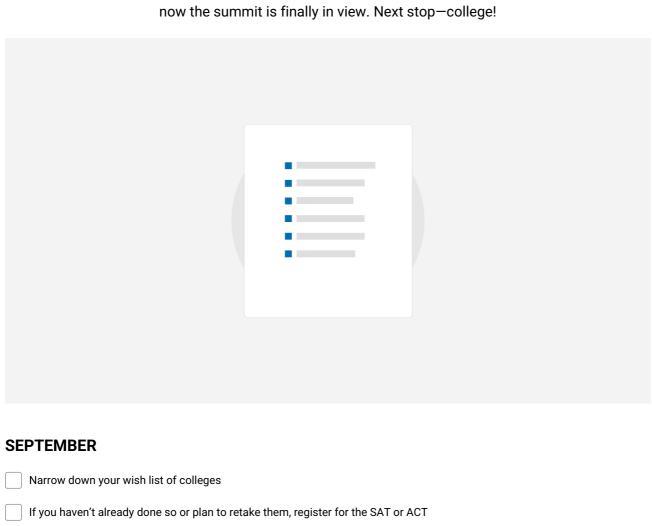
A Monthly To-Do List For High School Seniors

If you're a senior in high school-congratulations! It's been a long, uphill climb since kindergarten, and



Research various scholarship and financial aid opportunities Get involved—join clubs and groups, volunteer, and take on leadership roles where possible **OCTOBER** Finalize your list of schools and be aware of their admission requirements and application deadlines Research scholarships at the colleges on your list Acquire letters of recommendations from your teachers Retake the ACT/SAT (if necessary) **NOVEMBER** Make sure you're on target for your colleges' application deadlines, Take SAT Subject Tests (if necessary)

Research outside scholarships

DECEMBER
Complete all college applications
Start working with your parents on your FAFSA
Schedule visits to the colleges on your wish list
Be sure to keep up with your current academic and extracurricular activities
JANUARY
Complete the College Scholarship Service Profile and the FAFSA
Continue to research/apply for scholarships
Visit schools on your finalized wish list
FEBRUARY
Work with your parents to make sure the FAFSA and other financial aid documents are submitted on time
Continue to research/apply for scholarships
Meet with your high school counselor and make sure you are on track for graduation
If you've already been accepted to a college(s), make plans to visit your potential new school(s)
MARCH
Review any financial aid scholarship offers you've received; continue to research/apply for scholarships
If you've already been admitted to a school, submit your enrollment and housing forms/deposits
APRIL
Apply for student loans
Be sure to send in your enrollment and housing deposits by the deadlines
Once you select a college, notify any others you were accepted to
Start to think about a summer job or taking a summer class
MAY
Make a to-do list of everything you need to do/complete for your chosen college, i.e., submitting housing forms, registering for orientation and classes, etc.
Secure a summer job or internship, or register for a summer class

JUNE
Have your final high school transcript sent to your chosen school
Make sure you're submitting all the necessary forms/info to your college
Register for the orientation program
Find out who your roommate is and make contact with them
Start making a list of all the things you'll need to buy/pack for your dorm
JUNE-AUGUST
Have fun with your high school friends! Believe it or not, but this may be the last time you see many of them for years. Embrace this time and reflect on the past four years. But don't worry—the nex Makerand Share Enge Checklists checkli.com