

# Montverde Academy College Counseling Senior Checklist

August	September	October	November	December
How does <a href="#">College Counseling</a> help in the College Selection Process?	Follow up with your teacher(s) regarding the recommendation request, from Junior year.	Notify your counselor by October 1 <sup>st</sup> if you are applying <a href="#">EA or ED</a> . If applying as <b>Early Decision (ED)</b> , complete an Early Decision Contract.	If you are a Florida resident, review the qualifications and apply for the <a href="#">Bright Futures</a> scholarship.	<a href="#">FAFSA</a> for 2024-2025 opens in December 2023.  Research and create scholarship accounts, such as <a href="#">Fastweb</a> , <a href="#">Big Future</a> or <a href="#">Chegg</a> .
Reacquaint yourself with SCOIR (App on IPAD) and continue searching for colleges that fit your interests.	Schedule your Senior meeting with your college counselor: - <a href="#">M. Bernatavitz</a> - <a href="#">R. Harkness</a> - <a href="#">D. Lockett</a> - <a href="#">J. Wexler</a>	The <a href="#">CSS Profile</a> , which some colleges require for financial aid, opens October 1 <sup>st</sup> .	Update SCOIR: placing colleges from the <b>Following</b> column to the <b>Applying</b> or <b>Applied</b> columns.	When you receive admission decisions, update SCOIR. Provide Mrs. De Lucca with a copy of all acceptance letters, including merit scholarship information.
Begin (or continue) working on your <a href="#">college essay</a> .  Create an account with <a href="#">Common Application</a> to start your applications.	Seniors and families are invited to Parent Night September 6 <sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 PM.	Attend Financial Aid <a href="#">presentation</a> October 18 <sup>th</sup> @6:30pm (Speaker: Steve Booker, Rollins College Associate VP and Director of Financial Aid).	Send official SAT / ACT scores to colleges who require the test for a completed application.	For all January 1 deadlines, please submit your applications and update SCOIR by 12/15, to ensure materials can be sent over the holiday break.
Register and take the <a href="#">SAT</a> / <a href="#">ACT</a> this semester.	International students will attend the International College Experience September 12, 6:30 PM.	Take the Senior school-day SAT Wednesday, October 11 <sup>th</sup> . College Counseling will register you for this test.	After submitting application(s) be sure to check your college portal(s) for updates.	
Finish your <a href="#">NCAA registration</a> , if not completed.	Continue working on your <a href="#">Common Application</a>	Attend 1 or more CAFÉ (College Applications For Everyone) sessions offered October 3, 10, 17, 24, and 31.	Meet with your college counselor, as needed	
Sign FERPA in SCOIR.	Attend college representative visits.			

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January	February	March	April	May
Continue working on and submitting your college applications.	Continue taking SAT/ACT, if needed to qualify for Bright Futures or other scholarships.	Once you've decided on your college, see Mrs. De Lucca to have your picture added to our "Where to Next?" wall.	For international students, please speak with MVA's Enrollment Management Office regarding the transfer of your I-20.	<b>Graduate!!</b> <b>You did it!!</b> 😊
Meet with your college counselor as needed.	As you receive academic merit scholarships, please notify Mrs. De Lucca in CC.	Meet with your college counselor as needed.	Update the College Counseling Office and Record Decision Outcomes in SCOIR.	Your final transcript will be sent to your enrolling college and the NCAA by June 15.
Your counselor will send mid-year reports & transcripts to schools in your <b>Applied</b> column.	Update the College Counseling Office and Record Decision Outcomes in SCOIR.	Update the College Counseling Office and Record Decision Outcomes in SCOIR.		

## More Resources:

- Information on taking the [SAT/ACT](#)
- Info for [International Students](#)
- [Florida Bright Futures](#)
- [FAFSA](#)
- What is [Early Action? Early Decision?](#)
- [State University System of Florida Matrix](#)

