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 | **Marist Catholic High School** |
|  | **College Planning Timeline** |
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|   | **SENIOR YEAR** |
| **August** | Attend Essay and Common App Workshop |
| **September** | Discuss college application, financial aid from Colleges I will apply to in Naviance, Review all deadlines |
|  | Fill out Teacher/Counselor Recommendation Survey in Naviance if you did not  |
|  | Check out ways to pay for college at www.federalstudentaid.gov |
| **Early Sept** | Ask teachers for letters of recommendations face to face |
|  | Request teacher letter of recommendation in Naviance  |
|  | Notify counselor that you will need a counselor letter of recommendation |
|   | Counselors present college information to students regarding application process |
|   | Update College list in Naviance - move to schools I am applying to under my colleges |
|   | Request transcripts via Naviance |
|   | Request a copy of your unofficial transcript from counselor |
|   | Be aware of the deadlines for SRAR (Self-Report Academic Record) |
|   | Sign up to retake the SAT, ACT if needed. |
|   | Senior College Night for Parents  |
| **Sept 30th** | Early Decision/Early Action Schools entered into Naviance |
| **Sept 15th** | Deadline to ask teacher for a letter of recommendation ED/EA |
| **October** | Attend College Fair at UofO if you need to focus on college list- Fair is TBA |
|   | Students create their FAFSA I.D |
|   | Start your CSS/Financial Aid Profile |
|   | Check Deadlines for Applications, Scholarships and Financial Aid Forms |
|   | Parents attend Financial Aid Night  |
|   | Start applying for private scholarships, institutional scholarships |
|   | **ED/EA applications complete and submitted online by November 1st**  |
| **November** | Check Scholarship List in Schoology |
|   | Regular Decision schools entered into Naviance |
| **Early** | Complete FAFSA collect data and keep in a file |
| **Nov 15th**  | Deadline to ask teacher for a letter of recommendation for regular decision schools |
| **Nov 30th** | University of California Systems Applications Due \*\* |
| **December** |   |
| **Early Dec** | All applications to ALL universities complete and submitted online |
|   | Check Scholarship List in Schoology |
| **January** |   |
|   | Apply for OSAC if applying to Oregon schools |
| **February** | End of semester meeting and transcript reviews as well as college acceptance outcomes if any - Students should notify counselor |
|   | Submit CSS Profile forms and other financial aid forms if you did not earlier |
|   | Mid-Year Reports for College Applications sent by counselors |
| **March** | Look for your Student Aid Report (SAR) 2-4 wks. after submitted |
|   | Review SAR with parents |
|   | Review all financial aid letters and compare packages |
|  | Contact the university if you have questions |
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| **April** | Students should have all notifications and financial aid offers by April 1st |
|   | Make a final Decision and notify other schools |
|   | Let college know the financial aid you are accepting |
|   | Separation Preparation for Parents |
|   | Separation Preparation for students during Spring Testing Day, Exit Survey, Grad Survey |
| **May** |   |
| **May 1st** | National Candidates Reply Date, notify and send deposits |
|   | Advanced Placement Testing |
|   | Send AP scores to schools to earn college credit |
| **Late May** | Notify counseling office of the school you choose to attend for final transcript |
| **June** | Graduation |
|   | Request Transcript from LCC for College Now Credits |