

# Harrison High School Senior Planning Checklist

**AUGUST**

- Download the TasselTime App
  - Username: Harrison
  - Password: Goblins
- Review career & educational goals
- Register for ACT/SAT \*you may qualify for a waiver!
- Make a list of colleges you are interested in
- Update your resume

**SEPTEMBER**

- Visit with your school counselor
- Ask for letters of recommendations
- Register for ACT
- Complete college essay (local scholarships will require this too)

**OCTOBER**

- Visit 1-2 Colleges (virtually works)
- Complete your FAFSA
- Complete Arkansas Challenge Scholarship (up to \$14,000) - Opens 10/1
- Complete Harrison Scholarship

**NOVEMBER**

- Research local scholarships: churches, community groups, parents employer
- Check with college about additional needed forms
- Meet early admission deadline
- Apply for **university scholarships**
- Check deadlines with colleges

**DECEMBER**

- Study for Finals, check loss of credit in any classes
- Apply for more scholarships

**JANUARY**

- Keep working hard!
- Sign up for Feb ACT if needed
- Listen for scholarship announcements & check scholarship tab on HHS Counseling website
- Visit with college reps

**FEBRUARY**

- Complete Financial Aid & Scholarships
- Submit Completed College Apps
- Request mid-year transcripts be sent to college you applied
- Continue to narrow down choices

**MARCH**

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**APRIL**

- Watch for college acceptance letters/financial aid letters in the mail/email.
- Make final decision & submit deposits by deadlines
- Watch for deadlines such as housing, financial aid, etc.

**MAY**

- Take AP Exams/Prepare for Finals
- Prepare for graduation
- Make sure you have all forms to the college you will be attending
- Keep a folder with: Final HS Transcript, Resume, Letters of Recommendation, and any other credentials.

# POST-SECONDARY PLAN

2 year

4 year

technical

military

work

other

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DEADLINES:

MAJOR OF INTEREST:

CAREER GOAL:

## STATS

GPA \_\_\_\_\_

ACT SCORE: \_\_\_\_\_

RANK \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

COMPLETER: \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL CONCURRENT CREDITS: \_\_\_\_\_

## IMPORTANT WEBSITES

COUNSELING WEBSITE: [www.TheHighSchoolCounselor.com](http://www.TheHighSchoolCounselor.com)

FAFSA (FINANCIAL AID WEBSITE) [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)

ACADEMIC CHALLENGE: <https://scholarships.adhe.edu/>

TASSEL TIME APP

Username: Harrison

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Prepare your *Harrison Scholarship* essay early and save it to your google drive! Here is the prompt: Your essay should be 300-500 words. You should address in your essay: your college goals and choice of major, what you intend to do with your education, and why a scholarship is important to you. Include any academic and non-academic accomplishments, personal characteristics, or experiences that make you uniquely worthy of scholarship consideration.

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