
College and Financial Aid Calendar

As Early as Possible

- Explore college options.
- Research scholarship opportunities via the Internet.



Junior Year/Summer Prior to Senior Year

- Visit campuses and narrow college choices.
- Learn how to apply for scholarships.
- Find out the priority admission application period for the colleges you wish to attend.

Senior Year In High School

NOVEMBER

- Admission application period for many colleges begins.

DECEMBER

- If needed, complete and mail the CSS Profile.
- Attend any financial aid nights offered at your school.

JANUARY

- Apply for financial aid every year at this time.
- Mail the completed FAFSA.
- Apply for scholarships.

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FEBRUARY

- Student aid report received from processor. Review for accuracy.
- Submit required documents to financial aid offices.

MARCH

- Receive and compare financial aid award letters.

APRIL/MAY

- Make final decision regarding college choice. Submit any required deposits.

JUNE/JULY

- Prepare for starting college.
- Work extra hours and save money.

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER

- Start college.
- Look for on-campus employment.