

Postsecondary Planning Timeline for Parents and Families



10th Grade

Third Quarter

Action Steps

- Review your child's first semester report card and take note of first calculated grade point average (GPA).
- Review your child's GradTrack Report, found in the M-DCPS Parent Portal, and use the report to inform your child's decisions in choosing courses for junior year and meeting graduation requirements.
- Initiate discussion regarding potential courses for the following year recognizing that junior year is an opportunity to demonstrate and reinforce rigorous coursework including dual enrollment and AP courses.
- Encourage your child to consult with teachers and counselors when planning course selection.
- Assist your child in preparing for any AP/IB/AICE exams by having them attend school site tutoring, workshops and AP Central for access to AP videos and other resources.
- Encourage your child to complete the Scoir YouScience Career Profile, which will help to identify strengths and possible career pathways.
- Encourage your child's commitment to school and/or community projects.
- Assist your child in researching opportunities for academic growth through enrichment programs, community-based involvement, or internships for the summer.
- Attend the Miami National College Fair with your child to engage with a variety of national and international institutions.

Resources

- [CollegeBoard AP Central](#)
- [How to Take Your High School Classes to the Next Level](#)
- [Miami National College Fair](#)
- [YouScience for Parents](#)



Fourth Quarter

Action Steps

- Seek guidance from your child's counselor or CAP Advisor to learn more about summer programs and prepare for 10th grade expectations.
- Encourage your child to enroll in summer programs such as academic camps, community service projects and/or internships that reflect their interests.
- Assist your child in compiling lists of activities and achievements.
- Help your child create a resume using the available template in Scoir under the profile section *Activities and Achievements*.
- Support your child in researching scholarships and updating their RaiseMe account for the possibility of earning micro-scholarships based on their achievements and academic accomplishments during freshman year.

Resources

- [Summer Programs: What, Why and How](#)
- [For Students: Create and Export a Resume - Scoir](#)



Activities →

Achievements



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MY NAME IS

Summer Intern



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