

College Planning for Freshmen

Fall

- Map out the classes you will need to take for the next four years in preparation for college admissions. Take the most challenging course of study available.
- Join clubs and activities that interest you.
- Meet with your school counselor, Mrs. Minns, to discuss courses and extracurricular activities.
- Register, prepare for, and take the PSAT/NMSQT.
- Start/Continue building relationships with teachers, counselors, and activity supervisors. This will help you obtain recommendations for college later.
- Become familiar with the standardized tests that you need to take.

Spring

- Begin to discuss college costs with parents/guardians.
- Meet with your school counselor, Mrs. Minns, to discuss plans for summer and next fall.
- Apply for summer jobs, internships, and volunteer opportunities.