So You’re Applying to College!

Remember to Follow these Simple Guidelines!

**Community College**
- Apply by February of your Senior Year.
- The application is simple - no transcript or tests needed.
  - No application essay.

**Cal State University**
- Apply October 1st - November 30th
- Straight forward application - need to list classes taken.
  - SAT Reasoning or ACT required.
  - No application essay.

**University of California**
- Apply November 1st - November 30th
- More comprehensive application - Need to list classes taken, activities, and awards
  - SAT Reasoning or ACT with Writing required.
  - Two SAT Subject tests required.
    - (Must be from different disciplines)
  - Application has short answer essays.

**Private and Out of State Universities**
- Deadlines vary (most are due by mid January).
  - Comprehensive applications - Need to list classes taken, activities, awards.
  - Usually official transcripts need to be sent, as well as letter of recommendation.
- SAT Reasoning or ACT with Writing & SAT Subject tests required.
  - Applications usually have several essays.

Fee waivers for application costs are available to students who qualify!
For more information on applying to college, see your college counselor!