

GUIDANCE FOR SENIOR YEAR AND BEYOND

*"A goal without a plan is just a wish."
Antoine de Saint-Exupéry*

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GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT at LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL



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STEP #1: PLAN AHEAD FOR YOUR FUTURE

Where do you want to be this time next year?


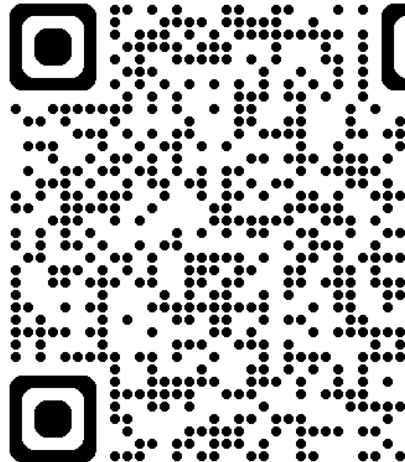
Do you know how to get there?



STEP #2: CONFIRM GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS: Standard Diploma – Florida DOE

ASSESSMENTS	CREDITS = 24		ELECTIVES	GPA
MUST PASS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> FSA English Language Arts – Grade 10 or concordant score Algebra 1 EOC or comparative score 	ENGLISH (4 credits): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> English 1,2,3,4 or equivalent 	MATH (4 credits): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Algebra 1 Geometry Additional two credits 	ELECTIVES (8 credits)	MINIMUM GPA = 2.0 cumulative unweighted
PARTICIPATE & 30% FINAL GRADE: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Biology EOC Geometry EOC U.S. History EOC 	SCIENCE (3 credits): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Biology Additional two credits 	SOC. STUDIES (3 credits): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> World History U.S. History U.S. Govt (.50 credit) Economics (.50 credit) 	<div> Do you have the correct credits in the required categories? </div>	
	FINE/ELIGIBLE PRACTICAL ART (1 credit)	HOPE (1 credit)		

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	FINE/ELIGIBLE PRACTICAL ART (1 credit)	HOPE (1 credit)		

STEP #2: CONFIRM GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS: Standard Diploma – Florida DOE

ASSESSMENTS	CREDITS = 24		ONLINE	GPA
MUST PASS: <ul style="list-style-type: none">FAST English Language Arts – Grade 10 or concordant scoreAlgebra 1 EOC or comparative score	ENGLISH (4 credits): <ul style="list-style-type: none">English 1,2,3,4 or equivalent	MATH (4 credits): <ul style="list-style-type: none">Algebra 1GeometryAdditional two credits	ONE COURSE that meets the online course requirement.	MINIMUM GPA = 2.0 cumulative unweighted
PARTICIPATE & 30% FINAL GRADE: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Biology EOCGeometry EOCU.S. History EOC	SCIENCE (3 credits): <ul style="list-style-type: none">BiologyAdditional credit	Students who meet these requirements but do not pass the required assessments will receive a certificate of completion, which is <u>not</u> equivalent to a standard high school diploma.		
	FINE/ELIC (1 credit) PRACTICAL ART (1 credit)			
	ELECTIVES (8 credits)			

STEP #2: CONFIRM GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS: Assessments



FSA ELA REQUIREMENT

Level 3 = Passing score

FAST ELA

CONCORDANT SCORES

- 480 = SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (EBRW)
- 18 = ACT English and Reading Subtest (averaged)
- 36 = CLT Verbal Reasoning + Grammar/Writing sections (sum)



ALG 1 EOC REQUIREMENT

Level 3 = Passing score

ALG 1 EOC

COMPARATIVE SCORES

- 430 = PSAT/NMSQT Math
- 420 = SAT Math
- 16 = ACT Math
- 11 = CLT Quantitative Reasoning
- Level 3 = Geometry EOC

Source: Florida DOE – Graduation Requirements for Florida's Statewide Assessments August 2024

STEP#3: UNDERSTAND PROMOTION AND RECOVERY



- To be a sophomore (10th) → 5 credits and a 1.0 GPA
- To be a junior (11th) → 10 credits and 1.5 GPA
- To be a senior (12th) → 17 credits and 2.0 GPA
- If a student needs to make up credits or improve GPA
 - Adult and Community Education (ACE)
 - Leon County Virtual School (LCVS)
 - Florida Virtual School (flvs.net)
- Only students who have received a D or F may retake the same course. Student must earn a C or better to replace the grade in the cumulative GPA.
- Mid-Year Promotion → Please see counselor.

