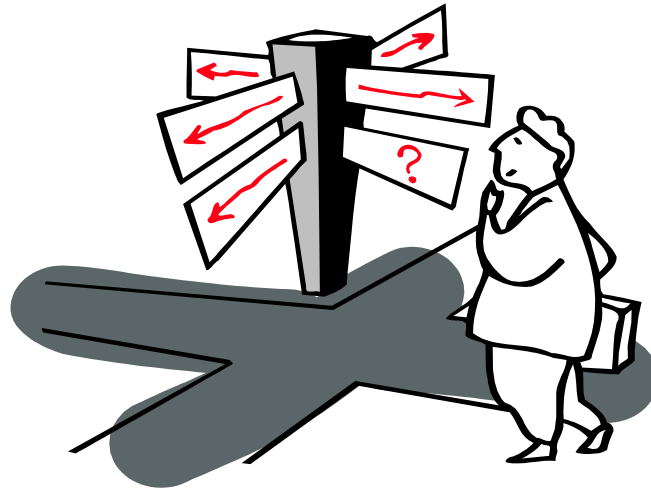


Your Future



Be the master of it!

A World of Choice

- University / College
- Career/Technical School
- Community College
- Work Force
- Military Service



Things to consider

- Location
- Public vs. Private
- Rural vs. Suburban vs. Urban
- Size
- Academic Programs/Majors
- Retention and Graduation Rates

What Colleges Consider

- A Rigorous Curriculum
- Course Selection
- Activities: In and out of school
- Grades
- Class Rank
- Standardized Tests - SAT & ACT

Other Considerations...

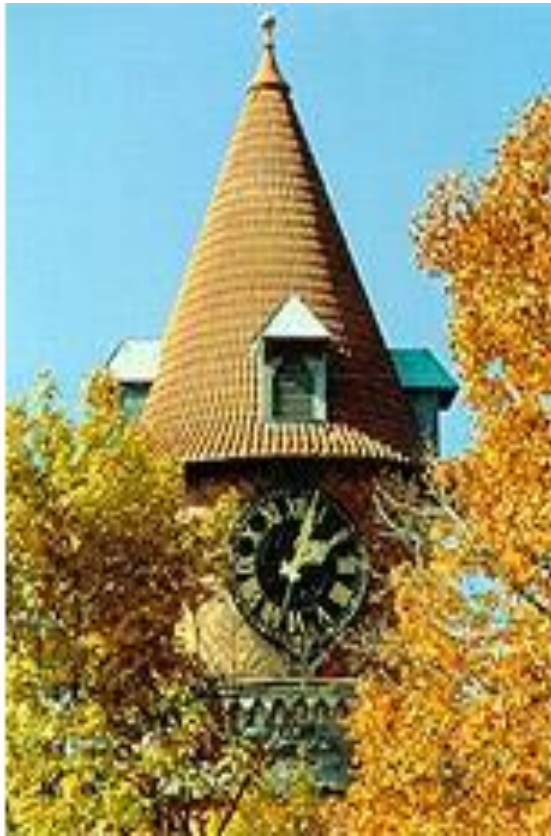
- Recommendations
- Personal Essay
- Demonstrated interest

Checklist

Career & College Planning

- Check your EMAIL!!!
- Arrange college Visits
- Choose challenging selection of courses for senior year
- Register for an SAT prep course
- Register for SAT & ACT before deadlines:
 - May 2nd SAT at GSHS Deadline: April 6th
 - April 18th ACT at GSHS Deadline: March 13th
- ▶ NCAA Registration
www.eligibilitycenter.org

College Visit



- Call ahead
- Travel Form
- Request class visit
- Be on time!
- Be friendly, enthusiastic
- Parents should be there
- Take campus tour
- Send thank you note
- Overnight stay?

Application Process

- September and October of Senior year
- Most applications are Online. Visit individual college websites for applications
- Read directions carefully
- Check deadlines



How to Pay



- Grants - State / Federal
- Scholarships
- Loans
- Work Study
- Savings

Military Service



- Military Academies
- ROTC
- Recruiters
- ASVAB

Workforce



- Resume
- Interview Skills
- Employability Skills
- Life Long Learner

Workforce



Life-Long Learning

Questions?

Please take advantage of the
information provided