



The Fab Five...

Ways to support your senior in the college application process

#1 FREE Help Available at MCHS



- **College Apps Workshop** series - Every late start Friday this fall
- **Senior Class Presentations** Sept 10th & 11th (Civics, Econ, AP Gov) and Sept. 7th for all others.
- **Understanding College Financing** Sept 25th 5:30pm PAC
- **Mini College Fair** - Lunch Oct. 19th

Communication and Online Resources

- [The Vault](#)
- [The Counseling Scoop](#)

#2 Where do we Start? Timeline



- Seniors who know **where** they are applying now can better manage their time through this process. (We can help with narrowing their list!)
- CSU/UC due November 30th
- All other college deadlines vary (many are Dec. 1st-Jan. 1st)
- SAT/ACT can be re-done up until Dec. test dates



#3 Everything is Online

CAL STATE **APPLY**

APPLY NOW!



- Applications



UNDERGRADUATE APPLICATION

- Resources - *The Vault*

- Naviance

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Check Out THE VAULT

THE VAULT is your one stop resource for Senior Information (always updated in real time)
 Bookmark this link: <https://www.smore.com/y35hd>

Transcripts
Letters of Rec
Parent Survey



#4 Encourage Independence



- Help your student be aware of their **resources!** (See slide 1)
- Encourage students to **check their email regularly!**
- **Resist the urge** to fill out the applications yourself!

#5 Be Open



- Sometimes **out-of-state colleges** are **less expensive** than in-state colleges.
- Sometimes **private colleges** are **less expensive** than public colleges.
- Consider colleges you may have never heard of (there are over 3,000 in the US).
- **Avoid Asking:** Where do you want to apply?
- **Instead Ask:** What kind of college experience are you looking for?
- [Colleges that Change Lives www.ctcl.org](http://www.ctcl.org)
- [Western Undergraduate Exchange](#)

When in doubt, check “*The Vault*”



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THIS IS YOUR SENIOR YEAR RESOURCE!

"The VAULT" - a chronological guide to what's coming!
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Questions?

