

Junior Year Timeline for Sophomores

Spring of Sophomore Year

- ✓ Individual Meetings with your counselor
- ✓ Attend Sophomore Springboard (April)
- ✓ Become familiar with Smart Futures & SCOIR

Summer before Junior Year

- ✓ Begin to explore college campuses (virtually and live)! Take a drive and see a variety of campuses. For example, city (Drexel/Temple), suburban (Villanova), and town (West Chester)
- ✓ Jump into some activity to make summer meaningful

Fall

- ✓ Get involved in activities outside the classroom
- ✓ Develop a plan for standardized testing (PSAT, SAT, ACT, AP)
- ✓ Take the PSAT/NMSQT in October
- ✓ Attend local college fairs (virtually and live)
- ✓ Check SCOIR for college visits and attend sessions at CHS (Sept-Nov)
- ✓ Attend College Admissions Evening (November)

Winter

- ✓ Attend your individual junior year meeting with your counselor about initial post high school planning (meetings start in November – includes student and counselor)
- ✓ Make an appointment with your counselor for you and your parents to attend a Post-High School Planning Meeting (meetings include student, counselor, and parent[s] – they run from December-April)

Spring

- ✓ Visit college campuses. Spring break is a great time to go!
- ✓ Keep a journal of questions and impressions from your visits. Take pictures!
- ✓ Attend CHS and local college fairs
- ✓ Attend the spring Military Day and Career Week sessions (March)
- ✓ Attend Financial Aid Evening (March)
- ✓ Ask two junior year teachers to write your letters of recommendation, allowing ample time for them to write before your deadline (March/April)
- ✓ Athletes: File initial NCAA paperwork online at www.ncaaclearinghouse.net
- ✓ Attend college essay writing workshop at Conestoga (May)

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