

# Junior Year Calendar

**THROUGHOUT THE YEAR: Strive for Good Grades, Continue to do extracurricular activities (both on and off campus), Apply for scholarships!**

<u><b>SEPTEMBER</b></u>	<u><b>OCTOBER</b></u>	<u><b>NOVEMBER</b></u>	<u><b>DECEMBER</b></u>	<u><b>JANUARY</b></u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Start looking through college reference books in the College Center or college websites.</li> <li>➤ Attend college presentations at Gertz-Ressler High School.</li> <li>➤ Plan on how you will get involved with volunteer opportunities over the next two years.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Take the PSAT to be eligible for National Merit Scholarship competition – <b>October</b></li> <li>➤ Become familiar with your school resources that can help you get to college (teacher, counselor)</li> <li>➤ Review you 5<sup>th</sup> week report card</li> <li>➤ Go to tutoring if needed</li> <li>➤ Get involved in extracurricular activities</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Begin to research specific colleges that interest you.</li> <li>➤ Review your 10<sup>th</sup> week report cards!</li> <li>➤ Meet with you teachers if you have any grade clarifications</li> <li>➤ Start relating your college options to careers and begin career research</li> <li>➤ Continue to go to tutoring</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Receive and review your results of your PSAT/NMSQT with college counselor</li> <li>➤ Begin to Register for SAT I, SAT II and ACT</li> <li>➤ Review your 15<sup>th</sup> week report card.</li> <li>➤ Begin to prepare for ACT, SAT I, SAT II</li> <li>➤ Continue to relate your college options to careers</li> <li>➤ Have a Happy Holidays and prepare for reaming fall semester.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Prepare for finals</li> <li>➤ Be sure to meet with your teachers to clarify your grades.</li> <li>➤ Meet with your counselor to make sure that you are on track to graduate and see if alternative courses/actions are needed.</li> <li>➤ Prepare for finals</li> <li>➤ Sign up for SAT, SAT II, ACT</li> <li>➤ Submit your Junior Portfolio</li> </ul>
<u><b>FEBRAURY</b></u>	<u><b>MARCH</b></u>	<u><b>APRIL</b></u>	<u><b>MAY</b></u>	<u><b>JUNE</b></u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Review your final grades fall semester report card and speak to counselor if you become credit deficient.</li> <li>➤ Go to college tours</li> <li>➤ Begin to narrow your school college options.</li> <li>➤ Take Community College Courses to advance yourself in your classes.</li> <li>➤ Begin planning your senior program</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Sign up for any SAT, SAT II, ACT if you have not done so</li> <li>➤ Take your SAT I Exam – <b>March</b></li> <li>➤ Research Job Opportunity, Internships, or Volunteer opportunities offered during the summer.</li> <li>➤ Review you 5<sup>th</sup> week report card</li> <li>➤ Go to college tours</li> <li>➤ Sign-up for any SAT I Fulfillment fund workshops.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Take your ACT –<b>April</b></li> <li>➤ Research Job Opportunity, Internships, or Volunteer opportunities offered during the summer.</li> <li>➤ Review your 10<sup>th</sup> week report cards. Speak with you teacher/counselor regarding your grades</li> <li>➤ Go to college tours</li> <li>➤ Reevaluate your college goals with your fall semester grades and with you 10<sup>th</sup> week report cards</li> <li>➤ Submit your Brag sheet and Resume to your college counselor – <b>April</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Take your SAT II tests. – <b>May</b></li> <li>➤ Research Job Opportunity, Internships, or Volunteer opportunities offered during the summer.</li> <li>➤ Review your 15<sup>th</sup> week report cards. Speak with you teacher/counselor regarding your grades</li> <li>➤ Go to college tours</li> <li>➤ Take your AP Examinations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Take your SAT I or SAT II, if have not done so. – <b>June</b></li> <li>➤ Take your ACT, if have not done so – <b>June</b></li> <li>➤ Research Job Opportunity, Internships, or Volunteer opportunities offered during the summer.</li> <li>➤ Visit colleges/universities</li> <li>➤ Submit your Junior Portfolio</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>SUMMER!!!!!!</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Create summer brag sheet.</li> <li>➤ Meet with the college counselor to start talking about college.</li> </ul>

**FOR ANY QUESTIONS OR NEED ASSISTANCE, PLEASE CALL MS. ROMERO, COLLEGE COUNSELOR, @ (213) 745-8141 TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT**