Junior Class College Meeting Priority List

- □ Check Email in Naviance: Use your PERSONAL email also used for college applications. Check your email regularly.
 - □ To update your email in Naviance Go to ABOUT ME>>MY ACCOUNT>>General Information. Under "Contacts," click on the edit button and enter your email.
- □ Naviance Assigned Tasks- most tasks are due 8/6. Complete over the summer.

<u>*MUST BE COMPLETED</u> prior to your individual college meeting with your counselor. If not completed, meetings will be canceled and rescheduled to a later date.

- Colleges I'm Applying To only list colleges you are intending to apply
- □ Resume Must save a printable version of the resume
- □ Input Test Scores, if available (SAT and/or ACT)
- Counselor Questionnaire
- □ Teacher Questionnaires (as needed)
- □ Letters of Recommendation Only required by some colleges. *November 22th* is the last day to request. Three weeks advance notice required.
 - □ Speak FACE to FACE with a teacher to request a letter first.
 - Check each college website or Common App for requirements. Often requirement is two academic teachers (possibly your counselor). Some programs allow a youth pastor, art teacher, coach or employer.
 - DO NOT REQUEST LETTERS BE SENT TO UC and CSU
 - □ Send request in Naviance for Oak Park High School teacher letters of recommendation. Indicate each school separately needing a letter. *DO NOT SELECT SEND TO ALL SCHOOLS*!!
 - □ Proper Etiquette Follow up with a thank you note.

□ SAT/ACT Test Scores

- □ Sign up on the testing website (College Board and/or ACT) to take junior year or fall of 12th grade.
- □ Send test scores directly from the testing website to colleges.
- □ Enter Scores in Naviance to assist with Scattergrams/graphs.

Summer Goals

- □ Look at the UC and Common App essay prompts. Work on them.
- □ Enter basic information into the Common App after August 1. Or start early and roll over after August 1st to 2019-2020.
- □ Look at deadlines and decide on your plan. Decide if early deadlines are best for you.
- □ Research colleges Super Match and Scattergrams/College Compare in Naviance.

Senior Year

Attend Senior group Meeting with your Counselor - in August

- □ Schedule one on one College meeting with your counselor no later than October 31st!
- □ Submit College applications check college deadlines (UC/CSU due by Nov 30th)
- **Order Transcripts** Complete Order Form; found online and in the main office on the counter.
- □ Apply for Financial Aid/Scholarships