



Sedgwick High School Senior Checklist

- Check your high school credits to make sure you are on track with your educational goals.
 - Check your Individual Plan of Study (IPS) and update it.
 - Mrs. Lynch will be setting up meetings with all of you. Stop by my office or email me (klynch@usd439.com) if you ever have any questions or need anything!
- Take the [ACT](#) (if you need to) again or for the first time (before December!). Take the [ASVAB](#) if you are interested in joining the military after high school. See Mrs. Lynch in the fall to sign up!
- Start looking for and applying for scholarships!
- Check your Senior Google Classroom page regularly throughout the school year. Scholarship opportunities and applications will be posted here regularly throughout the year. Click on the Classwork tab and then Scholarship tab.
- Check the [Senior Information](#) Page on the [school website](#).
- Do your [FAFSA](#) as early as possible.
 - The FAFSA opens up **October 1** for all Senior students.
 - You must create a [FSA ID](#) first. You and your parents must create separate (different) FSA ID's prior to filling out the FAFSA. You will use your FSA ID's as your electronic signatures on the FAFSA.
 - Sedgwick High School will host a FAFSA Completion Night for senior students and their parents. Information will be sent home about this in the fall!
- Apply Kansas Day will be held in October every year for SHS seniors! This is a day where school staff will help our seniors fill out college applications. There are several colleges in Kansas that waive the application fee in the month of October for this event.
- Visit colleges! You are allowed two college visit days during the school year and will be excused for these absences. Please fill out the college visit forms ([click here](#)) and have all teachers sign them BEFORE you take a college visit! If you would like to take more than two college visits, you can schedule them on a Saturday or on days when SHS does not have school.
- Research careers and colleges on Xello. This is a great tool that can help you research jobs, salary, education needed, colleges, tuition costs, compare colleges, etc. To access Xello, first login to your PowerSchool student account. Then click on the apps button in the top right corner (box with an arrow). Then click on the link to login to Xello.
- Apply for all of the [local Sedgwick scholarships](#) that you can.
 - These will be posted in your Senior Google Classroom in February/March
- Let Mrs. Lynch know when you are awarded any scholarships (name of scholarship, amount, renewable or not). We want to recognize you at Awards Night in the Spring!
- Keep your grades up and do your best! You've got this!!
- Enjoy your senior year of high school! This year will be over before you know it!

Add this date to
your Calendar!