STEP#4: OPTIONS FOR CORE CLASSES AND ELECTIVES



PLAN TIME FOR:

- Clubs / Activities / Athletics / Leadership
- Admissions and Applications
- Scholarships / Financial Aid /Bright Futures

OPTIONS

- Advanced Placement Courses (9th-12th)
- DCT Program – On the Job Training (12)
- Externship Program (12)
- Dual Enrollment: Lively / TSC / FAMU / FSU (11/12)
- Mid-Year Graduation – see Counselor

CLUBS & SPORTS



SEE 30+ CLUBS



SEE 20+ SPORTS



FINE ARTS

- 2-D ART
- 3-D ART
- BAND
- CHORUS
- COLOR GUARD
- GUITAR
- ORCHESTRA
- PIANO
- ROCK ENSEMBLE





VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS

- AGRICULTURE
- CULINARY ARTS
- DIGITAL DESIGN
- DIGITAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
- DIVERSIFIED CAREER TECHNOLOGY (DCT)
- EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION
- ENGINEERING PATHWAYS
- NJROTC
- TRANSPORTATION, DISTRIBUTION & LOGISTICS
- EXTERNSHIP

ADVANCED PLACEMENT



LINCOLN EXCELLENCE

- 1698 AP exams will be administered to over 727 students
- Meet or exceed national average for qualifying scores on AP exams
- Enrollment, Qualifying rates, and support recognized by College Board as a model in the state!
- Approved by College Board to offer the prestigious AP Capstone coursework and diploma designation.
- Offering 29 AP courses
 - Recently added AP Pre-calculus course offering



 CollegeBoard

Sophomore Year: AP Electives

English 2 Honors + Math, Science, and AP Electives:

- AP Art History
- AP Human Geography
- AP European History
- AP Biology
- AP Chemistry
- AP Environmental Science
- AP Precalculus

Junior Year: AP Seminar

AP Core and Elective Classes + AP Seminar:

- AP English Language & Composition**
- AP Art History
- AP European History
- AP Human Geography
- AP US History**
- AP Biology**
- AP Chemistry**
- AP Environmental Science
- AP Calculus AB**
- AP Precalculus**
- AP Statistics**
- AP Psychology
- AP 2D Art

Senior Year: AP Research

AP Core and Elective Classes + AP Research + Externship:

- AP English Literature & Composition**
- AP Art History
- AP European History
- AP Human Geography
- AP Government**
- AP Macroeconomics
- AP Biology**
- AP Chemistry**
- AP Environmental Science
- AP Calculus AB**
- AP Calculus BC**
- AP Precalculus**
- AP Statistics**
- AP Psychology
- AP 2D Art
- AP Music Theory
- AP Spanish/French/ Chinese/ Latin

AP Capstone Program Lincoln High School Progression

**AP Capstone
Diploma:
AP Seminar + AP
Research + 4
Additional APs**


Honors Externship: This pairs with AP Research, allowing students to gain off-campus, hands-on experience in their area of interest while earning honors credit.



FINDING MORE INFORMATION ABOUT DUAL ENROLLMENT

leonschools.net/Page/57934

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WHAT IS THE BEST FIT FOR YOUR STUDENT?

