

Freshman Year Checklist

August - October

- Meet with your counselor to discuss your schedule and high school plans. Take challenging classes to prepare you for college.
- Get involved in extracurricular school and community activities
- Study hard and get off to a good start in high school
- Explore the Career Cruising website
- Attend a college fair – Penn State Beaver, Robert Morris University

November - December

- Meet with your counselor to plan your next schedule

January - February

- Research colleges and admission requirements and/or tech schools
- Learn about college costs and financial aid

March – April

- Meet with counselor before scheduling classes for 10th grade
- Volunteer in your community
- SAT On-Line Prep information
- Look for an internship, job, or volunteer opportunity for the summer

May – June

- Begin creating a resume and personal portfolio with honors/awards, report cards, accomplishments, clubs, etc.

July – August

- Prepare for SATs with SAT On-Line Prep program