

Senior Year—College/Career Calendar 2011-2012

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-Be Aware of Deadlines-

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SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY
Register on line for SAT By Sept. 9 for Oct. 1 test <i>SAT Session—library Sept 29 & 30 Cost \$89.00</i>	SAT – October 1 Register at least one month ahead of time at www.collegeboard.com	SAT- November 5 Register at least one month ahead of time	SAT - December 3 Register at least one month ahead of time	SAT - January 28 Register at least one month ahead of time
ACT —Sept 10* www.actstudent.org Register at least one month ahead of time	ACT—October 22 Register at least one month ahead of time		ACT—December 10 Register at least one month ahead of time	
Meet with Beyond Sprague Consultants for post high-school plans. NCAA Athletes – Check requirements & deadlines	OUS Schools and Chemeketa visit Sprague. Oct. 17 9:30am. Be sure to attend.	Meet with college representatives who visit Sprague – beginning in Oct.		
Get a PIN number so you can sign your FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Air) online www.fafsa.ed.gov	Submit CSS (College Scholarship Service) Profile application to schools requiring the Profile	Gather financial aid information. Print a worksheet from FAFSA web site so you're ready to submit by January 1 www.fafsa.ed.gov	Attend Financial Aid Night Monday, Dec 5 at 7PM Sprague Library	Complete FAFSA online ASAP after January 1. Use estimates for income if needed. You can revise later.
Look for scholarships right away. Those with early deadlines often have few applicants!	Look at the Scholarship Board online, regularly. New scholarships are added all the time.	Do both Financial Aid sorts on CIS. You'll find many scholarships to apply for.	Observe application and scholarship deadlines	
Obtain an unofficial transcript, from the registrar, to help you fill out applications	Review your graduation and college requirements with your counselor	Request recommendation letters from teachers and counselors. <i>Request 3 weeks in advance of the date needed</i>	Keep your grades up! Colleges look at first semester AND year-end grades	Watch those application deadlines, apply to at least 3 schools
Research schools in guidebooks and on the web. Contact colleges/schools for applications; check which tests are required. Check application deadlines!	Plan visits to colleges, schedule interviews, stay overnight & visit classes. Work on rough draft essays for college or scholarships. Send in early decision/early action applications.	OSU & UO early notification deadline is Nov 1. Mail Academy & ROTC applications. California public universities app deadline is Nov 30. Stanford is Dec. 15	Check admission deadlines for Oregon and other colleges. Apply to at least 3 schools	Send first semester official transcript to colleges. Request in theBbusiness Office. Request housing applications from colleges. U of O deadline: Jan. 15
Attend College Fairs starting in October	National Performing & Visual Arts Fair Oct. 25 Portland 6-8 pm	National College Fair Portland Nov 6-7		

	National Christian College Fair , Oct 11 6-8pm Portland www.nccf.us	All-City College Fair Salem Nov 7		
FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	
	SAT - March 10 www.collegeboard.com Register at least one month ahead of time		SAT - May 5 Register at least one month ahead of time	SAT - June 2 Register at least one month ahead of time
		ACT—April 14 www.actstudent.org Register at least one month ahead of time		ACT – June 9 Register at least one month ahead of time
	Sign up for AP Exams		AP Exams First 2 weeks of May	Senior Banquet – June 6 Senior Assembly – June 7 Graduation – June 8 All Night Party 10:30 to 4:30
College acceptance letters may begin arriving! Send in CSS Profile to the schools that require it	Watch for Student Aid Report to arrive, giving you the amount of student aid for which you are eligible	Send acceptance letter & rejection letters to colleges Be proud...you've completed a difficult task. Include deposit if required	Sign & return financial award letter	Look for information from the college about housing, roommate(s), orientation, and course selection. Have a great freshman year!
Keep checking the Scholarship Board and deadlines.	OSAC Scholarship due March 1	Some scholarships have late deadlines – keep checking!	Check WUE if you are attending a Western States college www.wiche.edu/sep	
Submit applications to community colleges —take placement tests OSU Deadline: Feb. 1		Send thank you to teachers, counselor, or anyone who helped you through the process		Request your final transcript be sent to the college you will be attending. Congratulations , you've made it through high school!

Resources to help you in the college admissions process:

1. *Web sites

- a. Sprague web site @ <http://spraguehs.com>
click on Counseling link for college planning, application and financial aid information and web resources

2. CRIC

- a. Request slips for individual consulting with Beyond Sprague staff on post high-school options/planning.
- b. College or career resource materials are available
- c. SAT/ACT test registration information

3. BUSINESS OFFICE

- a. Request for Recommendation forms
- b. Request for transcript

4. OSAC Scholarship @ www.getcollegefund.org

5. Counselors

- a. Recommendations
- b. Check high school graduation requirements

6. Teachers

- a. Recommendations
- b. Proof essays

7. Scholarship Web Sites

- <http://oregoncis.uoregon.edu> (CIS) www.free-4u.com
www.fastweb.com www.studentaid.ed.gov
www.scholarships.com www.collegeboard.com
www.scholarsite.com www.mypathcareers.org
www.finaid.org