My Roadmap to College

CollegeWorks





Develop your high school graduation plan with the help of your guidance counselor and endorsement teachers

Study a foreign language (other than English) if you are able to

Take Advanced or Pre-Ap Math

Take the **PSAT 8/9**



Take the ACT **Explore Test** after you complete Algebra

Visit college campuses -learn about admissions requirements & campus life

Check out FAFSA4Caster on fafsa.ed.gov to estimate financial aid

Check into SAT or ACT test prep courses at your school

Visit a college fair (they can be found online)

Consider potential majors, college options

Take the **PSAT**



PARENT TIPS:

- → Check homework?
- How do you engage your student?
- Who is one person that you can count on to be an ally?

learn more at educationopensdoors.org



Start building a high school résumé-save all of the awards, honors, and certificates you receive



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Maintain at least a 3.0 GPA

Make a list of your top 10 colleges and review their college admission requirements



Take the PSAT **AGAIN**

Prepare for the SAT or ACT with a test preparation

resource

Visit your counselorare on track for graduation

Sign up to take the confirm that you December ACT or the Dec./Jan. SAT



Take the ACT or SAT

Visit a college fair

FALL

Ask teachers from a recent core subject to write letters of recommendation

Select 6-8 colleges you are interested in applying to

Attend college fairs



Think of who you would like to write letters of recommendation

Create a college application

calendar



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Visit Colleges!

Complete the NCAA Clearinghouse Application

Gather more information about college scholarships and financial aid at www.fafsa.gov





Begin working on your college essays

Take the ACT or SAT **AGAIN**

Complete your Promise Pledge at DallasCounty Promise.org

Fill out the FAFSA and/or CSS/Financial Aid Profile from the College Board

Submit college applications and send your transcript to each college

Decide which college you want to attend!

Meet all deposit deadlines



Graduate!



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