

The background is a solid blue color with a subtle gradient. It is decorated with several realistic water droplets of various sizes, scattered across the frame. The droplets have highlights and shadows, giving them a three-dimensional appearance.

JUNIORS

2017

JUNIOR CONFERENCE

DURING INDIVIDUAL MEETINGS WITH YOUR COUNSELOR
YOU WILL:

- GO OVER CREDITS/COURSES NEEDED TO GRADUATE
- EOC TESTS STILL NEEDED
- POST-GRADUATE PLANS
- SAT/ACT PLANS

COLLEGE APPLICATION: GETTING STARTED

THINGS TO DO:

- RESEARCH 5+ SCHOOLS
- IN THE SUMMER, VISIT AND NARROW DOWN TO 3-5 SCHOOLS.

SECOND SEMESTER TIMELINE JUNIOR YEAR

- REGISTER FOR SAT/ACT FOR APRIL, MAY OR JUNE
- IF INTERESTED IN THE MILITARY, CONTACT A RECRUITER
- REGISTER WITH THE NCAA ELIGIBILITY CENTER IF YOU PLAN TO PLAY DIVISION I OR II ATHLETICS
- VISIT COLLEGES – ALLOWED 2 APPROVED ABSENCES A YEAR
- ENSURE YOUR HIGH SCHOOL COURSE SELECTIONS MEET THE ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS OF THE COLLEGE YOU PLAN TO ATTEND
- MAKE SURE YOU ARE ON MS. CASTELLANOS EMAIL DISTRIBUTION LIST: LCASTELLANOS1@KLEINISD.NET

**** DURING SUMMER****

BEGIN COLLEGE APPLICATION/SCHOLARSHIP PROCESS

NCAA

- If you plan to play Division I or II Athletics you will need to register with the eligibility center before the end of your junior year at:

www.eligibilitycenter.org

- For more information see the Klein HS counselor website and/or your coach.

COLLEGE AND CAREER INFORMATION

COLLEGE BOARD: WWW.BIGFUTURE.COLLEGEBOARD.ORG

TEXAS EDUCATION AGENCY:

WWW.TEXASCOLLEGEANDCAREER.ORG

APPLY TEXAS: WWW.APPLYTEXAS.ORG

CAREER CRUISING: WWW.CAREERCRUISING.COM

EVERY CHANCE EVERY TEXAN:

WWW.EVERYCHANCEEVERYTEXAN.ORG

KHS COUNSELOR WEBSITE:

[HTTP://WWW.KLEINHS.KLEINISD.NET](http://WWW.KLEINHS.KLEINISD.NET)

ACT PROFILE: [HTTP://ACTPROFILE.ORG](http://ACTPROFILE.ORG)

SAT/ACT PREP

USATESTPREP.COM

➤ USER: KLEINTX

➤ VERIFICATION: NEWTON79

COLLEGEBOARD.ORG/QUICKSTART

➤ USE THE CODE ON YOUR PSAT SCORES FOR A PERSONALIZED STUDY GUIDE

WWW.MARCH2SUCCESS.COM

WWW.KHANACADEMY.ORG

GRADE POINT AVERAGE (GPA)

PRELIMINARY RANK AND GPA

- DISTRIBUTED IN AUGUST
- THIS IS THE ONE YOU USE TO APPLY TO COLLEGES

FINAL RANK AND GPA

- DISTRIBUTED IN FEBRUARY

FINANCIAL AID

MUST QUALIFY FOR THE FOLLOWING:

1. LOANS: YOU PAY BACK
2. GRANTS: YOU DO NOT PAY BACK
3. WORK STUDY: EMPLOYMENT THROUGH THE UNIVERSITY
4. SCHOLARSHIPS: FREE MONEY—YOU DO NOT PAY BACK

☐ WWW.FAFSA.GOV

APPLY STARTING OCTOBER 1ST OF YOUR SENIOR YEAR—
PARENTS/STUDENTS MUST HAVE TAX INFO READY.

☐ [HTTPS://FSAID.ED.GOV/](https://fsaid.ed.gov/)

➤ SIGN UP NOW FOR YOUR FSA ID

TEXAS FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION CENTER

(877) 782-7322 TOLL FREE

SCHOLARSHIPS

- ❑ WWW.FASTWEB.COM
- ❑ [HTTP://WWW.AIE.ORG/](http://WWW.AIE.ORG/)
- ❑ WWW.COLLEGENET.COM
- ❑ [HTTP://COLLEGEFORALLTEXANS.COM/](http://COLLEGEFORALLTEXANS.COM/)
- ❑ WWW.SCHOLARSHIPAMERICA.COM
- ❑ WWW.COLLEGEGUIDANCECONSULTANTS.COM

➤ SEE YOUR COUNSELOR FOR THE LOG IN AND PASSWORD

AVOID BEING SCAMMED:

INFORMATION ABOUT FINANCIAL AID SCAMS AND TIPS TO AVOID BEING SCAMMED
IS AVAILABLE:

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION'S WEBSITE AT: WWW.FTC.GOV

SCHOLARSHIPS

❑ TYPICALLY BASED ON THE FOLLOWING:

➤ MERIT, TALENT, AND/OR COMMUNITY SERVICE

❑ MUST COMPLETE FAFSA FOR MANY SCHOLARSHIP CONSIDERATIONS

❑ BE SURE TO GET ADDED TO MRS. CASTELLANOS' KHS COUNSELOR
EMAIL DISTRIBUTION LIST!!!

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