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	to get a heads up on what you
will be facing your	Senior year.
IMPORTANT FOR YOU TO KN	OW
1. Understand College admissio	ns and what you need to send the ollege admissions counselor
2. Research colleges of interest Visit campuses.	, both public and private.
3. Research scholarships.	
4. Prepare and Take the ACT ar	
web site is www.CollegeForT	<u>exans.cd</u> m
5. Determine if you need to retal in the 12th grade.	ke the ACT and SAT

6. Keep a good relationship with teachers. Keeping in mind that you will need to have letters of reference written.

7.	Explore	topics	for	college	applic	cation	essav	۷S.
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8. STUDY! STUDY! STUDY!

9. Know your GPA. Work on weak spots.

- 10. After colleges look at your cumulative on your Junior and Senior year grades and courses and the degree difficulty of your courses. Visit your counselor and discuss where your course of study stands.
- 11. Study for and take AP exams.
- 12. Consider who you would like to ask for letters of recommendations..

 Be sure you choose people who for recommendations know you and what your goals are.

UNDERSTANDING THE PROCESS

Keep a log and a Calendar	
Now is the time to get all the leg work do	ne so your senior year
will proceed smoothly and be more enjo	yable.
Get familar with	
*Financial aid applications	
*College admission applications,	
*Housing applications	
*College enterence qualifications	

College search
*Highly selective colleges,
*Selective Colleges,
*Open admissions Colleges.
*Community Colleges (2 year).
*Narrow vour college choices

The more familiar you are with the paper work the easier it will be to complete it successfully when you are a senior.

SCHOLARSHIPS!

- *There are numerous scholarship search sites.
- *Some scholarships all you need to do is apply
- *It is well worth your time to pursue this avenue.
- *Some scholarships require you to write an essay.
- *Let instructors, and fellow student who's opinion your value read your essays and ask for honest feedback.
- *There are also Scholarships that are
- **Gender specific,
- **Ethnic specific,
- **Major specific

Have all the knowledge about applications and the process of selection you can find. It will leave more time for you to enjoy your very busy Senior year.

In the career GO CENTER you can
*Career search
*Take practice SAT and ACT test
*College search
*Sholarship search
*Get familiar with the FASA

Take advantage of the practice testing. The more prepared you are the better your score will be, and with that the more choice college choices you will have.