

College Applications

You must contact each college that you are interested in and request a catalog and application. You should also contact their financial aid office to request an application for financial aid. Every college offers their own scholarships and financial aid programs. In addition to completing the FAFSA form in January, you will still need to contact the college's financial aid office for their procedure.

Students should remember to check deadlines and submit everything to their guidance counselor for review at least two weeks before the deadline. Students are responsible for mailing out their own applications. Check the college's requirements; some want teacher recommendations included with the application, other colleges want them sent separately. Follow the directions carefully. If a college requests the teacher letter of recommendations sent under separate cover, please provide the teachers with an addressed stamped envelope. I will send your official transcript and my letter of recommendation. Please complete the senior profile and return it to me as quickly as possible so that I can write your letter of recommendation. Please use the transcript request form on my e board to request an official transcript be sent with your letter. Also, please request that the teacher provide me with their letter of recommendation to keep in your guidance file. You should also keep copies of all of your letter of recommendation. They will be a good resource when you apply for scholarships in the spring, or when you go on job interviews.