PLAN FOR COLLEGE & CAREER READINESS 2017/2018



Important dates for Seniors:

- Sept 5-21 College & Career Readiness meeting
- Sept 6-What to expect as a Senior Information night 6:00-7:30
- Sept 22—Parent/Teacher Conference
- Oct 2-6—College Week
- Oct 3- Senior Field trip to PGHS, parents invited, sign up for your barcode @ www.gotocollegefairs.com (choose PG High Oct 3 on pg 3)
- Oct 11 Schoolwide Testing- Senior Scholarship morning
- Oct 19-20 Fall Break
- Oct 27 End of Term 1
- Oct- 30-Nov 3 Utah College Application Week
- Nov1- College Application Day-ALL seniors apply for at least 1 college
 - Nov 1 How to Pay for College Night 6:30
- Oct 28- ACT, last one to get scores back in time for Utah College priority deadlines
- Dec 12-15—Finals 1st Semester
- Jan 2-20 Winterim
- Jan 21—Winterfest
- March 9- Parent/Teacher Conference
- March 23—Last day 3rd term
- April 2-6 Spring Break
- April 15- All outside credit completed
- May 16—Last day to be cleared for graduation
- May 18-23 Finals
- May 25 GRADUATION!!

Credit Recovery Options

No more than 2 credits from an outside source.

Northridge Learning Center

42 W 300 N Orem, UT 84057

Phone: (801)-776-4532

info@northridgelearningcenter.com

Independence High School - Recovery only

636 N. Independence Ave Provo, Utah 84601

Phone: (801) 374-4920 julietp@provo.edu

BYU Independent Study

120 Morris Center Provo, UT 84602-0300

Phone: 1-(800)-914-8931 indstudy@byu.edu

East Shore High School

778 E. Bamberger Dr. American Fork, UT 84003

Phone: 1(801) 610-8185 eshs@alpinedistrict.org

Maeser/BYU Online

Talk to your counselor Course work finished by Dec 1, 2017 finals must be done by December 8, 2017

All Credit Recovery MUST be completed by April 15

College Application Deadlines for Utah Schools Fall 2017

College	Application Fee	Priority Deadline	Honors Deadline	Final Deadline
<u>BYU</u>	\$35	Dec 1, 2017	NA	Feb 1, 2018
BYU - Hawaii	\$35	Dec 1, 2017	NA	Feb 1, 2018
BYU - Idaho	\$35	Dec 1, 2017	NA	Feb 1, 2018
LDS Business College	\$35	March 1, 2018	NA	10 Days before start of semester.
<u>University of Utah</u>	\$45	Dec 1, 2017	Nov 1, 2017	Feb 1, 2018
<u>Utah Valley University</u>	\$35	Feb 1, 2018	NA	Aug 1, 2018
Southern Utah University	\$50	Dec 1, 2017	NA	May 1, 2018
<u>Dixie State University</u>	\$35	March 1, 2018	NA	July 15, 2018
<u>Utah State University</u>	\$50	Dec 1, 2017	NA	August 1, 2018
Weber State University	\$30	Varies	NA	August 2018
Snow College	\$30	March 1, 2018	NA	August 2018
Salt Lake Community College	\$40	March 1, 2018	N/A	Mid-August 2018

Scholarships:

Scholarships sites:

fastweb.com chegg.com zinch.com

scholarships.com unigo.com

Utahfutures.org

Provides assessments and evaluation tools. It offers job search tips and résumé help. UtahFutures offers college and scholarship search tools. It also has helpful information for Utah businesses and partners.

Many schools have academic scholarships that are configured primarily based off of GPA and ACT/SAT scores. Each school will have to be looked up individually.

Utah College Guide:

https://stepuputah.com/site/uploads/2015/05/14%20college%20guide.pdf https://stepuputah.com/id/students/scholarship-toolkit/

Regent's Scholarship: https://stepuputah.com/regentsscholarship/

Regent's Scholarship **Deadlines:** The Regents' Scholarship application for the high school graduating class of 2018 will be available on November 15, 2017. The priority deadline for submitting a complete application is December 8, 2017. The final deadline for submitting a complete application is February 1, 2018.

Lynn Jensen Memorial Scholarship:

http://www.utschoolcounselor.org/scholarship-information/general-scholarships/lynn-jensen-memorial-scholarship/

Sterling Scholar: http://www.sterlingscholar.org/benefits-2/

Cenntenial (Early Graduation) Scholarship:

http://www.schools.utah.gov/CURR/earlycollege/Scholarships/Centennial.aspx

Youth Volunteer Scholarship

http://www.bbgcommunications.com/communications/article/104.php

Susan W. Coda Memorial Scholarship (For Women attending College outside of Utah): http://skylinecareercenter.weebly.com/uploads/3/8/4/1/38416661/susan_coda_scholarship.pdf

Maeser Scholarship Box: https://www.scholar-box.com/ (Make an account)

Paying for College

What is the FAFSA? To apply for federal student aid, such as federal grants, work-study, and loans, you need to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Completing and submitting the FAFSA is free and easier than ever, and it gives you access to the largest source of financial aid to pay for college or career school.

FAFSA website: https://fafsa.ed.gov Must be submitted before June 30, 2018 Students must have federal income tax returns, a high school diploma or a GED, birthdate, and social security number.

Pell grant: Students must fill out the FAFSA to apply. Unlike a loan, it does not have to be repaid. The maximum Pell grant for the 2017–18 award year (July 1, 2017, to June 30, 2018) is \$5,185. The amount depends on your financial need, costs to attend school, status as a full-time or part-time student, and plans to attend school for a full academic year or less.

