

Date: _____

Student Name: _____

ID: _____

Senior Checklist

Proposed future Career/College Major: _____

After high school graduation, I plan to:

____ Enlist in this branch of the military: _____

____ Talked to a recruiter

____ Taken the ASVAB

____ Attend a 2 year community/junior college or technical/career college

____ Applying to: _____

____ Attend a 4 year college/university

____ Applying to: _____

Steps I have taken:

____ Visited the Counselor's website for important College Information

____ Created a Resume

____ Registered for or taken a college entrance exams – SAT or ACT (when? _____)

____ You must register online at the appropriate website.

www.act.org or www.collegeboard.com

____ Sent my ACT/SAT/AP scores to my college?

Colleges and universities want official test scores sent directly from ACT/College Board. You may choose schools to receive your scores when you register for the exams-your test fee covers this. If you do not select schools to receive your scores when you register for your exams, you will have to pay an additional fee to have them sent.

____ Taken placement exam for community college (if required)

____ Admission paperwork

- If you are applying to a public college or university in Texas, you need to visit www.applytexas.org. Some private schools in Texas also use this website.
- If you are applying to a private school or a school outside of Texas, please follow the instructions on their website. Keep in mind that each school has specific instructions and deadlines. Pay attention and be accurate and complete!

____ Requested transcripts

- There is a **Transcript Request Form** on the **Counselors' Corner** of the school website. These are also available in the front office. Completed forms must be submitted to Mrs. Liston, our registrar, in the front office. Transcript and all transcripts for scholarships are free.
- Due to state law, official transcripts must be sent directly from high schools to colleges/universities. Mrs. Liston may release official transcripts in sealed envelopes only to students applying for scholarships outside of those offered by colleges/universities. Please allow five working days to process a transcript request.

____ Submitted housing application and deposit

____ Applied for financial aid with FAFSA (www.fafsa.ed.gov)

- Familiarize yourself with the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at www.fafsa.ed.gov.
- Apply for student/parent Personal Identification Numbers (PINs) at www.pin.ed.gov. These will be required in order to submit your FAFSA electronically in the spring. The FAFSA cannot be submitted until Oct. 1 each year for the following school year.
- Searched the Counselor's website for scholarship information
<http://www.scuc.txed.net/SamuelClemens.cfm?subpage=512>