



Your staying on-track checklist

Freshman

- Involve yourself in activities that interest you. Maybe volunteer to help find career possibility.
- If you are able, take Honors & AP classes.
Work with your school counselor and parents to make an appropriate academic plan.
- Think about taking a foreign language. Most colleges require 2 years of the same language.
- Work with a parent to estimate financial aid using **fafsa.gov** and continue to save for college.
- Work hard academically to pass all your classes.

Sophomore

- Go to career information events. **Studentaid.gov/govcareersearch**
- Stay involved in activities that interest you.
- Consider taking PSAT or PreACT.
- Meet with school counselor to discuss colleges and their admissions requirements.
- Look for college majors that might be a good match with your interest and goals.
- Continue working hard academically to pass all your classes.