

## Step-by-Step Timeline

### FALL

- Create a professional email account (e.g. [first.last@gmail.com](mailto:first.last@gmail.com))
- Create a Google Spreadsheet with all of your College/Professional logins/pws
- Create an ACT Account @ [act.org](http://act.org)
- Create a College Board Account @ [collegeboard.org](http://collegeboard.org)
- Establish a solid routine with balance between school, extra curriculars, & being active to help you be successful.
- Attend College Fairs/Campus Preview events
- Want College Sports? Register @ [www.ncaa.org/student-athletes/future](http://www.ncaa.org/student-athletes/future)
- If you have not already done so, join clubs, sports and/or find a job
- Keep your grades up this year, (10th & 11th Grade = A-G GPA)
- Challenge yourself academically & seek support as needed
- Research careers @ [MyNextMove.org](http://MyNextMove.org) & colleges @ [BigFuture.collegeboard.org](http://BigFuture.collegeboard.org)

### WINTER

- Link your College Board Account to your Khan Account after the PSAT
- Review your PSAT results & load practice into KHAN
- Continue with your college research
- Identify potential majors for college applications
- Contact friends/family members/current seniors about their college application experience
- Sign-up to take college classes concurrently for Spring in Dec.
- Work on earning Community Service Hours

### SPRING

- Turn in College Unofficial Transcripts for any classes you took in the Fall
- Visit colleges on field trips/take virtual tours during Spring Break
- Explore summer jobs/internships to complete your Senior Internship early
- Consider college characteristics and start making a college list (public vs. private, demographics, programs, etc.)
- Select junior year classes wisely
- Sign-up to take college classes concurrently in the Summer and the Fall in May

### SUMMER

- Look through on [UC PIQs](http://UCPIQs)/Personal Statements requirements to prepare to draft them
- Prepare Educational Opportunity Program responses: [calstate.edu/sas/eop/](http://calstate.edu/sas/eop/)
- Visit more colleges/take virtual tours during Summer Break
- Manage your time so that you can relax and still be productive
- Prepare for your PSAT in the Fall

### Explore

- [www.mynextmove.org/](http://www.mynextmove.org/)
- <https://roadtripnation.com/>
- <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/>

### Practice for Tests

- [www.khanacademy.org/sat](http://www.khanacademy.org/sat)
- [www.kaptest.com/act/free/act-practice](http://www.kaptest.com/act/free/act-practice)

### Apply to Scholarships

- [Collegeboard.com](http://Collegeboard.com)
- [Fastweb.com](http://Fastweb.com)
- [Unigo.com](http://Unigo.com)
- [www.goingmerry.com](http://www.goingmerry.com)
- [Alameda/CA/National Dreamer Scholarships](#) – by Nea

Search for local scholarships

### Nea's Additional Graduation Requirements

- [20 Hour Senior Internship](#)
- [60 Hours of Community Service Hours](#)
- [Senior Impact Project](#)