parent Night

- ED choice made (if applicable)
- Student meetings and college classes
- Register for SAT/ACT for late fall dates
- Add colleges to common app and begin supplements
- List of 9 apps finalized
- Be sure to submit applications to college office for edits, we will put it back in your mailbox for next class

OCTOBER

- Finalize list to 9
- Oct. 15th all EA and ED application drafts due to our office
- Finish up college visits
- In-school college visits, if applying you must attend
- Perfect common applications due to office
- Parents begin CSS forms on CB and FAFSA
- Register for Nov. SAT taking

NOVEMBER / DECEMBER

- Nov. 1st-15th: EA/ED apps. are due online
- Send Scores via online. We cannot send your scores!
- Set up college portals
- Six applications minimum due before Thanksgiving vacation.
- All applications due before midterms
- ED notifications, please contact the guidance office over break.
- Register for upcoming SAT/ACT if needed



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DECEMBER

- Notifications for EA/ED begin coming in now. Find out in your portal for that college.
- All applications due now for reg. decision
- Refocus on GPA
- First semester midterms
- Our office will be calling all ED colleges that take counselor calls. If your first choice is EA only, we will call.
- Hope for the best and plan for the worst....do you have an ED II ready to go just in case?

JANUARY

- 1st semester grades sent to colleges, no need to ask us.
- Everyone should follow-up with each college to demonstrate interest
- Artists: Work on auditions, sports, portfolios, resumes, etc.
- FAFSA should be submitted by now

FEBRUARY

- Persist & self-advocate
- Send plead letters to top choices. So important to show interest.
- Stop by if you need help.

