College Admissions Checklist

Complete College Applications

- o If the college is not a **Common App** school, complete the application on the college's website.
- For Common App schools, click the link to learn how to <u>Create a Common App Account</u>,
 Complete the FERPA, and Complete Naviance Matching
 - Common Application Resources
 - List of Common App Schools
 - Common App Essay Prompts
 - List of Materials Required to Complete the Common App
 - Required school & counselor details (click on your counselor's name below)
 Mr. Harrison
 Ms. Henry
 Ms. McFadden
 Ms. Samaha

O Request Teacher Recommendations

- Ask the teacher *in-person* at least 4 weeks before your first deadline. Do not ask for more letters than you need (typically 1 or 2)
- Submit a Letter of Recommendation Request Through Naviance (click the link to learn how) to so your teacher can upload your letter to Naviance.
- Give a completed <u>Letter of Recommendation Form</u> to the teacher writing your recommendation and to your guidance counselor.
- O Submit a <u>Transcript Release Form</u>
 - o Give to your counselor 2 weeks before your 1st admissions deadline
- O Release SAT Scores from College Board (Talk to your counselor if you are not sure whether to take the SAT/send your scores
 - o 2024-2025 SAT Test Dates
 - How to send SAT scores to my colleges
- Research and Apply for Scholarships
 - Naviance Find & Track Scholarship Reference Guide
- Apply for Financial Aid with the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)
 - o Applying for Financial Aid with the FAFSA Form-Video