

Four Years of High School....Then What?

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| 9th grade | <p>Start the school year with a 4 year plan</p> <p>Choose a college-preparatory curriculum</p> <p>Challenge yourself with advanced or honors courses</p> <p>Take an aptitude or career interest inventory</p> <p>WORK HARD--Your GPA starts this year</p> <p>Make a commitment to one or more extra-curricular activities</p> <p>Create a portfolio of excellent school work, report cards or other successes</p> <p>At the end of the year, evaluate your academic program--are you on track? <i>if not, rethink your program</i></p> |
| 10th grade | <p>Take the pre-ACT, pre-SAT tests to identify areas of weakness/strength</p> <p>Evaluate your time-management skills: balance school, work and play</p> <p>Maintain good attendance, grades and citizenship</p> <p>Maintain your portfolio of achievements</p> <p>Make a commitment to one or more extra-curricular activities</p> <p>Begin a savings account for college</p> <p>Re-evaluate your course selection and academic progress</p> <p>Look into summer academic programs or volunteer activities that are of interest</p> <p>Discuss with guidance counselor and parents a list of colleges you'd like to explore</p> |
| 11th grade | <p>Sign up for an ACT/SAT workshop at a high school or university</p> <p>Take the PSAT--you could qualify as a National Merit or Achievement Scholar this translates into BIG \$\$\$</p> <p>Meet with a guidance counselor to review courses for this year and your senior year</p> <p>Narrow down your college list to the colleges you are most likely to attend</p> <p>Maintain your portfolio of achievements</p> <p>Attend college fairs, write or call colleges on your list and begin reviewing their websites/information</p> <p>Prepare for/take the ACT and/or SAT</p> <p>Begin thinking about which teachers and others you might ask to write recommendations in the fall of your senior year</p> <p>Use spring and summer breaks to visit college campuses--call ahead to schedule visits</p> <p>Maintain good attendance, grades, citizenship and commitment to extracurricular activities</p> |
| 12th grade | <p>Continue to WORK HARD on your studies your ENTIRE senior year</p> <p>Take the ACT or SAT in the fall (again, if necessary)</p> <p>Meet with your guidance counselor to be sure that your list of colleges includes programs appropriate to your academic and personal record</p> <p>Be sure that you have a viewbook, application form and financial aid and scholarship informa- tion from every school in which you are interested</p> <p>Prepare a schedule for each of your top schools showing requirements and deadlines for application, fees, test scores, teacher recommendations, transcripts and essays. Include names of important contacts with this schedule</p> <p>Visit the colleges you are serious about (football weekends don't count)</p> <p>Prepare applications, write essays, ask teachers to write recommendations at least one month before deadlines--and watch the deadlines, keep a copy of everything</p> <p>Research and apply for financial aid and scholarships. See your counselor for necessary forms or download them from the web</p> <p>Watch your mail for admissions letters--be sure to return promptly any other forms, such as housing agreements and medical histories</p> <p>Watch the mail for information from the college of your choice on orientation, summer academic programs and other information that will help you transition to college</p> |

| MY TOP THREE SCHOOL CHOICES | Online Application | Application Deadline | Application Fee | On Campus Housing | Additional Application Needed for My Program | Requested Official transcripts from Bozeman |
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To Do List

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| 1. Have you applied in paper or online to this University? Including the application fee? | | 10. Do I have the minimum GPA for my desired universities? | |
| 2. Have you applied in paper or online to this University's School of Music? | | 11. Have you completed all shot and immunization requirements for admission? | |
| 3. Have you received a letter or post-card of confirmation that they have received your application? | | 12. Is there a Freshman Orientation? Have you applied for your desired date of orientation? | |
| 4. Have you taken the SAT or ACT, and did you request your scores to be sent to this University? | | 13. Have you scheduled a campus visit? | |
| 5. Have you applied for on-campus housing (dorm)? Including a fee or deposit? Check the deadlines! | | 14. Have you scheduled an audition date and time, and are your musical selections prepared? Will they have an accompanist, or do you need a taped accompaniment? | |
| 6. Are you are resident of the state in which this University is located? | | 15. Do you have a roommate choice, is a friend going to the same school, or will you have a new roommate? | |
| 7. Is there a required essay as part of the admission process? | | 16. Is there a meal plan that is required for Freshmen? | |
| 8. Have my parents completed the FAFSA? (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) This is at the website: www.fafsa.ed.gov/ | | 17. Have you received a Scholarship Award letter? Have you signed it and returned it to the University? | |
| 9. Do I have a list of course requirements for my desired universities? | | | |