Dual Enrollment vs Advanced Placement 📈📉

TSC

TSC Dual Enrollment Eligibility

TSC Learning Commons-Available Tutoring

FAMU

FAMU Dual Enrollment Eligibility Requirements

FAMU Dual Enrollment Website

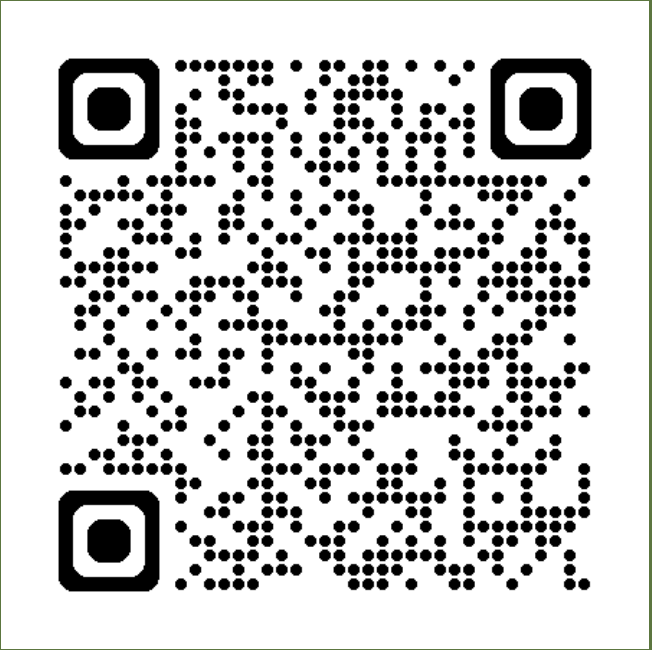
FSU

FSU Dual Enrollment Eligibility

FSU Dual Enrollment Website

LIVELY

Lively Dual Enrollment Eligibility





DUAL ENROLLMENT VS. ADVANCED PLACEMENT

Dual Enrollment

- Limited to students with a 3.0 unweighted gpa (3.9 weighted for FSU) and qualifying test scores.
- Specific course limitations determined by each institute

Advanced Placement Enrollment

- Based on willingness to challenge yourself academically and teacher/counselor recommendation
- Specific course limitations vary by course

Dual Enrollment Benefits

- No cost to the student
- Automatic college credit upon successful completion of the course
- Variety of courses and locations
- Courses can be taken in any semester
- High school and college credit awarded for each semester
- In some cases, a course may earn 1.0 high school credit for a semester course
- For State University System admission, grade will be weighted 1.0 in most cases

Dual Enrollment Risks

- Grade counts on your college transcript and starts your college GPA
- Not as well respected nationally by college admissions departments
- College attendance and drop/add policies are strictly enforced
- Counselor and parent communication may be limited by college restrictions
- Withdrawing after drop/add will only be granted under extreme circumstances and could negatively impact college admission and financial aid

Advanced Placement Benefits

- No cost to the student
- Respected nationally and internationally as the most rigorous courses in each subject area
- The best possible college preparation for a four- year university
- Variety of courses (more than 25 different courses available)
- Enrollment based on willingness to challenge yourself academically
- For State University System admission, grade will be weighted 1.0
- AP Capstone Diploma option
- Classes are held on Lincoln's campus

Advanced Placement Risks

- To earn college credit, you must score a 3 or higher on the exam
- College credit will not be awarded until July
- Courses taken during the first semester, such as American Government or Economics, are concluded well in advance of the AP exam
- College credit is determined by each individual institute
- Withdrawing from the course could negatively impact college admission

DCT/OJT PROGRAM and EXTERNSHIP PROGRAM



DCT On-the-Job-Training PROGRAM

- 2.5 GPA
- Must be employed prior to start of school
- Job site must be approved
- Application required
- Must have transportation
- Must work 5 hours for every period of DCT



EXTERNSHIP PROGRAM

- 3.0 or higher unweighted GPA
- have taken at least 2 AP classes
- enroll in minimum of 1 AP classes in 12th grade
- Application required
- Have transportation
- Must spend 8 hours per week with sponsor

DUAL ENROLLMENT: Florida State University

INITIAL ELIGIBILITY: Spring 2026

- 3.9 weighted high school GPA on a minimum of 12 academic credits (see specific requirements)
- AND the following standardized test scores and subscores:
 - ACT: 26+ Composite (Reading 19+, English 19+, Math 21+)
 - SAT: 1230+ total Score (Reading 24.5+, Writing 27.5+, Math 25.5+)
- Student is ineligible if any HS semester grade is below a "C".

DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION PAPERWORK:
See Ms. Medina for Spring enrollment

** Criterial subject to legislative change.*

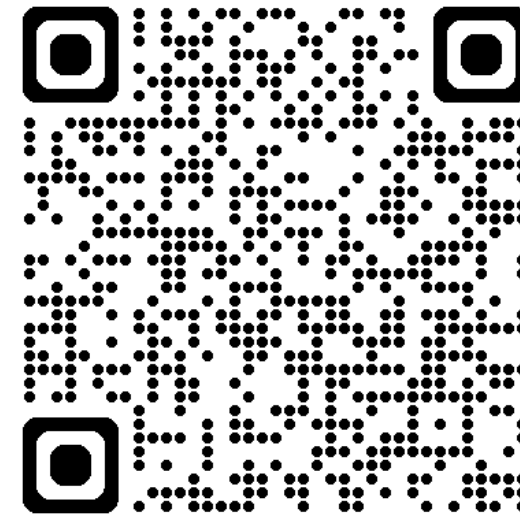


ACADEMIC CENTER FOR EXCELLENCE

DIVISION OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES



PRO TIP: FSU's Dual Enrollment site -
<https://ace.fsu.edu/high-school-dual-enrollment>



DUAL ENROLLMENT: Lively Technical College

INITIAL ELIGIBILITY: Fall 2025*

Enroll in **Lively Technical College** (LTC) postsecondary courses creditable toward both high school graduation and a career and technical program certificate.

- 2.0 unweighted cumulative GPA
- Completed a minimum of 11 credits
- Students 16 years old & older

DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION PAPERWORK:

See your counselor now through May 20th.



When students meet with counselors after Spring Break, they must tell their counselor if they are interested in dual enrollment.

Information about registration, deadlines, the process, paperwork, etc. Will be shared at the meeting.

* Criterial subject to legislative change.

DUAL ENROLLMENT: Florida Agricultural And Mechanical University

INITIAL ELIGIBILITY: Fall 2025*

- Attend mandatory meeting 4/1 or 4/2
- 3.0 unweighted high school GPA
- Be classified as a high school junior or senior – or meet with counselor
- Qualifying test scores:
 - ACT: Reading 19+, English (Writing) 17+, Math 19+ or higher for MAC 1105 (@21+))
 - SAT: Reading 24+, Writing 25+, Math 24+ or higher for MAC 1105 (@ 25.5+)
 - PERT: 106+ Reading, 103+ Writing, 114 Math (123 for MAC 1105)

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Information about registration, deadlines, the process, paperwork, etc. Will be shared at the meeting.

DUAL ENROLLMENT: Tallahassee State College

INITIAL ELIGIBILITY: Fall 2025*

- Attend mandatory meeting 4/1 or 4/2
- 3.0 unweighted cumulative high school GPA
- AND Qualifying test scores (may be combined):
 - ACT: Reading 19+, English (Writing) 17+, Math 19+ or higher for MAC 1105 (@21+))
 - SAT: Reading 24+, Writing 25+, Math 24+ or higher for MAC 1105 (@ 25.5+)
 - PERT: 106+ Reading, 103+ Writing, 114+ Math (123 for MAC 1105)

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STEP#5

CONSIDER ACT, CLT, & SAT

- Scores are required for university admissions and Bright Futures.
- Scores can be used for placement at community colleges and technical schools.
- Scores may meet FAST ELA and ALG 1 EOC concordant requirements for high school graduation.



