

Road Map to Success- 10th Grade

General Time Frame	Focus Points
August - September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continue to improve your organizational skills. Continue staying active in extracurricular activities. This could lead to a leadership role in the future and could help you qualify for scholarships when you are a senior.
October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Take the PSAT/NMSQT to gain an understanding of the test and testing procedure. Refine the list of colleges that interest you through Naviance Family Connection. Continue researching scholarships.
November - December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Visit colleges and talk to college students. This will give you insight into what to expect and provide helpful hints.
January - February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attend the DHS Course Selection Fair to learn about classes you may want to take next year. Meet with your counselor to choose courses for your 11th grade year. Make sure that you are following your endorsement pathway. Plan to take challenging courses that will get you ready for college. Register for AP Exams.
March - May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Practice for the SAT by linking your College Board account to Khan Academy. Visit the DHS College and Career Center to get familiar with the resources offered. Take the English 2 EOC Take AP Exams in May for College Credit.
Summer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Find a summer job or volunteer opportunity. Continue saving for college. Continue researching scholarships and discuss your expected family contribution to your college education. Do the summer reading that is required for AP English. You will find this at www.fortbendisd.com.

Helpful Websites

College Readiness Information
collegefortexans.com

College Entrance Exams
collegeboard.org
act.org

Virtual College Tours
eCampusTours.com

Volunteer Work

VolunteerMatch.org

College Entrance Test Prep through Khan Academy
Khan Academy

College Applications

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