



Freshman Year: Preparing for College & Career

- Schedule coursework appropriately challenging student
- Complete **Naviance Strengths Explorer** (skills interest inventory) *Completed once in high school - following a classroom with School Counselor
- Start **Student Bio/Resume**
 - Start tracking volunteer hours
 - Include awards
- Review list of recommended high school courses for the career and identify those offered at AHS
- Attend **Naviance Open Lab** times offered by School Counselors
- Participate in October Test Day (**Pre-ACT** assessment)
- Discuss **Pre-ACT** data with parents/guardians
- Attend College Panel Night at AHS
- Attend LCCC College Fair
- Attend College Credit Plus (CCP) Meeting to investigate dual enrollment options (parents & students)
- Attend **Naviance Nights** hosted by AHS Counselors (Parents & students)
- Use the **Naviance Careers Tab** to explore careers identified in the **Strengths Explorer**
- Add interesting careers identified on **Naviance Careers Tab**
- Begin adding colleges to the **Naviance “Colleges I’m Thinking About”** tab that offer degrees associated with majors
- Use **Naviance Road Trip Nation** to get information about careers