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| **DECEMBER** | **JANUARY** | **FEBRUARY** |
| * **Register for an SAT date of your choice** | * **Schedule individual conferences with counselors** * **Attend Great Neck South’s College Night** * **Register on Naviance** | * **Visit colleges during vacation** * **Select Senior Year Courses** * **Individual conferences with**   **counselors will continue**   * **Research colleges on Naviance** |
| **MARCH** | **APRIL** | **MAY** |
| * **Finalize Senior Year Course Selection** * **Individual conferences with counselors will continue** | * **Visit colleges during vacation** * **Individual conferences with counselors will continue** | * **AP Exams** |
| **JUNE** | **JULY** | **AUGUST** |
| * **Ask teachers to write college recommendation letters** * **Submit College Questionnaire to your counselor** | * **Visit colleges** * **Continue college exploration**   + **Begin college applications** * **Register on Common App** * **Complete FERPA on Naviance**   + **Begin brainstorming and writing personal college essay(s)** | * + **Visit colleges**   + **Continue college exploration**   + **Continue working on college applications**   + **Continue working on college essay** |
| **SEPTEMBER** | **OCTOBER** | **NOVEMBER** |
| * **Continue working on college applications** * **Follow up with teachers who are writing your recommendations** * **Meet with your guidance counselor to explore college options and to hand them your College Questionnaire if you didn’t do so in June** * **College Representatives visit guidance daily – listen for announcements and check Naviance for the schedule** * **Financial Aid Meeting for parents** | * **Review transcripts for corrections** * **Hand in Early Decision and Early** * **Action applications to counselors** * **Contact College Board and have SAT scores sent to colleges** * **Complete CSS profile if required** * **Parents can file FAFSA after** * **October 1 (using prior, prior year)** | * **Early Decision & Early Action**   **applications due**   * **Assess your college list to assure that you are applying to a “safe” school—refer to Naviance or check with your guidance counselor if you are unsure** |
| **DECEMBER** | **JANUARY** | **APRIL** |
| * **Applications due by January 1 must be submitted to the Guidance Office by December 1** | * **All or most college applications should be submitted to Guidance** | * **College application decisions by April 1 – 15** * **Deposits to colleges by May 1** * **INFORM YOUR COUNSELOR ON YOUR ACCEPTANCE STATUS AND WHICH SCHOOL YOU ARE ATTENDING** |