

## Junior Year

### January

Start the College Prep Resource Class.

Start a file of your college brochures and information. Before you know it, they'll start pouring in.

Consider college characteristics ~ private or public, city or country, close to home or far away? Then use College Search's Advanced Search to find colleges that match your needs.

### February

Plan to visit colleges this spring while they're in session. Be sure to schedule an interview with admission officers when you visit campuses.

### March

Start looking for a great summer opportunity ~ job, internship, or volunteer position.

Consider taking a course at a local college, especially if you're thinking about majoring in a subject for which BTA doesn't offer AP courses.

Start preparing for AP Exams in May.

Many colleges require or recommend SAT Subject Tests™ for admission or placement. Talk to your counselor and teachers about taking Subject Tests this spring. Also known as SAT II's.

### April

Go to college fairs in your area.

Check with your counselor for special summer school programs for high school students at colleges and other institutions.

If applicable, prepare writing samples, portfolios, audition tapes, and other materials for the fall college application season.

### May

Take AP exams.

Make a resume of your accomplishments, activities, and work experiences.

Start your summer reading list. Ask your teachers to recommend books.