

**Class of 2014**  
**Useful Dates for Senior Project and the *College Application Process***

Date/Time	Event
Spring/Summer/Early Fall	<i>Research Colleges and Universities, request admission information, visit campuses</i> Narrow down Senior Project Idea
Bi-Weekly	Meet with Senior Project Consultant <i>at least</i> every 2 weeks, for <i>at least</i> 15 minutes.
Each Month	Opportunity to register for ACT and SAT
Throughout the year	Volunteer, engage in extracurricular activities, community activities, work a job.
Mid-Late September	Finalize Project Idea.
<b>September 25th</b>	<b>Proposal draft due to Ken</b>
Late September - Early October	Revise and edit Project Proposal Draft Invite PRC members to first PRC meeting. Prepare for first PRC Meeting
<b>October 17-18</b>	<b>First PRC Meetings</b>
<i>November 1-2</i>	<i>Portland National College Fair at Oregon Convention Center</i>
Late October	<i>Narrow College Choices.</i> Work on approved project in earnest. Keep log or diary of all project work (this will be an excellent resource for the written component).
October 28	¼ Way Point for Senior Projects: Due in 25 Weeks.
<i>November 1</i>	<i>Early Admissions deadline for many colleges and universities.</i>
<i>Early November</i>	<i>Ask teachers, bosses, coaches, etc for letters of recommendation</i> <i>Prepare first draft of college essays.</i>
October 25th	TFT Grant Application due to front desk. (Opportunity 1 of 2)
<i>Late November</i>	<i>Revise and edit college application essays.</i>
November 8th	TFT Grant Interviews.

<i>Early December</i>	<i>Send out reminders about letters of recommendation. Final edit of college application essays.</i>
<i>Mid December</i>	<i>Assemble and submit college application materials. Begin filling out Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).</i>
December 30th	Half-Way point for projects: Due in 16 weeks.
<i>January 1st, 12:01 AM</i>	<i>FAFSA begins accepting applications. Some college application due.</i>
January 24th	TFT grant application due (last chance)
<i>January 15th</i>	<i>Many college applications due.</i>
<b>January 15th-17th</b>	<b>Second PRC meetings</b>
<i>Late January</i>	<i>Research scholarships. Draft scholarship essays.</i>
<i>February 1st</i>	<i>Many college applications due.</i>
February 7th	TFT grant interviews.
<i>Early-Mid February</i>	<i>Revise and edit scholarship essays.</i>
<i>February 15th</i>	<i>Oregon Student Assistance Commission (OSAC) early bird deadline</i>
<i>Late February</i>	<i>Assemble and submit scholarship material.</i>
February 24th	$\frac{3}{4}$ -way point for projects: Due in 8 weeks.
<i>March 1st</i>	<i>OSAC Scholarship deadline.</i>
Early March	Order tassles, caps, gowns, and graduation announcements.
<b>Monday, April 21st</b>	<b>Copies of senior project due to all PRC members.</b>
<b>April 29-May 2nd</b>	<b>Final PRC meetings.</b>
Friday, May 16th	Senior Project Night
Friday, June 6th	Senior and Alumni Dinner Last day for seniors <i>if arranged with all teachers.</i>
Saturday, June 7th	Senior Class Commencement.