Facts About Me

| Year(s) | MY SCHOOL ACTIVITIES | Contact person |
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| Dates of Employment | EMPLOYMENT: Job Title, Duties | Hours per Week |
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WHERE TO FIND THE THINGS YOU NEED:

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| Transcripts | Carol Reeve | 850-767-4428 |
| | Dan-el Bogel | 850-767-4429 |
| SAT registration | www.collegeboard.com | |
| ACT registration | www.actstudent.org | |
| Bright Futures Scholarship Information | www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org/SSFAD/bf/ | |
| State-funded Grants/Scholarships | www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org | |
| Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) | www.fafsa.ed.gov | |
| Colleges with Career-related Certifications | www.fldoe.org/schools/higher-ed/fl-college-system/index.shtml | |
| APPLICATION INFORMATION FOR: | | |
| Gulf Coast Community College | www.gulfcoast.edu | |
| University of Florida | www.ufl.edu | |
| Florida State University | www.fsu.edu | |
| University of West Florida (Pensacola) | www.uwf.edu | |
| University of South Florida (Tampa) | www.usf.edu | |
| University of Central Florida (Orlando) | www.ucf.edu | |
| Auburn University | www.auburn.edu | |
| University of Alabama (Tuscaloosa) | www.ua.edu | |
| Troy University | www.troy.edu | |
| University of North Alabama (Florence) | www.una.edu | |
| University of Georgia | www.uga.edu | |
| University of Mississippi <i>Ole Miss</i> (Oxford) | www.olemiss.edu | |
| University of Southern Mississippi (Hattiesburg) | www.usm.edu | |
| Mississippi State University (Starkville) | www.msstate.edu | |
| University of Tennessee (Knoxville) | www.utk.edu | |
| University of Texas (Austin) | www.utexas.edu | |
| University of North Florida | www.unf.edu | |
| United States Marine Corps | www.marines.com | |
| United States Army | www.goarmy.com | |
| United States Air Force | www.airforce.com | |
| United States Navy | www.navy.com | |
| United States Coast Guard | www.gocoastguard.com | |

| TESTING INFORMATION | SAT | ACT |
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| Have you decided which of the standardized college admissions test you will be taking? | | |
| Have you checked the website for registration information? | www.collegeboard.com | www.actstudent.org |
| Have you selected a date to take the test? | date: | date: |
| And now select your date to retake (yes, retake) the test: | date: | date: |
| Will you try a third time? | date: | date: |
| How many schools will be receiving your test scores? PLAN FOR MORE THAN ONE. | SCHOOL 1: | |
| | SCHOOL 2: | |
| | SCHOOL 3: | |
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| | SCHOOL 5: | |
| Post graduation, a final transcript must be sent to the universities. Have you done this? | | |

INFORMATION THAT YOU MUST KNOW

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| YOUR FULL <i>LEGAL</i> NAME | |
| YOUR LEGAL PERMANENT ADDRESS | |
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| YOUR PHONE NUMBER | |
| an additional phone number | |
| YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER | |
| YOUR DATE OF BIRTH | |
| YOUR ETHNIC ORIGIN | |
| YOUR EMAIL | |
| YOUR PARENT/GUARDIAN's NAME | |
| and address, if different | |
| and phone number, if different | |
| ARE YOUR PARENTS ALUMNI (graduates) of a University? Which one? | MOM: DAD: |
| In which term will you enroll? | Fall 2017 Fall 2018 Fall 2019 |
| What classification? | Undergraduate |
| Your intended major? | |
| Your intended minor? | |
| What status do you request? | Beginning Freshman Early Admission |
| HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION YEAR | 2017 2018 2019 |
| H. S. GPA (weighted) | |
| HIGHEST SAT TOTAL: | CR+MA= WR= ES= |
| HIGHEST ACT COMPOSITE: | E/W= WR= |
| MOSLEY's ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER | A. C. Mosley High School 501 Mosley Drive Lynn Haven, Florida 32444 850-265-9887 850-265-5377 (fax) |
| High School CEEB Code | 101357 |

