

LANDMARK

CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

College Counseling

Junior Year Timeline

Focus on continuing to reach your academic potential. Over the next few months, you will also begin developing your college list and working on key components of the college application process. The timeline below will help keep you on track.

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WHEN	WHAT	WHO
August 24, 2025 3 PM Woodward Academy	Woodward College Fair Attend the annual Woodward fair and for the opportunity to learn more about the 200+ colleges in attendance. Connect with the colleges you're interested in, while also exploring the ones you may not have considered.	Students, Parents, Admissions Reps
August 26, 2025 6 PM High School Cafe	First Semester College Planning Overview Meeting Join the college counseling team for a kick-off to the college application process. We will go over a timeline of the next year, provide an overview of the college search process, and identify where your focus should lie as you prepare for the year ahead. (Details to be sent via email- 1st week of school)	Students, Parents, College Counselors
August - December	College Admission Rep Visits Attend presentations and visits when College Admission representatives visit Landmark during the school day. These will take place during lunch and study hall periods.	Students
	College Research and Scheduling Visits Take advantage of any opportunity to connect with colleges throughout the year, whether through rep visits, college fairs, virtual sessions, or in-person tours. Seek out Junior Preview Days, special academic programs, etc. Utilize Scoir as a tool to begin building your college list and exploring the possibilities of what's out there! <i>*Note: students are allowed five excused absences for college visits between junior and senior year. See College Counselor for details.</i>	Students and Parents, with support from college counseling team
October	Standardized Testing: PSAT This practice test offered through College Board is administered during the school day at Landmark. It is taken 9th-11th grade and serves as a practice for the SAT. *Students take the PSAT/NMSQT in their junior year to determine National Merit Scholarship eligibility.	Students
	National Christian College Fair On October 27 , Landmark will host the Southwest Atlanta National Christian College Fair. Over 40 colleges from across the country will be in attendance. Register at findyourchristiancollege.com/college-fairs	Students, Parents, Admissions Reps
National Test Dates	Standardized Testing: SAT and ACT By Spring Break of Junior Year, students should have <u>at least one</u>	Students

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(SAT: 11/8, 12/6, 3/14, 5/2, 6/6 & ACT: 10/18, 12/13, 2/14, 4/11, 6/13, 7/11)	official sitting of SAT and/or ACT. Register for SAT at collegeboard.org Register for ACT at act.org	
January	Second Semester College Planning Kickoff Meeting Join the college counseling team for a presentation that builds off the prior meeting in the fall. We will dive into the semester ahead by giving an overview of what's expected and providing concrete guidance for this season. <i>(Date and Details TBA)</i>	Students
January - April	College Counseling Workshops Topic-specific workshops focusing on key components of the college application process. <i>(Dates and Details TBA)</i>	Students and College Counselors
February - March	Course Registration & High School Planning Q&A Sessions Prepare to attend one Q&A session (offered virtually and in-person) to discuss upcoming course registration and ask any questions related to college planning.	Parents, Principal, Registrar, College Counselors
	Course Advising Meetings and Registration Keep an eye on your portal messages and student email addresses for information regarding your course registration meeting. The purpose of these meetings is to discuss your specific course selections for the upcoming school year. This initial meeting is critical in determining alignment between classes for next year and college plans. <i>Registration will take place in the month of April.</i>	Students, Registrar, College Counselors
Second Semester & Summer (ongoing)	Individual College Planning Meetings After receiving guidance from your college counselor, schedule time to discuss your college plan. You <u>must</u> complete the <i>required</i> student and parent surveys prior to the meeting.	Students, Parents, College Counselors
	Summer Enrichment Planning Consider participating in summer enrichment programs and actively seek out opportunities to grow in areas that are of interest to you - whether it's career, service, hobby, or college-focused.	Students, with support from College Counselors and Parents
	Summer Tasks: • Complete Common Application • Continue taking ACT/SAT • Draft College Essays • Finalize College Resume • Visit Colleges • Build and Finalize your College List	

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