

High School Planning Checklist

A grade-by-grade roadmap so nothing important slips through the cracks.

GRADE 9 — FRESHMAN

- ☐ Build good study habits early
- ☐ Get involved in an activity or two
- ☐ Meet your school counselor
- ☐ Keep grades up — they all count

GRADE 11 — JUNIOR

- ☐ Take the SAT/ACT
- ☐ Research colleges or pathways
- ☐ Visit campuses or programs
- ☐ Line up summer experience

GRADE 10 — SOPHOMORE

- ☐ Take a PSAT or practice test
- ☐ Explore careers & interests
- ☐ Consider honors/AP for junior year
- ☐ Deepen one or two activities

GRADE 12 — SENIOR

- ☐ Finalize your college/career list
- ☐ Submit applications & the FAFSA
- ☐ Apply for scholarships
- ☐ Confirm graduation requirements