



Junior college checklist

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fall	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Spring	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Summer
<p>Start building a list of your top five colleges. FloridaShines' college and university profile lists the admissions requirements, deadlines, and other important information about each public college and university in Florida.</p> <p>You can also use Bigfuture, which also offers similar tools.</p>	<p>Search for scholarships.</p> <p>Fast Web</p> <p>Big Future</p> <p>Don't forget about the community service requirement for the Florida Bright Future Scholarship!</p>	<p>Visit the colleges that are on your short list. Most colleges have "official visits" that you can sign up for. Have questions for the guide doing the tour.</p>
<p>Attend FloridaShines Virtual College Week.</p>	<p>Consider asking teachers, work supervisors and principals to write you a letter of recommendation for college.</p>	<p>Start communicating with admissions officers and recruiters at colleges on your list.</p>
<p>Make yourself familiar with the dates and Register for the SAT and ACT in December - February and/or throughout the spring. Fee waivers are available for qualifying students.</p>	<p>If your school requires you to write an admission essay, start on this now. Check the websites of the colleges you are interested in to see what their essay questions are.</p> <p>Mr. Howe will be happy to help you improve them.</p>	<p>Apply online to the colleges that you think are a good fit for your selected major.</p>
<p>Make a check of your awards, community service hours, and resume.</p>	<p>Organize financial aid information for paying for college.</p>	
<p>Finalize your list of possible colleges that you'd like to attend. Get in contact with them to see if they are coming to the area.</p>	<p>Plan college visits for the Summer.</p>	