

JUNIOR PLANNER

AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER:

- _____ Check with your counselor about credits for graduation and make sure you are on track.
- _____ Take a strong academic prep program.
- _____ Prepare for the PSAT test. See your counselor about programs to help.
- _____ Organize a calendar with deadlines. Use your planner.

OCTOBER:

- _____ Take the PSAT Test in Oct. (results in about-6 weeks.) Top scores qualify for National Merit Scholarships (notification next fall.)
- _____ Attend TUSD College Night at the Tucson Convention Center.

NOVEMBER:

- _____ Develop a preliminary college list with parents and counselor.
- _____ Talk with military, college, and vocational school representatives who visit your school.
- _____ Take the ASVAB – (Armed Services Vocational and Battery)
- _____ Visit your schools career center.

DECEMBER:

- _____ If you are taking an Advanced Placement Course, ask about AP exams.

JANUARY:

- _____ Discuss PSAT scores with counselor, SAT/ACT prep courses.
- _____ Register to take a SAT or ACT!

FEBRUARY:

- _____ Prepare for SAT and ACT given this month.
- _____ Check transcript with counselor and plan senior year.

MARCH:

- _____ **Plan your Senior Class schedule. Check with your counselor to make sure you are on the way to graduation.**
- _____ Register for SAT and ACT for May or June if you haven't already taken it or need to re-take it.
- _____ Register for AP exams.
- _____ Write to colleges or other programs for brochures and admission information.

APRIL:

- _____ Notify your counselor of scholarships/academic awards received.
- _____ Prepare a resume, and begin looking for a summer job or volunteer program.

MAY:

- _____ AP Exams given this month.
- _____ Many colleges have summer school classes or programs you can take. Check them out!
- _____ Make appointments to visit colleges, universities and tech programs during the summer.
- _____ Do some volunteer work in field of interest.

JUNE:

- _____ SAT I and II, and ACT given this month.
- _____ Athletes get cleared by the NCAA by submitting on-line at www.ncaa.org