



SENIOR YEAR TO DO LIST:

- ★ Attend College ID Camps
- ★ Maintain and Improve your time management skills
- ★ Study -- Study -- Don't get LAZY! No SENIORITIS! GPA is still important!
- ★ Do not depend exclusively on athletic scholarships.
- ★ Become familiar with the scholarship process.
- ★ Upgrade your knowledge of Financial Aid.
<https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa> and www.ed.gov
- ★ Continue to play at the highest level available to you.
- ★ Work on improving your game on your time
 - Ball work - Footskills, 1st touch, Ball Control, Striking, etc.
 - Strength & Fitness
 - Speed, Agility & Quickness
- ★ Continue to add to your highlight video
- ★ Make official visits
- ★ Narrow your list of schools from 10 to 3
- ★ Be prepared to complete the Financial Aid forms.
- ★ Weigh Out offers and options to play at the collegiate level
- ★ Finalize your decision



❖ JUNE - JULY

- Attend ID Camps of your top school choices.
 - Choose camps for schools you need to solidify your relationship with the coaching staff.
- Narrow down your Top 10 to a Top 8 by the end of July
- Setup official visits with your Top 8 schools. *You're welcome to visit more but there are only 5 "Official Visits" allowed between NCAA Division 1 and Division 2 schools.*
- Continue consistent communication with your Top 8
- Try and interview alumni from the schools you are considering

❖ AUGUST

- What is your Weighted GPA? _____
- What is your Unweighted GPA? _____
- Update your NCAA Eligibility (<https://web3.ncaa.org/ecwr3>)
- Improve ACT or SAT Scores (consider a tutor).
- Meet with your guidance counselor and review your academic curriculum.
 - Confirm you are meeting NCAA core course requirements -- GPA based on these classes.
- Update your player profile
- 1-2 Official visits
- **BOYS AND GIRLS** Communicate which college showcase events your team will attend to your Top 8
- **BOYS** communicate your fall league schedule with game details to your Top 8
- **GIRLS** communicate your high school schedule with local schools in your Top 8
- Update your highlight video as you get more game tape in the fall
 - Communicate with your Top 5 when you have updated your highlight video
- Try and interview alumni from the schools you are considering

❖ SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER

- 1-2 Official visits
- Try and watch a training session or game of the schools you are considering.
- Consistently update your highlight video with any new game tape
 - Communicate the updates with your Top 5 when you have updated your highlight video.
- Try and interview alumni from the schools you are considering
- Narrow down your Top 8 to Top 6 by the end of October



❖ NOVEMBER - DECEMBER

- 1-2 Official Visits
- **BOYS AND GIRLS** make sure to communicate your college showcase game details with your Top 6.
- Meet with your guidance counselor to discuss your academic curriculum for Spring
- Consider Retaking ACT and/or SAT to improve academic offers
- Read all necessary Financial Aid Information
<https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa> and www.ed.gov
- Collect all necessary Financial Aid Forms
- Update your Player Profile
- Consistently update your highlight video with any new game tape.
 - Communicate the updates with the schools recruiting you.
- Narrow your list down to Top 3 schools by the end of December.
- Stay in constant contact with coaches of your Top 3.

❖ JANUARY

- What is your Weighted GPA? _____
- What is your Unweighted GPA? _____
- Register with FAFSA for Financial Aid Requirements
(<https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa>)
- One last try to improve ACT or SAT Scores
 - Consider Re-taking ACT and/or SAT to improve academic offers
- Gather official offers from your top 3 schools

❖ FEBRUARY

- Consult with family and coaches about official offers
- Finalize your decision
- Signing Day
- **GIRLS** send your spring schedule to the school you have signed for so they can watch you play during the spring
- **BOYS** send your high school schedule to the school you have signed for so they can watch you play during the spring

❖ MARCH - MAY

- Keep your GPA on track
- Keep training hard and improve specific areas your new college coach wants to see get better

➤ **GRADUATE!**