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## Sophomore: College To-do List

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### Spring Semester

- Remember the importance of your **grades**; keep working hard in class.
- Meet with your **post-graduation counselor**.
- Start thinking about your interests, likes and dislikes, strengths and challenges.
- Keep an eye out for **college fairs/virtual college fairs** in the area and plan to attend.
- Attend **presentations and meetings** sponsored by the post graduation counseling office.
- Create a **College Board** account.
- Become more deeply involved in your **extra curricular activities**, and start seeking out more opportunities to take on leadership and serve those around you.
- Track your list of **activities and awards**.
- Continue to develop your relationships with your **teachers, counselors, and mentors**.  
Remember that you will be asking them for recommendation letters soon!
- Watch your **social media activity**. Colleges do check this!
- Make sure you have a **professional email address** to share with colleges.

### Summer Break

- **Visit colleges** (in person or virtual), ask questions, and track your impressions.
- **Read** good books and continue to hone your writing skills.
- **Use your summer well**. Volunteer, travel, teach yourself something new, take a class, visit colleges, participate in a summer enrichment program, get a job, etc.