



**Thomas Jefferson I.B. World School  
Junior Year**



## **JUNIOR CHECKLIST**



- **Meet with you counselor to:**
  - Update your four-year plan
  - Make sure you are in the classes that meet your career and/or college goals
  - Discuss your career and college plans
  - Sign up for the PSAT in September for the October School Day PSAT
  - Plan your senior year in the spring
  - Enroll and attend summer school classes, if necessary
  - See if you qualify for fee waivers for college admissions, PSAT, SAT and ACT
  - Sign up for the SAT and ACT for the Spring and Summer of your junior year
- **Explore colleges of interest by...**
  - Visiting our campus College & Career HUB
  - Attending college fairs
  - Searching colleges & career exploration via SchoolLinks and/or the internet
  - Visiting college campuses
  - Researching majors and careers
  - Narrowing a list of colleges you wish to attend
- **Review your PSAT scores in December and find teachers or tutors to help you improve your weak areas - [KHAN Academy](#) and [Cafe College](#) are great resources as well**
- **Use free online tutoring for SAT and ACT**
- **Sign up for AP tests and the SAT and ACT in the spring of your junior year**
- **Take the ASVAB to explore career choices in November**
- **Continue to begin extracurricular activities, sports and volunteer work**

- **Begin planning your future financial needs**
- **Begin writing your personal statement during the summer**
- **Athletes should file with NCAA clearinghouse**
- **Spring of Junior Year - Ask teachers for a letter of recommendation** (*provide these teachers with a copy of your [college resume](#)*)

## **Websites to Visit**

### **Colleges:**

**Community Colleges:**     [Alamo Community Colleges Website Link](#)

**College for All Texans:**   [Texas Automatic Admissions Information](#)

### **College Entrance Exams:**

**SAT:**     [CollegeBoard](#)

**ACT:**     [ACT](#)

**Prep Sites:**[Cafe College](#)

[CollegeBoard](#)

[March2Success](#)

[ASVAB Career Exploration Program](#)

### **Scholarships:**

Visit the College & Career HUB

**Financial Aid:** [FAFSA Application](#) & [TASFA Application](#)