Scholarships

LOCAL (Application available during the Spring semester)

Gulf Coast State College Foundation Leadership Scholarship

Based on GPA and leadership roles

Gulf Coast State College Foundation Honors Scholarship

Based on GPA

Exchange Club

Recognizes high achievement and community service

Gent's Incorporated

Oakland Terrace Men's club

Gulf Coast State College Foundation Scholarship

Gulf Coast State College Foundation Honor Scholarship

James D. Campbell Scholarship

Florida Association of Realtors Essay contest

Alpha Delta Kappa Sorority/ Linda Poole Memorial

Florida Retired Educators Foundation

Bay County Retired Educators Scholarship for Teachers of Tomorrow

Alpha Delta Kappa Sorority/ Epsilon Delta Chapter

Panhandle Gator Club

Anne Massey General Scholarship

Norma T. McGuire Native American Scholarship

Neva Mitchell-Mildred Lecrone ROTC scholarship

Elementary PTO Scholarship

JCI Senators of Florida Foundation, Inc

GENERAL

<http://www.fastweb.com>

<HTTP://WWW.FAFSA.ED.GOV>

<http://www.scholarships.com>

<http://www.collegenet.com>

<http://www.salliemae.com>

<HTTP://WWW.FEDMONEY.ORG>

<HTTP://CBWEB10P.COLLEGEBOARD.ORG/FUNDFINDER/HTML/FUNDFIND01>

<HTTP://WWW.FINAID.ORG>

<HTTP://WWW.RONBROWN.ORG>

<HTTP://WWW.TRUMAN.GOV>

<HTTP://WWW.MARINE-SCHOLARS.ORG/>

<http://mcdonalds.com/usa/good/community/scholarship.html>

<HTTP://SCHOLARSHIP.TYLENOL.COM>

<HTTP://WWW.GUARANTEED-SCHOLARSHIPS.COM>

<http://www.coca-colascholars.org>

<HTTP://WWW.STATEFARM.COM/FOUNDATI/AWARDS.HTM>

Scholarships

[HTTP://WWW.BKSCHOLARS.CSFA.ORG](http://WWW.BKSCHOLARS.CSFA.ORG)

[HTTP://WWW.SIEMENS-FOUNDATION.ORG](http://WWW.SIEMENS-FOUNDATION.ORG)

<http://ugsp.info.nih.gov/infougsp.htm>

[HTTP://WWW.ASTRONAUTSCHOLARSHIP.ORG](http://WWW.ASTRONAUTSCHOLARSHIP.ORG)

[HTTP://WWW.AASA.ORG/DISCOVER.HTM](http://WWW.AASA.ORG/DISCOVER.HTM)

[HTTP://WWW.STUDENTS.GOV](http://WWW.STUDENTS.GOV)

[HTTP://WWW.NATIONALSERVIC.ORG/SCHOLARSHIPS/INDEX.HTML](http://WWW.NATIONALSERVIC.ORG/SCHOLARSHIPS/INDEX.HTML)

[HTTP://WWW.THURGOODMARSHALLFUND.ORG/SK_V6.CFM?RDN=FID](http://WWW.THURGOODMARSHALLFUND.ORG/SK_V6.CFM?RDN=FID)

<http://www.blackexcel.org/fin-sch.htm>

Intel Science Talent Search <http://WWW.SCISERV.ORG/STS>

United States Institute of Peace National Peace Essay Contest

[HTTP://WWW.USIP.ORG/ED/NPEC/INDEX.SHTML](http://WWW.USIP.ORG/ED/NPEC/INDEX.SHTML)

