TOPTIER ADMISSIONS

College Admissions Timeline

For Rising Seniors

Junior Spring

MAY

- Request your recommendation letters from teachers
- Register for the summer SAT/ACT

Rising Senior Summer

JUNE

- Finalize your college list
- Plan campus visits
- Work with a tutor as needed for the SAT/ACT

JULY

- Open a Common App account and fill in biographical info
- AP scores are released

AUGUST

- Draft supplemental essays
- Attend Application Boot Camp®

Senior Fall

SEPTEMBER

- Meet with your school counselor to finalize your application plan

OCTOBER

- Fill out FAFSA and CSS Profile
- Polish up early applications

NOVEMBER

- Submit early applications
- Prepare for interviews if your early round schools offer them

DECEMBER

- Finish with strong grades
- Submit any deferral materials
- Polish up applications

Senior Spring

JANUARY

- Submit Early Decision II and Regular Decision applications

FEBRUARY

- Work with us to prepare for interviews with your regular decision colleges

MARCH

- Review admissions decisions
- Submit any waitlist materials

APRIL

- Commit to a college and pay your deposit by May 1st

MAY

- Celebrate and finish your senior year strong!