SAT

REGISTER: [SAT.org/Register](https://sat.org/register)



ACT

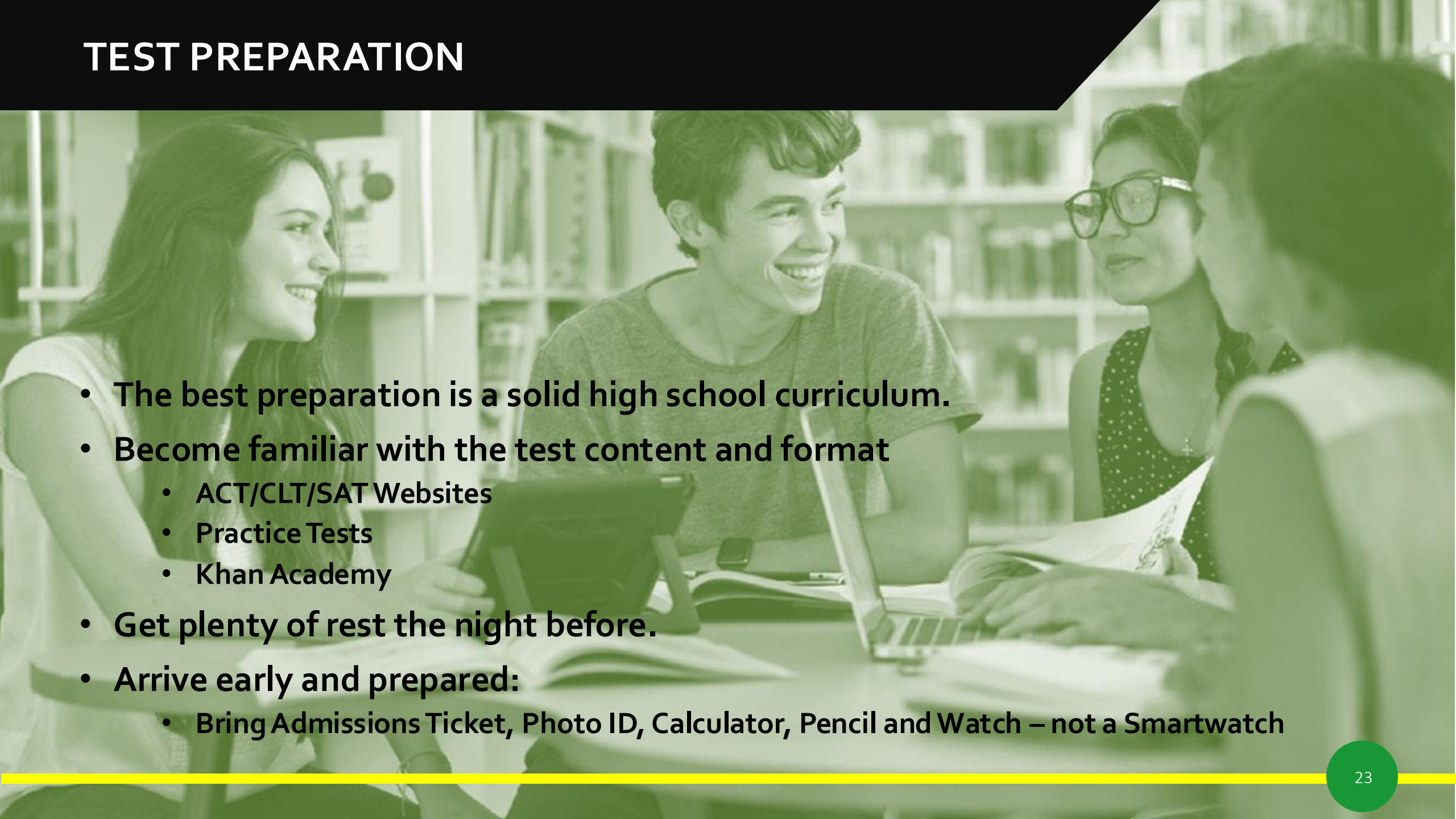
REGISTER: [Actstudent.org](https://actstudent.org)



