



Mountain View Academy

COLLEGE READINESS CALENDAR FOR PARENTS AND STUDENTS

10th Grade

FALL/ TENTH GRADE

Students:	Parents	Together
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Review your four-year academic plan with your registrar. Take “a-g” courses to meet college entrance requirements (Geometry, Algebra II, English II, a Fine Arts class and a Foreign Language)<input type="checkbox"/> Show colleges you're a well-rounded student by getting involved in extracurricular activities. (sports, SA, music, or Club)<input type="checkbox"/> Register for and take the PSAT (pre-SAT) and/or PLAN (pre-ACT) tests.<input type="checkbox"/> Get familiar with college planning and the admissions process so you'll know what to expect before college.<input type="checkbox"/> Attend College Fair (Oct. 29th, 2018)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Visit the school and meet your students' teachers, ask how and when it's best to communicate with them. Learn when report cards will come out and ask for progress updates.<input type="checkbox"/> Encourage your student to seek help with challenging subjects, enlisting a tutor if necessary.<input type="checkbox"/> Check Renweb for information about events, testing dates and access to your student's grades.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Participate in a college fair and attend college financial aid workshop if one is offered.<input type="checkbox"/> Explore opportunities for the student to take a leadership role in current activities.<input type="checkbox"/> Begin researching scholarships at your target colleges.

WINTER/ TENTH GRADE

Students:	Parents	Together
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Set up free online accounts with collegeboard.org and californiacolleges.edu. These websites will help you learn about the system and research colleges.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Check in with your student's teachers to find out how he or she is doing academically and socially. Social challenges can affect academic performance.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Take a tour of a local college or university while school is in session to get a feel for the campus.

Spring/ TENTH GRADE

Students:	Parents	Together
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Begin early to explore summer jobs, academic enrichment and volunteer opportunities.<input type="checkbox"/> Meet with your registrar to discuss Junior year coursework, especially AP and honors courses.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Meet with your student to discuss the activities listed at the left.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Expand your knowledge about prospective schools by attending college fairs and information sessions.

Summer/ TENTH GRADE

Students:	Parents	Together
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Confirm your summer plans.<input type="checkbox"/> Enroll in ACT or SAT prep over the summer while you still have free time.<input type="checkbox"/> Prepare for a new year by finishing your summer reading and AP prep.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Meet with your student to discuss the activities listed at the left.	