For Our Seniors
CCS Online School

PLEASE REMEMBER:

1. Register, Study For, and Take the SAT and/or ACT exams!
   Information and registration can be accessed online at www.act.org for the ACT or
   www.collegeboard.com for the SAT.
2. If you have not done so already, please start visiting colleges and universities when
   the opportunity allows.
3. It may be conducive to start, if you’re not already, participating in volunteer and
   extracurricular activities and keeping a record of your hours.
4. This is college application season. You should apply to AT LEAST one
   college/university by the end of September of your Senior year.
5. APPLY TO FIVE! This is our motto for college applications—applying to five
   colleges/universities helps ensure that you can compare financial aid packages.

The staff at the Online School prays that you enjoy your Senior Year, work hard, and study
hard! If you have any questions, please contact the Office at 888-872-8554. Remember to
reach out to your teachers as well. We’re here for your overall academic success!

“Teach us to number our days that we may gain a heart of wisdom.”
Psalm 90:12

Additional Resource Links

Planning for College, Taking the Next Step

FAFSA (to be completed as soon after January 1 each year as is possible, starting with 12th
grade)

Gates Millennium Scholarship

NELNET Scholarship Search
12th Grade College Checklist

- Take the most challenging courses possible—they’re worth it!
- Start thinking about your dream career.
- Get active in extracurricular activities and volunteer for community service projects—more than school matters!
- Scope out and be involved in summer enrichment programs/camps.
- Grades are one of the top things universities consider—earn the best you can!
- Update your Academic Record and your Extracurricular/Volunteer Activities Record.
- Start visiting colleges and universities. List your likes and dislikes about each one.
- Attend college nights, college fairs, and other informative events.
- Start studying for and taking the SAT and ACT exams.

Tips for Parents to Encourage Student Achievement

- Encourage positive work habits that stress the importance of education.
- Acknowledge success and respect effort.
- Provide an effective place to study and provide help as needed.
- Encourage extracurricular and volunteer activities.
- Recognize that opportunities to learn are never ending.
- Always read the Word of God and pray with your son/daughter.
Go to website: https://fafsa.ed.gov/FAFSA/app/f4cForm?