CLT

REGISTER: [CLTexam.com](https://cltexam.com)

TEST PREPARATION

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- The best preparation is a solid high school curriculum.
 - Become familiar with the test content and format
 - ACT/CLT/SAT Websites
 - Practice Tests
 - Khan Academy
 - Get plenty of rest the night before.
 - Arrive early and prepared:
 - Bring Admissions Ticket, Photo ID, Calculator, Pencil and Watch – not a Smartwatch

STEP#6: SELECT YOUR INITIAL PATH AFTER GRADUATION



WORK:

Employment
Apprenticeships



VOCATIONAL:

Career Training &
Certification Prep
(length varies)



UNIVERSITY:

B.A. & B.S. Degree
Programs *(4-year)*
Other Undergraduate
& Graduate Degrees
(varies by school)



MILITARY:

Enlist / Reserves
ROTC
Academy



STATE COLLEGE:

A.A. & A.S. Degree
Programs *(2-year)*
Certificate Programs
(length varies)



STEP#6: SELECT YOUR INITIAL PATH AFTER GRADUATION



How Do I Decide?

Examples of questions to ask yourself and/or to research so that you have the information needed to support good decision-making.

SELF-KNOWLEDGE:

- What are your interests, favorite subjects, hobbies, skills or areas of expertise?
- Do you and/or your family value reaching a particular level of post-secondary education? If so, what?

EDUCATION/OCCUPATIONAL KNOWLEDGE:

- What careers/professions do you want to know more about?
- What education/training options do my career options require?
- What is the typical academic profile needed to meet admissions requirements?
- What are the costs of each education/training option?



STEP#6: SELECT YOUR INITIAL PATH AFTER GRADUATION



Where Can I Learn More About Options?

*Examples of the kinds
of resources useful as
you consider options.*

CAREER / OCCUPATIONAL INFORMATION:

- **My Next Move** from U.S. Dept. of Labor:
<https://www.mynextmove.org>
- **Occupational Outlook Handbook**
from U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics:
<https://www.bls.gov/ooh/>

EDUCATION / TRAINING OPTIONS:

- **FloridaShines.org** for Florida Students:
<https://www.floridashines.org/>
Select "Discover Programs" under "Go to
College" for Florida school search.
- **BigFuture** from CollegeBoard.org:
<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/>
- **Career & Job Training Resources** from
Career Source Florida:
<https://www.careersourceflorida.com/>



STEP#6

SELECT YOUR INITIAL PATH AFTER GRADUATION



Vocational

*Applied preparation
for careers & related
certification exams*

*Programs vary in
length*

For more information:
www.livelytech.com

LIVELY TECHNICAL COLLEGE:

ADMISSIONS:

Application, High School Diploma, Residency & TABE or equivalent test scores

EXAMPLES OF PROGRAMS:

Automotive Technology
Aviation Maintenance Technology
Building Trades & Construction Design Technology
Commercial Photography
Cosmetology/Barbering
Digital Design & Media
Electrical
Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning & Refrigeration (HVAC-R)
Medical Assisting
Patient Care Technician / Practical Nursing
Professional Culinary Arts & Hospitality
Welding Technology



STEP#6: SELECT YOUR INITIAL PATH AFTER GRADUATION



The Florida College System

2-year degree programs for career preparation and 2+2 programs for those transitioning to a Florida SUS school.

Some may offer Honors programs and limited 4-year degrees

For more information:
www.tsc.fl.edu

TALLAHASSEE STATE COLLEGE:

ADMISSIONS:

Application, High School Diploma, PERT/ACT/SAT test scores for placement

EXAMPLES OF DEGREES:

Associate of Arts (A.A.) - Designed for students seeking to transfer to SUS after earning 60 credit hours & junior standing.

Associate of Science (A.S.) - Designed for students seeking career preparation programs like:

- Business Management
- Dental Hygiene
- Graphic Design Technology
- Network Systems Technology
- Nursing (R.N.)



