### August

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* Registration: Review your transcript and be sure you are enrolled in the correct courses for Post-high school plan/graduation
* Night School: sign up for night school if you have courses to take for credit recovery

### September

* Senior Orientation: you will receive information for post high school planning
* Attend College Information/Financial Aid Night Part 1
* Complete Senior Fall Needs Assessment in Naviance
* Continue researching majors and careers. Be sure your colleges/schools of interest have programs in that field
* Begin finalizing college application list and update this list in Naviance
* Applying to UC School: personal insight questions
* Applying to Private Schools: determine who you will ask to write your letters of recommendation and ask them in person (Three Week Notice is required). Continue working on admission essay(s).
* Notify counselor of any Early Decision dates
* Create your Common Application Account if you are applying to Common Application schools. Once you have created your account complete the FERPA waiver and then match your account in Naviance. This is done under the “colleges I’m applying to” list in Naviance
* College and Career Center presentations: check Naviance and website for upcoming dates

### October

* CSU Application are open and can be submitted
* Continue updating your list of applications in Naviance
* Letters of Recommendation: ask teachers and counselors (three week notice required). Complete letter of recommendation survey in Naviance
* Notify your counselors of which private schools you will be applying to
* Financial Aid: You can begin filing your FAFSA. Attend Financial Aid Night Part two for help filling out the form. Check if any of your private schools require the CSS Profile and verify deadlines for this form.

### November

* UC and CSU Applications are due by November 30th
* Various Early Decision Deadlines
* College application workshops at lunch in the Career Center
* If applying to community colleges/vocational schools begin researching desired programs
* Military: this is a good time to make appointments with recruiters. Consult with your counselor as well since they will attend the meeting with you
* Finalize College Application List

### December - January

* Various private school/common application school deadlines occur these months
* Final opportunity to take SAT/ACT is in December for this application cycle
* Community Colleges: Many begin their application process during this time
* Scholarships: begin applying for scholarships and look at the Scholarships tab in Naviance for upcoming scholarships



### February - March



* Continue your Financial Aid Applications. FAFSA is due by March 2nd
* Apply for Scholarships
* Community Colleges: Complete your applications
* Community College Placement Exams: PCC will give the placement exam at TCHS; make arrangements at other campuses to complete your exam
* Mid-Year Common Application Reports: provide your counselor with a list of schools that require mid-year reports
* Application Decisions will be sent out by various schools now through the beginning of April
* Placement exams for CSU and UC schools will begin.

### April - May

* Take time to tour campuses where you applied to help determine the school you would like to attend
* Decision time. Universities day of intent is May 1st. You will need to file your SIR by that date to guarantee your space is held at the university
* Complete Senior Graduation Survey in Naviance this will be done through senior English Classes

### June

* Final Days at TCHS: prepare for finals; enjoy senior activities, clear indebtedness. Remember that final grades will be seen by your schools of choice. If you receive a D or lower in any A-G courses your admissions can be revoked.
* Order final Transcripts through Parchment to be sent to your school of choice.

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