



# SENIOR YEAR POST-SECONDARY PLANNING CHECKLIST

## Fall

- Take College 101.
- Continue to visit technical school or colleges/universities that interest you.
- Finalize your college list.
- Stay on track with your grades, attendance, and extracurricular activities.
- Take the ACT NOW, if attending a 4-year university! Register at [www.actstudent.org/start](http://www.actstudent.org/start). You don't want to miss out on scholarships or college admission deadlines!
- Take the WorkKeys, if interested in going into the workforce!
- Keep track of admission, financial aid, and scholarship deadlines.
- Ask for letters of recommendation.
- Meet with your guidance counselor.
- Attend college visits at BHS!
- Complete college application forms!
- Continue to search for scholarships on the Benton Counseling website and other outside resources!

## Winter

- Act on the results of early decision applications.
- Follow up on your applications.
- Complete the FAFSA. Attend FAFSA night for assistance in completing it!
- Send your transcripts to the colleges that you have applied to. Put your name and college you want them sent to on the Transcript Request clipboard in the Counseling Center.

## Spring

- Watch your mail for college acceptance letters and financial aid awards!
- Make your final college decision!
- Follow up on financial aid information!
- Complete the enrollment paperwork for the college you will attend!
- GRADUATE HIGH SCHOOL!!! CONGRATULATIONS!