

COLLEGE BOUND MICHIGAN

11th Grade Checklist

September

- Review your Graduation Plan**
- Take the PSAT**
- Talk to your counselor or advisor about what you might want to do after high school and explore your options
- Take the PSAT in September OR October

October

- Take the PSAT**
- Participate in College Month events**
- Explore college options**
- Take the PSAT in September OR October
- Participate in your school's College Month activities and events
- Attend a college fair or visit a campus. Access virtual campus tours here: [Your Visit](#) or the [Campus Tours YouTube playlist](#)
- Start thinking about the type of school you would like to attend
- Start thinking about how you might pay for college (savings, scholarships, financial aid) and talk to your parent/caregiver about your options.

November

- Opt in to [Opportunity Scholarships](#)**
- You can earn scholarships ranging from by completing individual college planning steps. Complete all six steps and you'll be eligible for the \$40,000 scholarship.
- Link your College Board account to [Khan Academy](#)

December

- Start exploring your college interests**
- Explore colleges of interest and build and save a college list on [BigFuture](#)™ with at least six (6) schools. You must be logged in to BigFuture™ using your College Board account.

January-March

- Prepare for the SAT**
- Access your PSAT results
- Log in and practice for the SAT using Official [SAT Practice](#) on Khan Academy® for at least six (6) hours. Link your College Board and Khan Academy® accounts

April

- Take the SAT**
- Take the SAT on April 14th
- Reflect on the experience and decide if you plan to retake the SAT. Talk to your counselor about options.

May

- Reflect on SAT results**
- Continue exploring college interests**
- Review SAT results and reflect on how these impact your college plans.
- Sign up to retake the SAT if applicable
- Revisit your college list on [BigFuture](#)™.