



12TH GRADE

NARROW IT DOWN.

- ☐ Visit the websites or call any colleges you've been accepted to and ask about first year experience programs.
- ☐ Send in your final high school transcripts to your college once you graduate.
- ☐ Accept any financial aid you might have received. Talk with your college's financial aid office to make sure you're good to go.

BE PROUD. CELEBRATE!

- ☐ Participate in your school's Decision Day activities to celebrate your accomplishments. Ask your school counselor for more information.

WHAT IF I'M NOT GOING TO COLLEGE RIGHT AFTER HIGH SCHOOL?

Are you planning to join the military or serve a religious mission before enrolling in college? You should still apply for college admissions and financial aid as a high school senior to lock in your admissions and scholarships.

Once you've been accepted, talk to your college about deferring enrollment or taking a leave of absence. If you are leaving the country or will not have access to email, be sure to complete a Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) form.

Without this form, colleges will not be able to legally talk with your parents or guardians about you after you turn 18. Talk to the Admissions Office at your college for information on what paperwork you'll need to complete.

