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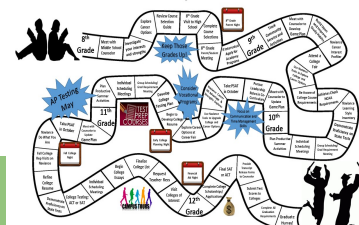
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Before we begin, I ask those students in the room - Why are you applying to college?

Then.....

What do you want from a college? and a campus?
Why is this important to YOU?

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Topics covered

- Start Early
- Academic Planning for each year
- Standardized Testing Plan
- College Visits
- Extra Curricular Activities
- NCAA Eligibility Center
- Application Process
- Financial Aid
- National Honor Society Requirements

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Start Early

Deadlines are Deadlines.

Even if you are entering into your senior year, you still have time.

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How an Admission Decision is Made

- Overall performance
- Level of Academic Rigor
- Grades in courses
- Standardized test scores; many schools are now test optional for the time being
- Letters of Recommendations
- Essay(s)
- Activities/Talents/Level of Involvement
- Demonstration of interest in a college
- Interview

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ACADEMIC PLANNING

A Game Plan -

- Course Selection/Teacher Recommendation
- 5 Major Academics (English, Math, Science, History, W.Lane. & Electives to Support

Navigating the College Process

