

ROSWELL HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELING DEPARTMENT
SENIOR INFORMATION FOR APPLYING TO COLLEGE

Schoolinks: Schoolinks is the platform you will use to research colleges and careers, register for college visits and complete the required *Senior Information Profile*.

Everyone has an account in Schoolinks. Login to Schoolinks by logging into Classlink; then type in "Schoolinks" in the Search

bar: you will be in your Schoolinks account.

- To find the **Senior Information Profile**: Click on Surveys/Forms

Recommendations: You only need to send recommendations if required by the school you are applying to.

- *Teacher Recommendations:* Remember to ask your teacher **at least 3 weeks in advance**. You should have had a conversation with your teacher before sending them an email.
 - For Common App schools, you will enter your teacher's email address and add your counselor to your recommender page so that they can receive a generated email to complete a recommendation for you.
 - For non-Common App schools, follow the directions of the school regarding how to request a letter
- *Counselor Recommendations:* Counselors need recommendation requests at least 3 weeks in advance. In order to write your recommendation, it is required that you complete the "**Senior Information Profile**" in Schoolinks.

Deadlines: **It is critical that you keep track of deadlines!**

- Counselors need recommendation requests 3+ school weeks in advance. ***Remember to keep in mind Winter Break, Thanksgiving Break, etc.
- **Your college application is incomplete until the college has received everything they require. Make sure you submit ALL required materials prior to the application deadline. However – please note that you don't have to wait to start submitting materials until you have everything.**

Common Application FAQ's:

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- 2026 Graduating Class Size: **470**

- Class Rank: **We do not Rank** and we use Weighted NGA. You can obtain your NGA from Infinite Campus under Sidebar – Documents – FCS Unofficial transcript

SAT/ACT: CEEB Code: 112-625

- Many Colleges require official SAT/ACT scores, which means they must go directly from the testing organizations to the college. Many schools will accept either one for admission purposes.
- **SAT:** <https://www.collegeboard.org/> **ACT:** <https://www.act.org/>
- Students who qualify for free/reduced lunch can get fee waivers to cover the cost of the SAT/ACT. You must complete the online application form. <https://nutrition.fultonschools.org/FreeAndReducedInfo>
- Please be aware that those Schools that are test-optional will not penalize a student for not submitting test scores for any reason.

Scholarships and Financial Aid:

- FAFSA: We encourage all families to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). This form must be completed to qualify for the HOPE Scholarship and other possible aid. You can complete it starting October 1, 2025. www.fafsa.ed.gov
- Scholarships: We encourage students to research and apply for relevant scholarships. Apply for scholarship opportunities in Schoolinks including National, state and local.

HOPE Scholarship:

- **Your GPA for the purpose of the HOPE Scholarship is calculated by the Georgia Student Finance Commission – not by Roswell High School.**
- You must find out your official “HOPE GPA” and required RIGOR by creating an account on GAFutures.org.
- You **MUST** have your social security number on file at Roswell in order to be eligible for HOPE.
- If you are unable to see your HOPE GPA on GAFutures, please bring a copy of your SS card by November 1st so we can correct your number in Infinite Campus
- More details about HOPE can be found here: <https://www.gafutures.org/hope-state-aid-programs/>

GPA:

- Contact each college/university to determine how GPA is calculated:
 - Academic GPA vs. Overall GPA....Weighted vs. Unweighted

College Visits:

- Make sure to visit with the many college reps coming to Roswell HS. Check out your Schoolinks Events page for the schedule of visits.

Stay Informed and In Touch:

- Instagram: @Counselors_RHS and Twitter: @Counselors_RHS
- Double check your credits/fulfillment of graduation requirements with your counselor. Make sure you have submitted your P. Fitness Exemption form if applicable to you!
- **STAY IN TOUCH WITH YOUR SCHOOL COUNSELOR!**
- Students – **Advocate for yourself.** Email your counselor with questions or concerns.