

STAYING ON TOP: SENIOR YEAR C/O 2019

October 2018

- Financial aid application open (FAFSA/ CA Dream Act)
 - Should begin filling out
 - Will be applying through californiacolleges.edu
- CSU Application is **OPEN**
 - Begin working on applications
 - Start or continue to write EOP responses
 - Will be applying through californiacolleges.edu
- Work on UC personal insight questions
 - Have a teacher/staff edit them
 - If have any questions on them come and see Ms. Morales
- Take the October 27 ACT if registered
- Take the October 6 SAT if registered
- Sign-up for SAT**
 - Test Date: November 3 Late Registration: October 24
- Sign-up for ACT**
 - Test Date: October 27 Late Registration: October 5
- Attend College Info Night: October 2 at 6pm
- Attend college rep visits
 - UC Irvine 10/3/18 8:00am-9am in library
 - UC San Diego 10/11/18 during 6th period in room 217
 - CSU Dominguez Hills 10/18/18 6th period in library
 - UC Riverside 10/25/18 4th period in library
 - CSU Long Beach 10/30/18 during lunch in the library
- Participate in **College Knowledge Day 10/10/18**
- I have met with my college advisor and senior counselor for my senior interview
- I have shared my final college list with Ms. Morales
- I have requested a teacher or counselor recommendation (Remember to give your teacher/counselor all forms required for submission. Teachers should have an unofficial version of your transcript and your brag sheet)
- I have attended application workshops
- I have applied for the October scholarships
- See your college advisor (Ms. Morales) if you have any questions

November 2018

- UC applications are **OPEN**
- Participate in **College Knowledge Day (Part 2)** and completed my college applications between November 5-9
- Take the **November 3 SAT**
- Sign-up for SAT (**Last test accepted by colleges**)
 - Test Date: December 8 Late Registration: November 16
- Sign-up for ACT (**Last test accepted by colleges**)
 - Test Date: December 1 Late Registration: November 20

- I have applied to **ALL** of my UC/UC applications **BEFORE** Thanksgiving
- Continue completing FAFSA/California Dream Application
- I have attended application workshop
- I am working on my Common Application if planning to apply to private/independent schools
- I have applied for the November scholarship

December 2018

- Take **ACT December 8**
- Take **SAT December 1**
- I am checking my email daily to see if I have any emails from colleges
- I have sent all my **SAT/ACT scores to my colleges**
- If my college wants to see my seventh semester grades, I have filled out the transcript request form found in the guidance and submitted it to the school Registrar
- I am completing the FAFSA/CA Dream Act application
- I have attended a financial aid workshop
- I am completing my community college applications
- I am creating my portals for the schools I have applied to
- I have applied for the December scholarships

January 2019

- I have attended a financial aid workshop
- I have visited my colleges
- I am completing the FAFSA/CA Dream Act application
- I am completing my community college applications
- I am checking my portals
- I have applied for the January scholarships

February 2019

- I am checking my email daily
- I am completing the FAFSA/Dream Act application
- I am checking my portal and completing my to-do list
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- I have applied for February scholarships

March 2019

- FAFSA/CA Dream App due
- I am checking my portals and completing my to-do list
- I have applied for housing if needed
- I have applied for March scholarships

April 2019

- College decisions and financial aid offers should be available by mid-April
- I have notified my counselor and Ms. Morales of my college acceptances
- I have asked Ms. Morales about the things I do not understand in my acceptance package
- I am checking my portal and completing my to-do list

May 2019

- I have submitted my intent to register and have deposited at the four-year college of my choice by May 1
- I have signed up for the **New Student Orientation** (Deadline varies by campus)
- I have attended Decisions Day
- I have resolved any admission or financial aid issues with colleges

June 2019

- I have requested my final transcript to my college
- I have submitted all documents requested from my college or university
- GRADUATION!**
- First tuition bill is usually due around August
- Attend freshman registration and orientation over summer