

College Planning Calendar for Juniors

Fall

- Keep your grades up – the next two years are very important!
- Stay involved in extra-curricular activities and community service.
- Register for the ACT or SAT.
- Learn about colleges. Look at the Web sites. Talk to friends, family, teachers, and recent grads of your school now in college.
- Take the PSAT in October.
- Make a file system (or purchase an expandable file system) to organize all the information you will receive.
- Visit colleges you are interested in.

Winter

- You will receive your senior handbook this month.
- Register for the ACT or SAT.
- Talk with graduates who are home from college.
- Continue to visit colleges.
- Keep those grades up and study hard for semester exams.

Spring

- Visit colleges and get a feel for each one.
- Develop a list of colleges that interest you. Request view books and information about scholarships, financial aid, and academic programs.
- Explore and research career possibilities and shadow when possible.
- Register for the ACT or SAT.
- Begin developing a resume.
- Consider your summer opportunities.

Summer

- Review for the ACT or SAT.
- Keep extracurricular and community services going.
- Update your resume.
- Visit colleges.
- Request applications from colleges to which you will apply.