GETTING STARTED IN THE HIGH SCHOOL
9TH GRADE

BIG MACS
CANON-McMILLAN

Attendance Matters!
Being in school is the number one way to succeed! Every day counts!

EVERY DAY COUNTS
Canon-McMillan High School

Study, Study, Study!
Your grades now contribute to your overall GPA used for college, trade/tech school admissions.

Meet with your School Counselor
Visit with your School Counselor to discuss your post-secondary plans, review your transcript, discuss graduation requirements, etc.

Build Communication Skills!
Be proactive with communicating with your teachers and practice email etiquette.

Graduation Requirements
Be aware of graduation requirements, including credit count, Act 158, Future Ready, etc.

Take the "Right" Classes!
Be sure to choose a variety of electives that you want to learn more about. This is a great way to find out what suits you and what does not.

If you are an athlete planning to continue playing a sport in college, you MUST register with the NCAA Eligibility Center. Schedule a meeting with Coach Evans for support.

NCAA

Start Researching!
Research majors that might be a good fit with your interests and goals.

Job Shadowing
Schedule a job shadowing experience to help better determine the best career path for you.

College Visits
It's never too early to start visiting colleges/universities that you are interested in. Make a list and get started on those tours!

Get Involved!
Choose one or two clubs/activities to join and start volunteering. Keep track of all that you are involved in and even start a resume!

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