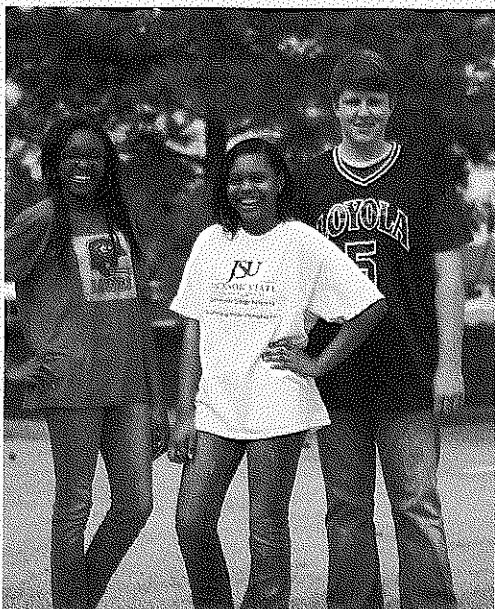


CHECKLIST FOR SENIORS

DO NOW

- Sign up for the ACT/SAT at actstudent.org and sat.org
- Visit your favorite campuses
- Create your high school resume
- Job shadow or apply for internships
- Use Net Price Calculators to see the cost of attending college
- Seek out scholarship opportunities



AUGUST - SEPTEMBER

- Attend college fairs and meet your college recruiters
- Apply for college admission to meet priority deadlines
- Secure letters of recommendation for admission & scholarships, if needed

OCTOBER - DECEMBER

- Complete your FAFSA - studentaid.gov
- Complete the Mississippi aid application - msfinancialaid.org
- Meet scholarship deadlines

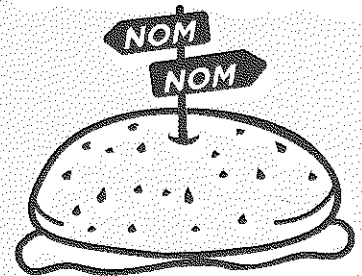
JANUARY - APRIL

- Complete verification if selected by the college
- Submit any required documents for Mississippi aid
- Review and compare financial aid award notices and make final decision
- Apply for student housing and pay deposit if required
- Sign up for orientation

MAY

- Request that your final transcript be sent to the college you choose upon graduation
- Complete online loan counseling and sign a Master Promissory Note if you accept a student loan

MEET EARLY DEADLINES TO GET THE MOST MONEY!



FREE OR REDUCED LUNCH

Ask your counselor about the paperwork necessary to apply for free or reduced lunch which may give you ACT and admission fee waivers.