PRO TIP:

Be sure to enroll in an A.A. program at a State or Community College that has a Transfer Program (2+2 Enhancement Program) specifically for the 4-year SUS College or University of your choice.

STEP#6: SELECT YOUR INITIAL PATH AFTER GRADUATION



University

Various 4-year degree programs for career fields/majors and academic preparation for graduate & professional programs

For more information:
www.flbog.edu/universities/

STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM (FL):

ADMISSIONS:

Application, High School Diploma Requirements plus additional credits to meet SUS minimums, GPA and ACT/SAT test score minimums for admissions; Personal essays & letters of recommendation; **Admissions requirements varies by school.**

EXAMPLES OF DEGREES:

Bachelors of Arts (B.A.)

Bachelors of Science (B.S.)

EXAMPLES OF MAJORS:

Advertising
Business Administration
Computer Science
Elementary Education
Engineering
Interior Design



PRO TIPS:

- (1) Ask your guidance counselor for a copy of the SUS Matrix for profile and admissions details from Florida's public universities.
- (2) Learn about all admissions pathways and special programs offered at each prospective school.

STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA: www.flbog.edu/universities/



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INDEPENDENT COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES OF FLORIDA: icuf.org/our-colleges/



The Independent Colleges and Universities of Florida (ICUF) is a diverse association of 30 private, educational institutions.

- AdventHealth University
- Ave Maria University
- Barry University
- Beacon College
- Bethune – Cookman University
- Eckerd College
- Edward Waters University
- Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
- Everglades University
- Flagler College
- Florida College
- Florida Institute of Technology
- Florida Memorial University
- Florida Southern College
- Hodges University
- Jacksonville University
- Keiser University
- Lynn University
- Nova Southeastern University
- Palm Beach Atlantic University
- Ringling College of Art and Design
- Rollins College
- Saint Leo University
- St. Thomas University
- Stetson University
- Southeastern University
- The University of Tampa
- University of Miami
- Warner University
- Webber International University

STEP #7

BUILD MY PROSPECT LIST



Consider 3 to 8 Options

Select schools that meet your academic profile, have the career field(s) or major(s) of interest, preferred location or community type, campus size, offer financial resources, opportunities for service learning or obtaining industry experience, etc.

What is important to you?

REACH SCHOOLS

Include two schools that are slightly of reach in one or more areas including academic profile, cost or location.

TARGET SCHOOLS

Include three schools where the requirements match your academic requirements and resources.

SAFETY SCHOOL

Include at least one school where your academic profile exceeds admissions requirements and/or are minimal compared to other options.



PRO TIPS:

- **Visit the campus.**
- Participate in Guidance presentations.
- Talk with alumni.
- Find out how many freshman return after the first year.
- Check out employment placement rates.

STEP#6

PREPARE FOR ADMISSIONS PROCESS



Know Your Application Type & Deadlines

Schools give students options for how to apply.

Some application types may require more information from the students, teachers and guidance counselors than institutional applications.

Apply as early as possible.

INSTITUTIONAL ONLINE APPLICATION

Applying direct to the school through their own online application.

MULTI-SCHOOL APPLICATION PLATFORMS

Third-party application that allows for students to apply to more than one school with a single application. Typically a more extensive application requiring support from both teachers and guidance counselors. Students applying to schools requiring the self-reported academic record (SSAR/SPARK) will still need to complete this in addition to the third-party application.

COMMON APPLICATION

www.commonapp.org

COMMON BLACK COLLEGE APPLICATION (CBCA)

commonblackcollegeapp.com



PRO TIP:

Students using the Common App or the CBCA should see their guidance counselor as soon as possible to ask for counselor support.

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PREPARE FOR ADMISSIONS PROCESS



Ready. Set. Apply Early!

Visit your prospective schools admissions website for the latest requirements & deadlines.

Schedule time to gather all required documents and to complete applications as early as possible.

Track your own application progress!

UNOFFICIAL & OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS

Go to the Lincoln website, select “Students” and then “Transcript Requests” for step-by-step instructions on how to request either an unofficial or official transcript.

