

College Planning By Grade Level.

9th	10th	11th	12th
<p>Get good grades. Prepare yourself. Take challenging courses, BE INVOLVED in different activities like sports, drama, choir, student council, yearbook, Hacia Democracy, National Honor Society, Honors courses. Take advantage of Career Days. Research different careers. Get involved in community service related to career interest area. Work on the <u>Career Development eManual</u>.</p>			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take the PSAT (October). • Research different careers. • Start looking for universities. • Attend presentations by college representatives. • Visit colleges in the summer if possible. • Use <u>My College Quickstart</u> counseling tool 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Refine the list of universities you will apply to. • Be clear about all the admission requirements and application deadlines. • Meet with counselor to make an action plan. • Take SAT again (if needed). • Take TOEFL / IELTS (if needed). • Take SAT Subject Tests (if needed). • Ask teachers for reference letters. • Work on the college application essays. • Send regular applications by the universities deadlines. • Take Honors courses and AP tests. • Apply for financial aid. Look for scholarships.
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take the SAT (May). • Take the Spanish Subject Test (reading and listening) in November. • Prepare for the SAT. • Attend College Fairs (September and April). • Second semester-Meet with counselor and parents to discuss plans for college. • By the end of the year/beginning of senior year have a list of universities you will apply to. • Visit colleges. • Take Honors courses and AP tests. • Take the TOEFL / IELTS (if needed). 	