Accounting scholarships

[HTTP://WWW.AICPA.ORG/MEMBERS/DIV/CAREER/EDU/JLCS.HTM](http://WWW.AICPA.ORG/MEMBERS/DIV/CAREER/EDU/JLCS.HTM)

Student Inventors Scholarships [HTTP://WWW.INVENT.ORG/COLLEGIATE](http://WWW.INVENT.ORG/COLLEGIATE)

American Society for Microbiology Undergraduate Fellowships

<http://www.asm.org>

Holocaust Remembrance Scholarships [HTTP://HOLOCAUST.HKLAW.COM](http://HOLOCAUST.HKLAW.COM)

Maryland Artists Scholarships [HTTP://WWW.MAEF.ORG](http://WWW.MAEF.ORG)

Aid and Resources for Re-entry Students [HTTP://WWW.BACK2COLLEGE.COM](http://WWW.BACK2COLLEGE.COM)

Scholarships for Study in Paralegal Studies <http://www.paralegals.org>

Rhodes Scholarships at Oxford [HTTP://WWW.RHODESSCHOLAR.ORG](http://WWW.RHODESSCHOLAR.ORG)

MINORITY

[HTTP://WWW.MICROSOFT.COM/COLLEGE/SCHOLARSHIPS/MINORITY.ASP](http://WWW.MICROSOFT.COM/COLLEGE/SCHOLARSHIPS/MINORITY.ASP)

<http://www.apsanet.org>

(African American)

<http://www.uncf.org>

<http://www.black-collegian.com>

<http://www.naacp.org>

<http://www.ubp.com>

[HTTP://WWW.BAEO.ORG/OPTIONS/PRIVATELYFINANCED.JSP](http://WWW.BAEO.ORG/OPTIONS/PRIVATELYFINANCED.JSP)

[HTTP://WWW.UNCF.ORG/MERCK/PROGRAM.HTM](http://WWW.UNCF.ORG/MERCK/PROGRAM.HTM)

[HTTP://WWW.JACKIEROBINSON.ORG/](http://WWW.JACKIEROBINSON.ORG/)

Scholarships

[HTTP://WWW.AHCPR.GOV/FUND/MINORTRG.HTM](http://WWW.AHCPR.GOV/FUND/MINORTRG.HTM)

<http://www.iesabroad.org>

Development Fund for Black Students in Science Scholarship

[HTTP://OURWORLD.COMPUSEVE.COM/HOMEPAGES/DLHINSON/DFB_SCH.HTM](http://OURWORLD.COMPUSEVE.COM/HOMEPAGES/DLHINSON/DFB_SCH.HTM)

(Native American)

<http://www.aihec.org>

<http://www.collegefund.org>

(Hispanic)

<http://www.hispanicfund.org>

DISABLED

<http://www.aauap.org>

<http://www.ahead.org>

<http://www.chadd.org>

<http://www.dssc.org>

<http://www.ldonline.org>

<http://www.ldanatl.org>

<http://www.add.org>

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS SCHOLARSHIPS AND AID HELP

[HTTP://WWW.IEFA.ORG](http://WWW.IEFA.ORG)

Florida University Scholarships

Florida A&M University, Tallahassee, FL <http://www.famu.edu>

Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, FL <http://www.fau.edu/finaid/>

Florida Gulf Coast University, Fort Myers, FL
<http://enrollment.fgcu.edu/financialaid/>

Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
<http://www.fsu.edu/prospective/undergraduate/finances/scholarships.shtml>

University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL <http://www.transfer.sdes.ucf.edu/>

University of Florida, Gainesville, FL
<http://www.ufsa.ufl.edu/SFA/programs/scholarhq.html>

University of North Florida, Jacksonville, FL <http://www.unf.edu/finaid/>

University of South Florida, Tampa, FL <http://www.usf.edu/scholarships.html>

University of West Florida, Pensacola, FL <http://www.uwf.edu/enrserv/50.htm>