



SENIOR FALL TIMELINE

AUGUST

SEPTEMBER

OCTOBER

NOVEMBER

DECEMBER

AUGUST 1
COLLEGE APPLICATIONS OPEN

AUGUST 31
SUBMIT Community Service/Paid Work hours to Counselor.

- Schedule appointment in CCC to discuss postsecondary plans.
- Track Bright Futures eligibility.
- Register for SAT/ACT **talk to your counselor about fee waiver eligibility*
- Create *professional* personal email for college/career applications - CHECK DAILY!
- Start applying for college using Common App, Coalition App, or college's internal application.
- Build college interest list
- Visit colleges campuses and take an in person tour if possible.
- Connect to your SCOIR account and register for on campus college visits.
- Review college application essay prompts and brainstorm ideas.
- Create/Login to College Board "Big Future" and search colleges, majors, and careers.

MID SEPTEMBER
ATTEND NACAC COLLEGE FAIR

LATE SEPTEMBER
ATTEND SENIOR MEETING WITH YOUR GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

SEPTEMBER 30
SUBMIT Community Service/Paid Work hours to Counselor.

- Register for on campus college visits on SCOIR.
- Attend NACAC College Fair.
- Complete "Student Profile" form and submit for letters of recommendation, if needed. **allow 2 weeks before deadlines*
- Prepare/update your resume.
- Track any "Early Action" October deadlines.
- Complete Student Self Academic Report (SSAR).
- Complete CCS Student Profile for select colleges.
- Start writing essay and ask for editing and proofreading help.
- Create FSA ID for FAFSA

OCTOBER 1
FFAA APPLICATION OPENS
FAFSA APPLICATION OPENS

OCTOBER 12
FREE SAT SCHOOL DAY
BRIGHT FUTURES + FAFSA NIGHT

OCTOBER 17
PERT TESTING FOR DE

OCTOBER 27
ASVAB CAREER TESTING

OCTOBER 31
SUBMIT Community Service/Paid Work hours to Counselor.

- **ALL SENIORS** complete FFAA/FAFSA applications and email or screenshot application confirmation to Mrs. Maroth.
- Finalize college essay(s).
- Track any "Early Action/Early Decision" November deadlines.
- Take ASVAB test to explore career paths.
- Submit applications with Nov. 1 deadlines.
- Send SAT scores to colleges within 9 days after testing.

NOVEMBER 1
REGULAR DECISION DEADLINES

NOVEMBER 30
SUBMIT Community Service/Paid Work hours to Counselor.

- Continue strong commitment to academics - colleges DO look at your 7th semester grades!
- Track any honors college and school specific merit based scholarship deadlines.
- Send official test scores to your colleges from your College Board/ACT account.
- Start researching and applying for community based scholarships.
- Submit applications with Dec. 1 deadlines BEFORE Thanksgiving break.
- Track financial aid offer acceptance deadlines.

DECEMBER 1
REGULAR DECISION DEADLINES

DECEMBER 31
SUBMIT Community Service/Paid Work hours to Counselor.

- Read all admissions information for important action deadlines.
- Carefully compare financial aid offers from colleges.
- Notify Mrs. Maroth in the CCC of all admissions acceptances and financial aid awards.
- Study for end of semester exams.
- Continue researching and applying for community based scholarships.
- Submit applications with Jan. 1 deadlines.



SENIOR SPRING TIMELINE

JANUARY

JANUARY 31

SUBMIT Community Service/Paid Work hours to Counselor.

- Meet with your counselor to make sure you are on track for graduation, if needed.
- Research military careers at www.myfuture.com
- Start researching technical school options + trade careers.
- Continue researching/applying for community based scholarships.
- Complete any remaining rolling admissions college applications.
- Follow up and check to make sure colleges received all of your application information, including recommendations and test scores.
- Colleges CAN withdraw acceptances so maintain STRONG semester grades.

FEBRUARY

FEBRUARY 28

SUBMIT Community Service/Paid Work hours to Counselor.

DATE TBD

ASVAB TESTING

- Track enrollment deposit deadline dates and costs for college.
- Schedule appointment in the CCC to discuss trade and technical school options.
- Take ASVAB test to explore career paths.
- Apply to Valencia or other state colleges.
- Continue researching/applying for community based scholarships.

MARCH

MARCH 31

SUBMIT Community Service/Paid Work hours to Counselor.

- Update FAFSA application profile, if needed.
- Consider a financial aid appeal if your family's financial situation has changed since initial application.
- Update CCS Student Profile for select colleges.
- Continue researching scholarships.

APRIL

APRIL 30

SUBMIT Community Service/Paid Work hours to Counselor.

DATES TBD

SENIOR AWARDS

FINAL EXAMS

DECISION DAY

MILITARY WEEK

- Attend Military Week on our campus to explore military career options.
- Continue researching scholarships.
- Complete placement tests for Valencia or other state college.
- Make your final college decision and submit enrollment and any housing deposits.
- Inform Mrs. Maroth in the CCC of your final decision.
- Determine where you need to send your final transcript.

MAY

MAY 1-12

AP EXAM WINDOW

MAY 31

SUBMIT Community Service/Paid Work hours to Counselor.

DATES TBD

SENIOR CLEARANCE

CAP AND GOWN PICK UP

SENIOR WALK OUT

SEN'YA LATER PARADE

BACCALAUREATE

GRADUATION

- Continue researching scholarships.