



# Junior Checklist

Know your potential, take action, and strive for excellence each and every day. Doing well this year will increase your options in 12th grade and beyond. This is a big year ... make it count!

- Log into Student Connect daily
- Counseling Center Google Classroom: kwqo2uq
- Stay involved in clubs, sports, church, etc.
- Check credits & grad requirements
- Attend intervention labs/office hours
- Stay in touch with your teachers
- Explore majors, careers, colleges, and career technical training programs

### Explore College Websites!

California Community Colleges  
[ccco.edu](http://ccco.edu)

University of California  
[universityofcalifornia.edu](http://universityofcalifornia.edu)

California State University  
[calstate.edu](http://calstate.edu)

Independent Colleges  
[aiccu.edu](http://aiccu.edu)



[cart.org](http://cart.org)

The on-line application for CART opens **December 1** and is due **February 9 at 4:00 p.m.** Parent nights are **January 25** and **February 7**. Check out the [CART website](#) for a virtual tour and for more information about the 2024-25 school year.



Use Xello to explore colleges and careers. Go to [clever.cusd.com](http://clever.cusd.com) and use your BHS student login.



**Regional Occupational Program (ROP)/Career Technical Education (CTE):** Are you interested in Careers with Children, Videography, Sports Medicine, Veterinary Science or Culinary Arts, just to name a few? If so, talk to your counselor and be on the lookout for an ROP/CTE presentation before we start registration for 2024-25 classes in the spring.

**California College Promise:** Could cover tuition/fees at all California community colleges  
**College representatives are available throughout the school year. Sign up on the [BHS Counseling Center Website!](#)**

## Applying to a 4-year college? Sign up for SAT/ACT in the Spring (BHS Code: 050618)

achieve more  
**SAT** [sat.org](http://sat.org)  
 Free SAT test prep offered at  
[khanacademy.org/sat](http://khanacademy.org/sat)

Test Dates	Reg. Deadline	Late Deadline
March 9, 2024	Feb. 23	Feb. 27
May 4, 2024	April 19	April 23
June 1, 2024	May 16	May 21

**ACT** [act.org](http://act.org)  
 Free ACT test prep offered at  
[academy.act.org](http://academy.act.org)

Test Dates	Reg. Deadline	Late Deadline
Feb 10, 2024	Jan. 5	Jan. 19
April 13, 2024	March 8	March 22
June 8, 2024	May 3	May 17
July 13, 2024	June 7	June 21

Students do **NOT** need to take the SAT or ACT if they are going directly to a community college or are applying to a **UC or CSU** school. Students should check SAT/ACT requirements if they are applying to a **private or out-of-state** college/university, or if they are planning on playing sports in college (NCAA and/or NAIA)

## Planning to join the military after you graduate from high school?

Meet with a recruiter, take the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB), learn about the ROTC scholarship and visit the [Military page](#) on our website. The ASVAB will be administered at Buchanan on **November 9, 2023** from 8:00 a.m. to Noon. Recruiters from each branch of the military are available virtually throughout the school year. Sign up to meet with a recruiter and/or to take the ASVAB on the [BHS Counseling Center Website](#).

## Scholarships: Search and Apply

Search [Fastweb](#), [Going Merry](#), [Big Future](#) and the [Bear Scholarship Bulletin](#) in the Scholarship section of the [BHS website](#) to access thousands of scholarships.

## Planning to compete in sports in college?

Contact **NCAA Eligibility Center** if you are interested in Division 1 or Division 2 college athletics at [www.eligibilitycenter.org](http://www.eligibilitycenter.org). If you are planning to compete in a sport at a non-NCAA private or Christian college, go to the NAIA website ([www.playnaia.org](http://www.playnaia.org)) to register. Your counselor is also available to assist you.



**Go to [bhs.cusd.com/Counseling.aspx](http://bhs.cusd.com/Counseling.aspx) for website links and detailed information!**