

Gertz-Ressler High School (SCHOOL CODE 053-983)

Senior Year Calendar

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

<u>SEPTEMBER</u>	<u>OCTOBER</u>	<u>NOVEMBER</u>	<u>DECEMBER</u>	<u>JANUARY</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Start thinking about teachers whom you can request letters of recommendations. ➤ Register for ACT, SAT I, SAT II Standardized Test: Sept 9th ➤ Meet with your college counselor (<i>be sure to submit your college brag sheet, parent information sheet to your counselor prior to meeting with him</i>). ➤ Begin to finalize what college you want to apply too! ➤ If you are applying for early decision, begin applying for them ➤ Attend college fairs, college visits 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Take Standardized Tests – Oct (SAT) & Oct 24th (ACT) ➤ Work on College Essays ➤ Work on College Applications. (UC,CSU, Private) ➤ Ask for letter of Recommendations ➤ Attend college fairs, college visits ➤ Review your 5th week report card. ➤ CSU GRHS Application Deadline: October 30th ➤ Attend college workshops 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Take Standardized Tests – Nov (SAT) ➤ Attend college fairs, college visits ➤ Work on UC college applications (Submission deadline: 11/30) ➤ Continue working on additional college applications ➤ Work on college applications ➤ Ask for letter of recommendations from teachers ➤ Follow up with teachers, counselors, and others, to make sure that letter of recommendations are mailed out. ➤ Attend college workshops 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Take Standardized Tests – Dec 5th (SAT) & Dec 12th (ACT) ➤ Finalize and submit remaining applications – Dec 15th / USC Dec 10th ➤ Review your 10th week report cards ➤ Start filling out the paper worksheet of the FAFSA. Do not submit FAFSA Application before January 1. ➤ APPLY for a Pin Number for FAFSA ➤ If you applied for early decision look out for letters in the mail ➤ Follow up with teachers, counselors, about letter of recommendations ➤ Apply for CSS Profile – jan 15th 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Meet with counselor to discuss spring course work ➤ File previous year's tax forms as soon as possible. ➤ Attend financial aid workshops ➤ Submit FAFSA application – Jan 30th (must be submitted by March 2) ➤ Submit midyear grades/transcripts/progress reports/recommendations to colleges/universities requesting information ➤ Follow up with universities to make sure they have received your test scores ➤ Work on GPA Verification Forms
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>FEBRAURY</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Meet with counselor to discuss spring course work if you have not done so ➤ Pay attention to your mailbox- admissions letters will be sent out ➤ Follow up with universities regarding midyear reports ➤ Submit FAFSA application (must be submitted by March 2) if you have not do so ➤ Work on GPA Verification Forms ➤ Review you final 20 week report card. 	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>MARCH</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Pay attention to your mailbox- admissions letters will be sent out ➤ Submit FAFSA application (Submission Deadline: 3/2) if you have not done so ➤ GPA Verification Due (Submissions Deadline: 3/2) ➤ Review Student Aid Report, ➤ Visit colleges/universities that admitted you ➤ Call universities for follow-up on admissions decisions. ➤ Review your 5th week report card 	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>APRIL</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Pay attention to your mail- admissions letters will be sent out ➤ Follow up with colleges who have yet informed you of their admissions decisions ➤ Visit colleges/universities that admitted you to see if it is a good fit for you. ➤ If appealing any admissions decisions, prepare your materials and send materials ➤ Start preparing for your AP ➤ Review your 10th week report card ➤ Compare your financial award letters 	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>MAY</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Finalize and choose your college/university if you have not done so! - (<i>Remember: you may only select one college to attend to</i>) – May 1st ➤ Take you AP Examinations ➤ Thank your teachers, counselor for working with you during the application process ➤ Make sure that all requested information for your financial aid package or award letter are submitted to the financial aid office. ➤ Review your 15th week report card 	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>JUNE</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Request for your final transcripts to be sent to your college. ➤ GRADUATION! <hr style="border: 1px solid black;"/> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>SUMMER!!!!!!</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Look in the mailbox for any information regarding the college your selected ➤ Take placement exams for college courses <p style="text-align: center;">GERTZ-RESSLER HS</p> <p style="text-align: center;">WISHES YOU THE BEST OF LUCK!!!!</p>

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