

**SENIORS**  
**CLASS OF 2018!**

**Please keep and review this month-by-month list of reminders, events, timelines and deadlines.**

**SEPTEMBER**

- Determine private and out-of-state college admissions deadlines and requirements
- Begin application process
- Register for college entrance tests (SAT & ACT as needed)
- Senior class meeting September 29 during P3 (look at signs for your correct location)
- Ring and Letterman Jacket order packets available in Counseling Office
- Parent Meeting September 26: 6-7:30pm: Seniors & Freshmen
- Attend Tuesday morning college & career workshops in the Future Center: 8-9am (September through January)

**OCTOBER**

- Begin scholarship search
- Begin college application process
- Ring and Letterman jacket orders October 4 during Brunch
- Males: Register for Selective Services when you turn 18
- Request letters of recommendation from teachers, counselors and employers
- Make personal contact with letter writers
- Attend college presentations at Summit and elsewhere
- Parents and Students register for FAFSA: Opens October 1
- Central Oregon College Fair October 5: 9-11:30am (Register in the Future Center)
- U of O Field Trip – October 17 (Register in the Future Center)
- OSU Corvallis Campus Field Trip – October 25 (Register in the Future Center)
- NACAC Portland National College Fair – October 30 (Register in the Future Center)

**NOVEMBER**

- November 1 – 30: window for applying to U of Calif. / Calif. State colleges; Early Action or Early Decision
- Financial Aid Night at Summit (Parent Event): November 2: 6-7:30pm SHS Library
- Apply for Oregon Promise if you will attend an Oregon Community College
- Attend college presentations at Summit and elsewhere
- Attend Military visitations
- Senior Class meeting / distribution of cap, gown & announcement orders: November 8 P2
- Cap, gown & announcement orders taken @ SHS, November 14 & 15 – 10:30am through Lunch
- Skilled Trades and Apprenticeship Career Fair: November 17 at Redmond COCC Manufacturing Applied Technical Center (MATC)

**DECEMBER**

- Deadline for applying for ROTC or Military Academies
- COCC Preview Day December 8: 9:30am-1pm (Register in the Future Center)
- ASVAB Testing December 12: 7:45-11:00am (Register in the Future Center)
- Mail out admission applications to most colleges
- Visit post high school institutions over winter break
- Write a thank you note to those who wrote you a letter of recommendation
- Confirm that your application to colleges is complete and has been received

## JANUARY

- Cap & Gown and Announcement orders deadline December 15-
- Observe scholarship deadlines (Dec. 1 – March 1 for many Oregon state colleges)
- College Goal Oregon – COCC provides assistance with FAFSA - TBA
- Confirm that your application to colleges is complete and has been received
- ASVAB follow up: test results and career planning January 11-: 10:15am
- HONORS DIPLOMA APPLICATIONS are DUE by the end of 1-semester.
- Complete Oregon Student Assistance Commission (OSAC) scholarship application

## FEBRUARY

- Counselors will meet with seniors who are in jeopardy of not graduating
- Apply for Oregon Promise if you will attend an Oregon Community College
- Follow up to colleges, make sure your application & supplemental information is complete and received
- Observe scholarship deadlines (Dec. 1 – March 1 for many Oregon state colleges)
- Send mid-year reports to colleges, if necessary
- Notification to students who are credit deficient for graduation

## MARCH

- Notification of college acceptance begins
- Progress Reports: Parents of seniors with a D or F receive notice
- Final date to submit OSAC scholarship – March 1
- All Final Online Exams ordered and completed prior to 4- quarter (PSU, BYU etc)
- Research and complete applications for local scholarships
- Natural Resources Career Fair TBA

## APRIL

- Check on grades being sent to SHS from online and district courses
- Sign ups begin for COCC placement testing at SHS (April or May)
- Attend Admitted Student Day events at campuses you've selected
- Register and pay for AP exams – AP testing is in May
- Before MAY 1 compare college acceptances and financial aid packages. Make school selection.
- Send selected college notification and any required deposits
- Notify other colleges that you will not be attending
- Deadline for those using a payment plan for rings, announcements
- April 2: Online class enrollment closed to students
- April 3: Senior Class Meeting – Arrive to D Hall at 9am: Distribution of Grad Announcements and Senior Packets (outside the auditorium).
- Health Careers Expo (April or May TBA)
- April 11: Make Up Mtg to pick up Senior Grad Packets: 1:05pm in the Library

## MAY

- National College Decision Day May 1-
- May 1: Register for community college fall classes
- May 4: Online class enrollment closed to ALL
- COCC Placement Tests
- COCC verification Deadline – End of May
- May 21: Summer School enrollment opens
- May 23: Mandatory Class Meeting / Delivery of Caps & Gowns. P4 Auditorium
- May 25: ALL ONLINE CLASSES MUST BE COMPLETED BY THIS DATE

## JUNE & END OF YEAR INFORMATION

(The following dates are subject to change)

- June 1- – SHS Field Day: 12:30 SHS STADIUM

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- June 1 – SENIOR DEADLINE: all class projects and assignments are due
- June 4 – By NOON, Teachers to report any failing senior. Seniors must be passing all required classes needed for graduation to participate in the commencement ceremony. This includes COCC and online verification
- June 4 – all senior grades reported
- June 5 – Senior Awards Assembly: GYM at 9:55am: Wear grad gown
- June 6 – Senior CHECK OUT & LAST DAY OF SCHOOL
- Final TRANSCRIPT REQUEST is part of the Check-Out Process
- COMMENCEMENT REHEARSAL: Thursday, June 7- 9-11am at Deschutes Co. Fairgrounds
- SENIOR BBQ: Thursday, June 7- at Summit after rehearsal
- Commencement: Saturday, June 9 – Deschutes County Fairgrounds 4:00 PM
- BUSING INFORMATION --- Saturday, June 9  
 Seniors will be bused to and from graduation!  
 2:15pm Arrive and load buses - SHS  
 2:45 pm Depart SHS for Redmond Fairgrounds  
 3:15 pm Arrive Event Center – back entrance

SENIOR MUSICIANS will ride music buses to the Event Center for the Graduation Ceremony

### SAT -- DATES and REGISTRATION DEADLINES

Registration information is available in the Counseling Center. You may register online at [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com)

PLAN AHEAD! Seek important test date and registration deadline information before it's too late!

### EARLY ACTION – EARLY DECISION DATES

November 1, 15 and 30 are often early action, early decision deadlines for college admission.

### LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION TIPS

Please give your teacher, administrator, counselor or employee at least THREE weeks lead time if you need him/her to write you a letter of recommendation. Don't forget to follow up with a thank you note!

~ MY NOTES & REMINDERS ~