Summer
- Visit campuses
- Refine Your List
- Research merit scholarships

Fall
- Decide which application timeline is best for you
- Brainstorm essay topics and supplements
- Consider which teachers are best-suited to write your recommendations
- Meet with your school counselors
- Follow colleges on social media
- Meet with colleges that visit your high school
- Attend open-house programs
- Schedule interviews with admissions offices
- Get an early start on applications
- Register for fall SAT/ACT tests
- Attend summer academic programs
- Be aware of deadlines
- Ask for Letters of Recommendation
- Start working on your college essays
- Update your résumé
- Send Your SAT/ACT Scores
- Complete and submit your applications
- Complete the FAFSA and CSS Profile
- Look for Outside Scholarships

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