



JUNIOR YEAR CHECKLIST 2022-23

FALL / FIRST SEMESTER

- Begin talking with parents/guardians/advisors about post-high school plans.
- If you took the October PSAT, results are available in December. Use the *Access Code* provided on your score report to link to FREE individualized SAT test prep through Khan Academy.
- Register for standardized testing (SAT, ACT, AP, TOEFL, DuoLingo, etc.).
 - SAT- www.collegeboard.org (Free prep available via khanacademy.org)
 - ACT- www.actstudent.org (Free prep available via actstudent.org)
 - AP- www.totalregistration.net
 - TOEFL- www.ets.org/toefl/test-takers/ibt/schedule.html
 - Duolingo- www.duolingo.com
- Attend College Fairs and sign up for Fall College Visits on SCOIR.
- Prospective athletes should register with the NCAA Eligibility Center. <https://web3.ncaa.org/ecwr3/>
- Attend appointment with counselor about post-high school planning.
- Use SCOIR and other resources for college and career research and information.
- Plan college visits when you are ready.

WINTER & SPRING/ SECOND SEMESTER

- Make an appointment with your counselor for a Junior Planning Conference with parent/guardians (conferences open on **November 28th**).
- Continue college and career searches using SCOIR and other resources.
- Attend Financial Aid Evening on **March 9th at 7 pm** (virtual).
- Attend Career Days/Military Day sessions in March.
- Attend college fairs and begin visiting colleges. Be sure to schedule a tour through the university admissions office whenever possible by registering on the college's admissions page.
- Prospective athletes should attend the NCAA Presentation on **May 11th at 7 pm** (virtual).
- Begin writing your college essays (May).
- Speak with 2 junior year teachers to request college letters of recommendation starting around mid-March.
 - You should have your recommenders secured before the last day of school!
 - After you receive a verbal agreement from your teacher, you **MUST** request your recommendations in SCOIR under **My Colleges → Application Documents → Request a Recommendation → Search your teacher → Select and hit send**
- Complete your Junior Questionnaire under Surveys in SCOIR - **DUE JUNE 1st**.
- Create a Common Application account at <https://www.commonapp.org/>.

SUMMER

- Continue to visit college campuses. Take pictures and notes. SCOIR allows you to save notes on the app.
- Work on your college essay.
- Common Application opens for application submissions on **AUGUST 1st**.
- Sign your Conestoga Transcript Release/Recommendation Waiver (included in summer mailing).
- If you are planning on additional testing in senior year (SAT, ACT), sign up for an Aug/Sept/Oct test date.
- Update SCOIR - move colleges from **Following → Applying**.