Senior Calendar and Checklist 2016-2017

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**SEPTEMBER:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**ACT Test ($42.50\*) Registration**

September 10 August 5

October 22 September 16

December 10 November 4

February 11 January 13

April 8 March 3

June 10 May 5

**www.actstudent.org**

**SAT Test ($45\*) Registration**

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| October 1 | September 1 |
| November 5 | October 7 |
| December 3 | November 3 |
| January 21 | December 21 |
| March 11 | February 10 |
| May 6 | April 7 |
| June 3 | May 9 |

**www.collegeboard.com**

\*Additional charge for test with essay

( ) Start College Applications.

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( ) Letters of Recommendation (*2-3*).

( ) College Essay (*1-2 pages double-spaced*).

( ) Register for ACT/SAT tests. See chart to the right. 🡪

( ) Start applying for scholarships.

[www.denverscholarship.org/scholarshipdirectory](http://www.denverscholarship.org/scholarshipdirectory)

( ) Financial aid information session at TJ- 9/15, 6-8 pm

( ) In-state college fair- 9/28/16 (TJ Gymnasium)

**OCTOBER:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

( ) Continue to work on college applications, essays, and letters of rec.

( ) Register to retake ACT/SAT if not satisfied with current scores.

( ) Attend college fairs and visits:

TJ Visits- Sign up on Naviance: <https://connection.naviance.com/thomjeff>

Out of State College Fairs:

9/29/16, 6:30-8:00pm, Lakewood High School

10/1/16, 10:00am-12:00pm, Mountain Vista High School

( ) FAFSA is available on 10/1: [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov).

( ) **FAFSA Workshop-** TJ- 10/11, 3-7pm

( ) Continue scholarship search.

**NOVEMBER:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

( ) Early application and early decision college applications due ( ) Still time to retake ACT/SAT tests

( ) Work on college applications. ( ) Complete the FAFSA.

( ) Apply for scholarships. ( ) Complete CSS Profile, if needed.

( ) Turn in college applications by Monday, November 28th, to ensure your transcripts are sent before winter break.

**DECEMBER:**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

( ) Continue applying for scholarships – [www.denverscholarship.org/scholarshipdirectory](http://www.denverscholarship.org/scholarshipdirectory)

( ) Complete the FAFSA.

( ) Work on college applications.

**JANUARY:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** **FEBRUARY:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

( ) Continue applying for scholarships. ( ) Complete any last minute college applications.

( ) Denver Scholarship application opens- ( ) Continue applying for scholarships.

end of month ([www.denverscholarship.org](http://www.denverscholarship.org)). ( ) Community College Application Day 2/15/17

**MARCH:**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **APRIL:**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

( ) FAFSA should be submitted no later than **March 1!** ( ) Denver Scholarship Application due: **April 1**

( ) Apply to institutional scholarships by **March 1!** ( )Review award letters and complete financial aid.

( ) Students will start receiving financial aid award letters. ( ) Scholarships, Scholarships, Scholarships!

( ) Living on campus? Start filling out housing applications. ( ) Continue working on housing applications.

( ) Don’t forget to complete the **College Opportunity Fund:** ( ) Sign up online for new student orientations.

<https://cof.college-assist.org/COFApp>

**MAY/JUNE/JULY/AUGUST:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

( ) Throughout **May**, enrollment deposits will be due. They vary by school and will not be required by every school.

( ) **June and July** students should plan on attending *new student orientations.*

( ) **JULY 15 – Financial Aid must be COMPLETE** in order to receive fall semester payments on time!

For financial aid to be complete, please contact your college/university financial aid office and ask if your file is complete.

***Note:*** Some students are selected for **VERIFICATION**, and they will need to provide additional financial aid documents to receive financial aid.

( ) **Mid-August**, students begin moving into the residence halls and starting classes.

**Questions? See Ms. Maez in the Future Center.**

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