SELF-REPORTED ACADEMIC RECORD (SSAR)

The SSAR (or SPARK for UCF) replaces the high school transcript in the application process. Use the Lincoln unofficial transcript when creating the SSAR so that the information submitted is complete and accurate. Submission deadlines apply!

TEACHER / COUNSELOR RECOMMENDATIONS

Applications may require support from both teachers and guidance counselors. Students must make sure to ask recommenders ahead of time, provide any needed information and give plenty of notice prior to any recommendation deadline.



PRO TIP:

Guidance counselors ask for a completed Guidance Recommendation Request packet at least **three weeks** prior to any deadline!

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PREPARE FOR ADMISSIONS PROCESS



Additional Information For College/University Admissions

LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL CEEB # 101671

APPLICATION FEES

Application fees (or provide documentation of fee waiver eligibility) are required per school.

ACT/SAT TEST SCORES

Request official test scores to be sent to each school, if the school was not listed when initially registering for the ACT/SAT. Fees may apply. Note deadlines for test scores.

RESIDENCY STATUS

COLLEGE ESSAY

Check prospective schools for requirements and prompts.

SENIOR SCHEDULE

STEP#9

NCAA Clearinghouse



For Aspiring College Student Athletes

REGISTER WITH NCAA CLEARINGHOUSE

www.eligibilitycenter.org

- Required for any student athlete aspiring to play at Division I or Division II college.
- Clearinghouse form should be sent at end of junior year or beginning of senior year.
- \$90 fee (or fee waiver if you qualify)
- 16 core courses & test scores determine eligibility
- Lincoln GPA is NOT your NCAA GPA
- See your coaches for more information.



PRO TIP:

See Mr. Andrew O'Daniel for assistance with NCAA Clearinghouse.

A background image showing three students in a library setting. A young man and woman are looking at a laptop, while another woman with glasses looks on. Bookshelves are visible in the background. The image is overlaid with a green tint and a dark grey semi-transparent box containing the title and description.

FLORIDA BRIGHT FUTURES SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Florida students who meet criteria receive scholarship funds for use at any Florida public or private vocational schools, community colleges, or universities.

BRIGHT FUTURES SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM CRITERIA**

TYPE	16 HIGH SCHOOL COURSE CREDITS <i>by graduation</i>	HIGH SCHOOL WEIGHTED BRIGHT FUTURES GPA* <i>by graduation</i>	ACT/SAT <i>before June 30 after graduation</i>	VOLUNTEER SERVICE <u>OR</u> PAID WORK HOURS*** <i>by graduation</i>
ACADEMIC SCHOLARS AWARD	4 - English (three must include substantial writing) 4 - Mathematics (at or above the Algebra I level)	3.50	2022-23 Graduates: 29/1330 2023-24 Graduates: 29/1330	100 volunteer service <u>OR</u> 100 paid work hours
MEDALLION SCHOLARS AWARD	3 - Natural Science (two must have substantial laboratory) 3 - Social Science 2 - World Language (sequential, in same language)	3.00	2022-23 Graduates: 25/1210 2023-24 Graduates: 25/1210	75 volunteer service <u>OR</u> 100 paid work hours

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GOLD SEAL VOCATIONAL AWARD	4 - English (three must include substantial writing) 4 - Mathematics (at or above the Algebra I level) 3 - Natural Science (two must have substantial laboratory) 3 - Social Science 2 - World Language (sequential, in same language)	3.00 GPA in the 16 High School Course Credits	Take 3 full credits in a single Career and Technical Education program. PLUS 3.50 unweighted GPA in the Career and Technical Education program courses	ACT: Reading 19 English 17 Math 19 SAT: Reading 24 Writing 25 Math 24 PERT: Reading 106 Writing 103 Math	30 volunteer service <u>OR</u> 100 paid work hours

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WE LOOK FORWARD TO
CHEERING YOU ON
TOWARD GRADUATION
AND BEYOND!

