

Sample College Preparatory 4-Year Plan

Highly Selective/Ivy League College Prep Plan (All Honors and AP Core Courses)

Ex: Harvard, Yale, Gordon, Stanford, Pepperdine, Wheaton, Georgetown, Duke, Air Force Academy

GPA= 3.8 – 4.0+

ACT= 30 – 36

SAT= 2000 – 2400

SAT II Required/Suggested

Freshman Year	Sophomore Year	Junior Year	Senior Year
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible • Hon. English • Hon. World and the West • Hon. Geometry • Hon. Biology • World Language I • Arts, Communications or Technology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible • Hon. English • AP European History • Hon. Algebra II • Hon. Chemistry • World Language II • Arts, Communications, or Technology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible Elective • Hon. English • AP U.S. History • Hon. Trig./Pre-Calculus • AP Biology or AP Chem. • World Language III • Arts, Communication Technology or Academic Elective 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible Senior Seminar • AP English • AP Government • AP Calculus • Hon. Physics or AP Physics • World Language IV/AP • Arts, Communication Technology or Academic Elective

Selective College Prep Plan (Some Honors and AP Core Courses)

Ex: Notre Dame, Calvin, Colorado School of Mines, DU, CU, UC Berkeley, Boston U, Westmont

GPA= 3.5 – 4.0+

ACT= 25 – 32+

SAT= 1800 – 2200+

SAT II Required/Suggested

Freshman Year	Sophomore Year	Junior Year	Senior Year
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible • English • World and the West • Geometry • Biology • World Language I • Arts, Communications or Technology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible • English • American History • Algebra II • Chemistry • World Language II • Arts, Communications, or Technology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible • English • United States History • Trig./Pre-Calculus • Physics • World Language III • Arts, Communication Technology or Academic Elective 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible • English • Government/Economics • AP Calculus • AP Science • World Language IV • Arts, Communication Technology or Academic Elective

Traditional College Prep Plan (Few Honors and AP Core Courses)

Ex: Arizona State, Colorado Christian, Univ. Northern Colo., Univ. of San Diego, Azusa Pacific

GPA= 3.0 – 4.0+

ACT= 22 – 27+

SAT= 1500 – 1800+

Freshman Year	Sophomore Year	Junior Year	Senior Year
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible • English • World and the West • Algebra I • Biology • Arts, Communications or Technology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible • English • American History • Geometry • Chemistry • World Language I • Arts, Communications, or Technology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible • English • United States History • Algebra II • Physics • World Language II • Arts, Communication Technology or Academic Elective 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible • English • Government/Economics • Trig./Pre-Calculus • Science • World Language III • Arts, Communication Technology or Academic Elective

Applied and Fine Arts College Prep Plan (Emphasis on Arts Courses, Hon. and AP)

Includes media, print, web/product design, advertising, photography, architecture, and traditional Performing and Visual Arts

Ex: NYU, Carnegie Mellon, Brown, De Paul, AIC, RMCAD, Eastman, Julliard, Oberlin, RISD

GPA= 2.5 – 4.0+

ACT= 22 – 36

SAT= 1500 – 2400

Portfolio review/audition often required

Freshman Year	Sophomore Year	Junior Year	Senior Year
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible • English • World and the West • Geometry • Biology • Arts, Communications, or Technology • Arts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible • English • American History • Algebra II • Chemistry • World Language I • Arts, Communications, or Technology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible • English • United States History • Trig./Pre-Calculus • Physics • World Language II • Arts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible • English • Government/Economics • AP Calculus • Science • World Language III • Arts Portfolio Class

This document is meant to be a general guide to use when selecting courses, not a specific or guaranteed path to acceptance by the example colleges listed. Every college has different admissions requirements. Students must research each college to verify they are taking the courses needed to be a strong candidate for that college.