Federal Work Study Program: Along with filling out the FAFSA, there is an option for work study where you can work on campus. Work study helps students earn financial funding through a part-time work program.

Loans: After filling out the FAFSA you will be eligible to apply for loans. Loans consist of money that the student borrows to help pay for college, and must be repaid (plus interest). If you qualify for a subsidized loan, the government pays the interest while you are in college.

Working: There are many job opportunities to help students pay for college. Part-time or full-time work can help students get the funds for college. There are even some jobs that will help pay for student's schooling after working for them for a certain amount of time.

Utah College Job Websites:

BYU: http://www.byu.edu/hr/?q=directory/student-employment

LDSBC:

https://www.ldsbc.edu/career-employment-services/jobs-employment/job-search-resources.html

U of U: http://www.employment.utah.edu/students/index.php

UVU: https://www.uvu.edu/hr/jobs/

SUU: https://my.suu.edu/jobs

Dixie State: https://career.dixie.edu/employment/student-job-listings/

USU: http://jobs.usu.edu/ Weber: https://jobs.weber.edu

Snow: https://www.snow.edu/offices/careerbadger/index.html

SLCC: http://www.slcc.edu/cses/index.aspx

Graduation Requirements:

Students must have at least a 2.0 GPA to graduate from Karl G. Maeser Preparatory Academy (Maeser). Credit will not be granted for classes taken at Maeser in which a student has received less than a C-.

Language Arts (4 credits)

- L.A. 9 (integrated into Socratic Seminar 9)
- L.A. 10 (integrated into Socratic Seminar 10)
- L.A. 11 (integrated into Socratic Seminar 11)
- L.A. 12 (integrated into Socratic Seminar 12)
- **Transfer students will receive credit for L.A. courses from previous schools. Language Arts and Social Studies/History are taught in an integrated two-credit course called Socratic Seminar.

Social Studies/History (4.5 credit)

Geography (0.5)

World Civilization I (integrated into Soc. Sem. 9)

World Civilization II (integrated into Soc. Sem. 10)

US History & Current Issues (integrated into Soc. Sem. 11 & 12)

US Government (0.5) or CE Political Science 1100

Math: (3 credits & 4 years of any of the following)

Math I, II, III, Pre-Calc./Trig, AP Calculus AB or BS, AP Statistics or CE Alg/Trig.

Science: 3 credits

Biology, Chemistry, + any other science option offered for 3rd year. Physics must be taken for Regent's Scholarship.

Foreign Language:

- 3 credits of any high school level foreign language (progression in a language is highly encouraged)
- **students who completed Latin A & B at Maeser as middle school students may elect to have these two classes count for one credit of HS level Latin

Fine Arts: 1.5 credits

P.E./Health: 2.0 credits

Health (0.5 credits required) and Fitness for Life (0.5 credits requires) (9th-10th grade)

PE (1.0 credit required) which can come from Participation skills, Lifetime activities, Sports participation, or Zumba.

Participation in sports team can count for 0.25 credits up to a max of 0.5 credits.

Career & Technical Education: (CTE-1credit)

Computer Technology: 0.5 credits

Graduation Requirements:

Financial Literacy:

.5 credit course typically completed during the 11th and 12th Grade year.

Civics Requirement:

Utah code requires passing State Civics Test as part of Utah graduation requirements.

Winterim:

.25 credits of Winterim are requires for every year of attendance at Maeser.

Elective:

Two additional elective credits required

Graduation Requirements:

List credits that you are short:					
List AP Classes you are or have been enrolled in:					
List CE Classes you are or have been enrolled in:					
Volunteer Experiences:					

College Info

Utah Housing Contacts:

BYU: On campus housing: http://www.byu.edu/oncampushousing/index.shtml

Off campus housing: http://och.byu.edu/

LDSBC: Varies

U of U: http://housing.utah.edu/

UVU: http://www.uvu.edu/housing/

SUU: https://www.suu.edu/housing/contact.html

Dixie State: https://housing.dixie.edu/

USU: https://www.usu.edu/housing/

Weber: http://www.weber.edu/housing/

Snow: On campus: https://snow.edu/offices/housing/index.html

Off campus:

https://www.snow.edu/offices/housing/listings/database/list.php?listingType=offcampus&housingType=&tenantType=&washer=&rpp=100&search=

SLCC: Varies

Utah College Tour Phone Numbers:

BYU: (801) 422-4678

LDSBC: Call 1-(800)-999-5767, ext. 8159, or (801) 524-8159 in the Salt Lake area.

U of U: 1-(801) 581-8761

UVU: (801) 863-8811

SUU: (435) 586-7741

Dixie State: (435)-652-7590

USU: 1-(800) 488-8108 or 797.1079

Weber: (801)-626-6050

Snow: 1-(800)-848-3399

SLCC: (801) 957-3913

College Info

College Tips:

- 1. Don't procrastinate
- 2. Get enough sleep
- **3.** Eat well
- **4.** Exercise
- **5.** Study
- **6.** Get a study group
- 7. Make a budget
- **8.** Learn how to cope with stress
- **9.** Get to know others and make new friends
- 10. Manage your time

 $\underline{http://www.fastweb.com/student-life/articles/student-advice-on-freshman-year}$

https://www.livecareer.com/quintessential/first-year-success

http://www.zipcar.com/ziptopia/our-stories/tips-for-the-college-freshman

Resume Building Includes:

- 1. Your name, email, phone number and address
- 2. Education you have received
- **3.** Leadership Experience
- **4.** Volunteer Experience
- **5.** Special Awards/Achievements

Go to UtahFutures.org for help to build your resume