**11th Grade Timeline**(check off the items you have completed).

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| August | \_\_Check to see that you’re scheduled for the correct courses.\_\_ Prepare for the PSAT/NMSQT test |
| September | \_\_ Begin attending college sessions at your high school.\_\_Obtain the catalogs/brochures of the colleges/universities.\_\_ Prepare for the PSAT by reviewing practice tests. |
| October | \_\_Attend College Night.\_\_Take the [PSAT/NMSQT](http://www.collegefortexans.com/cfbin/extpage.cfm?SiteID=8) (Practice PSAT) & use the results to help you. |
| November | \_\_Set up a working resume for yourself.\_\_Visit your school’s college room/center. |
| December | \_\_Begin writing your personal essays for applications, scholarships, etc.\_\_Determine your GPA and approximate class rank and check the entrance requirements for colleges that you are interested in to determine if your GPA and rank are within the norm for those universities. |
| January | \_\_Begin deciding courses for the senior year.\_\_Check for course selection dates with your counselor.\_\_Review your PSAT scores and utilize the College Board My Road site that provides individualized assistance based on your results.  This will help you improve your SAT scores. |
| February | \_\_Request verification of community service.\_\_Research to see if you will need to take SAT II tests. |
| March | \_\_Begin to think about whom you will ask to write your recommendation letters.\_\_Narrow your college choices to 5-10\_\_Take SAT (School Administration)\_\_Prepare for the AP Exams scheduled for May. |
| April | \_\_Take all state and college admissions tests seriously!\_\_Check that your graduation requirements are in order.\_\_Register for the SAT and the ACT and take these if you have not already done so. |
| May | \_\_Register to take both the [ACT](http://www.actstudent.org/regist/elecreg.html) and [SAT](http://www.collegefortexans.com/cfbin/extpage.cfm?SiteID=9) during the summer.\_\_Study and take as many [AP Exams](http://www.collegefortexans.com/cfbin/extpage.cfm?SiteID=15) as you can. |
| June | \_\_Take the [ACT](http://www.actstudent.org/regist/elecreg.html) and the [SAT](http://www.collegefortexans.com/cfbin/extpage.cfm?SiteID=9) .\_\_Visit the colleges you are interested in.\_\_Volunteer in your community. |