

Senior Year Timetable- College Admissions

TYPES OF COLLEGE ADMISSION

Early Decision I: Students apply earlier (deadlines in November) than the regular admissions deadline and typically know their admissions decision by mid-December of their senior year. Before applying for Early Decision, students should have carefully researched the college and feel strongly that it is an excellent match academically, socially, geographically and financially. Students can apply to only one college via Early Decision. Early Decision is a binding contract to attend. Once a student receives acceptance, students must immediately rescind all other remaining applications.

Early Action: Meant for those students who want to apply early to their first choice colleges but want to be able to compare acceptances and financial aid packages (this is non-binding).

Regular Admissions: Standard deadlines that range from December to early March.

Rolling Admissions: College has no official admissions deadline. This is a common procedure at public colleges, which continue to review student applications as long as space is available. Many of these schools have suggested deadlines and students are encouraged to apply as early as possible and well before the communicated deadline.

Early Decision II: Early Decision II is similar to ED I, as it is a binding early-decision process but with later deadlines. Typically the application deadline is the same as for the regular admissions process but a decision is sent far sooner.

Priority Decision: Priority applications, sometimes called "VIP apps" or "choice apps" are applications in which students may not be required to write essays or pay fees, depending on the college. These colleges typically reach out to prospective applicants. If an applicant is truly interested in the college, then applying may be advantageous.

Restrictive Early Action/Single Choice Early Action: Restrictive Early Action is a non-binding admission option for students who have completed a thorough college search and are confident a college is their first choice. Admission decisions are provided by mid-December 15 with deadlines for application usually November 1.

Completed Green Sheets must be submitted to your school counselor a minimum of **10-school days** prior to college application deadlines. A minimum two week turn-around for processing Green Sheets in the high school guidance office is necessary to ensure all items are verified and processed. Please consult the table below for application deadlines. While college deadlines are deadlines established by the college or university **it is strongly advised to work well in advance of deadlines**, particularly when making requests from the College Board and ACT to send test scores. Their ability to process your information may not be immediate. Further, you are strongly encouraged to complete and submit known applications and Green Sheets as early as possible versus waiting until the deadline. In such cases, some colleges may review your application prior to the established deadline.

College Application Deadline By:	Application Must be Submitted & Paid For, Green Sheets Must be Given to Counselor By:
November 1, 2019	October 18, 2019
November 15, 2019	November 1, 2019
December 1, 2019	November 15, 2019
December 15, 2019	November 29, 2019
January 1, 2020 or Rolling	December 13, 2019