
FRESHMAN
YEAR

- Review [Honest Game's Academic Eligibility Guide](#)
- Check your [Honest Game Academic Eligibility progress report](#)
- Plan for summer school if needed

SOPHOMORE
YEAR

- Review freshman class checklist items
- Register with the [NCAA and NAIA Eligibility Center](#) if you are being recruited
- Create [a college starter list](#)
- Fill out online recruit questionnaires for college teams
- Email/DM [college coaches](#)
- Check your [academic plan](#) if you decide to reclassify

JUNIOR
YEAR

- Review sophomore class checklist items
- Complete the [NCAA 10/7 requirement before start of senior year](#)
- Re-evaluate college list
- College [campus visits](#) (virtual or in-person)
- Complete [verbal commitment](#) (optional)
- Confirm transcript has been submitted to the NCAA Eligibility Center
- Ask for teacher recommendation letters

SENIOR
YEAR

- Review junior class checklist items
- Submit college applications (as early as August 1)
- Check the NCAA requirements, especially if graduating early
- Remember that spring grades count, even if already admitted to college
- Consider virtual courses if you find yourself short of credits for NCAA eligibility
- Sign an athletic grant-in-aid (optional)
- [Apply for financial aid and complete FAFSA forms \(opens December 1 for 2025-2026\)](#)
- Request your [NCAA Amateurism Certification](#)
- Confirm school decision
- Pay school tuition deposit
- Confirm final transcript has been submitted