

## **College Preparation Calendar**

Freshman Year Aug

Sep

Nov

Dec

Feb Jan

Mar

Apr

May

Jun

Develop a summer reading list

Hone up on math skills

Take classes that will challenge you

Explore different passions and interests

**Oct** 

Start strong; maintain a high GPA

Set goals for next three years

Create a summer plan

Jul Aug Sep

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May

**Sophomore Year** Jun

Make outside of school reading list

Summer school to catch up or get ahead

Plan to get into honors and AP classes. Find out if you need certain grades, or if there are entrance tests.

Build a testing timeline

AP exams, SAT Subject Tests

PSAT Extracurriculars

**Junior Year** Jul Aug

Summer ACT/SAT test prep

Summer school to catch up or get ahead

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SAT/ACT Testing -

Extracurriculars

Start on recommendation letters

AP exams, SAT Subject Tests

Create a summer plan

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**Senior Year** May Jun

AP exams, SAT Subject Tests Scholarship essays

Last chance for SAT/ACT Testing

Applications, college visits, application essays

Acceptance Letters

College tours