

SENIOR CHECKLIST 2022-23

AUGUST

- 8/1: TN Promise application window is open – apply for TN Promise through the TSAC portal (<https://www.tn.gov/collegepays/tsac-student-portal.html>)
- Update Scoir account. (input a personal email address in your profile)
- Update your “Colleges I’m Applying To” list in Scoir.
- Check for college visits in Scoir.
- 8/12: Senior Class Picture (7:45 am- MHS Stadium)
- 8/24: Senior makeup pictures (MHS library – Sign up for an appointment in SO1)

SEPTEMBER

- Begin working on ALL college applications. Pay attention to details and deadlines. Save a copy of all your completed applications.
- Register to take/retake ACT & SAT. Include your social security number on your registration!
- 9/02: Herff Jones Senior Meeting 9:40-10:20 am in MHS gym (jackets, rings, cap, gowns)
- 9/12 Herff Jones orders during lunch
- 9/12: **Optional:** Herff Jones Parent Night (**A-K**, 4:30-5:30 pm, **L-Z**, 5:30-6:30 pm in the MHS cafeteria)
- 9/28: Blount County College Fair from 5:30 – 8:00 pm Maryville College

OCTOBER

- 10/1: **RECOMMENDED DEADLINE** to complete college applications, then update Scoir to have your transcript sent. Your highest ACT scores will appear on your transcript.
- **Complete and submit your FAFSA!**
- Consult college financial aid offices to check on scholarships, aid information, etc.
- 10/4-10/7: **FALL BREAK** - Visit colleges!
- 10/17: TSAC Presentation all day at MHS and FAFSA workshop
- 10/18: Senior ACT in-school testing at MHS

NOVEMBER

- 11/1: **Last chance to complete a UT Promise and TN Promise Application!**
- Continue focusing on grades & turn in all of your assignments to your teachers!
- Be diligent about checking for scholarships in Scoir.
- **Make sure your FAFSA has been submitted! REMEMBER THAT THE FAFSA allows you to access state aid.**
- Finish strong. Do well on your semester exams!
- Check your Student Aid Report (SAR) that you should have received after you completed the FAFSA.

DECEMBER

- 12/1: Cap & Gown measurements due!
- 12/5: TN Achieves Meeting 3:50pm-5:20pm

JANUARY

- Begin spring term with purpose. Final grades DO matter to colleges, and acceptance to college is contingent on final (end of year) transcript.
- Continue completing scholarship applications.
- Request your mid-year Common App transcript.
- 1/25-1/26: FAFSA Completion Help with Erika Adams from TSAC

FEBRUARY

- Stay on top of grades and scholarship applications.

MARCH

- 3/1: **FAFSA filing DEADLINE**
- Prepare for your **LAST** high school semester exams!
- 3/13-3/17: **SPRING BREAK!**
- 3/21: ACT in school testing at MHS
- The scholarship list updates frequently. Keep checking!
- Plan to view the required TN Promise webinar (window: March – May)

APRIL

- **4/14:** Graduating with Distinction Applications are due (see the website).
- **4/21:** Prom and Senior Seminars
- **4/29: DEADLINE** to review your college acceptances and financial aid awards. Make your selection!
- Prepare for any upcoming AP exams.

MAY

- **Complete all necessary senior tasks – final transcript, etc.**
- **Attend ALL graduation activities!**
- **5/1-5/12:** AP Exams
- **5/5, 5/8:** Senior Exams
- **5/9: LAST DAY**
- **5/9:** Senior Assembly (AM Activity period); cap and gown distribution post-assembly
- **5/9:** Senior Banquet, 6:00-8:00 pm
- **5/10:** Fire & Ice Celebration on the practice field, 7:30-10:00 pm
- **5/11:** Graduation practice 8:00 am, Baccalaureate
- **5/12:** GRADUATION! STUDENTS REPORT at 6:45 p.m.
- **5/15:** Diploma Distribution & Gown return