10TH Grade College Planning

CHECKLIST

***MANDATORY* (Please enter these dates into your family calendar.)**

Revised July 2026

✔	DATE	EVENT/TASK
	AUGUST 16 and 17	• ***High School Orientation** (8/16 returning 10th-12th grade students); New students 8/17 orientation.
	SEPTEMBER	• Create or update profile on Cialfo (DSA.Cialfo.co) and work on grade level tasks. • Update X2vol account (input volunteer hours).
	OCTOBER	• Work on time management and study skills! • Work on volunteer hours.
	OCTOBER 27	• **Sophomore PSAT at DSA from 8 am to 12 pm.**
	NOVEMBER 10	• **Financial Aid Information Night for students and parents at 7:00pm**
	NOVEMBER 17	• ***Attend the parent-student college planning meeting at 7:00pm**
	FEBRUARY	• Create an account on **raise.me.com** and **Big Future** for scholarships. • Meet with Mrs. Suarez (schedule meeting through Cialfo).
	MARCH	• Schedule junior-year courses.
	APRIL 8	• **Spring College Fair from 6:30-8 pm**
	MAY	• Strive to complete 50% or more of community service requirements (update X2vol account).
	SUMMER	• Begin ACT/SAT test preparation. • Research colleges through Cialfo. • Visit colleges. • Strive to complete 50% or more of community service requirements (update X2vol account).