

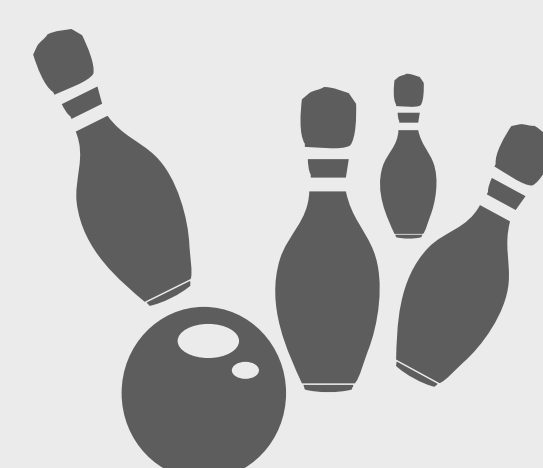


# More Senior Summer "Gotta Dos"

- Secure a summer job  Save some money for college fun!
- Open a checking account near your campus, get a debit card
- Select a meal plan (mandatory if living on campus)  Be sure what you pick is adjustable so you don't lose money!
- If applicable, gather IEP/504 documents, and meet with disabilities office on campus
- Start shopping and packing! Use the list below for help!

Locate your campus health and academic help centers

Get involved with at least one campus activity



**FIRST SEMESTER PRIORITIES**

Meet with your academic advisor

Be wise with your time

## The Ultimate College Packing List

### Bath



- soap
- towels/wash cloths
- shampoo & conditioner
- lotion
- razor
- hairbrush/comb
- hair supplies
- hair dryer
- deodorant
- tweezers
- contact supplies
- toothbrush, toothpaste & floss
- mouthwash
- tissues
- nail clippers
- shower caddy
- bathrobe
- shower shoes

### Dorm Room



- mattress cover\*
- foam mattress pad\*
- sheets\*
- blanket\*
- pillow
- bedspread
- area rug (if applicable)
- under-the-bed-storage
- bedside lamp
- fan
- alarm clock
- umbrella/raincoat
- posters/wall art
- storage crates

 Check with school for size of bed

### Household



- hangers
- removable wall hooks
- mirror
- laundry basket
- laundry detergent
- dryer sheets
- stain remover
- drying rack
- air freshener
- all purpose wipes
- trash bags
- wastebasket
- flashlight
- tool kit

### Personal Must-Haves



- IDs
- checkbook
- debit card/ATM card
- insurance cards
- key lanyard

### Medicine Chest



- prescriptions
- bandages
- Neosporin
- thermometer
- cold medicine
- aspirin/ibuprofen
- vitamins
- lip balm
- sunscreen

### School Supplies



- desk lamp
- pens/pencils
- pencil sharpener
- pencil cup holder
- markers/highlighters
- erasers
- notebooks
- notebook paper
- Post It Notes
- index cards
- paper clips
- rubber bands
- stapler
- staples
- scissors
- ruler
- hole punch
- bulletin board/push pins
- glue
- scotch tape
- duct tape
- tacky tape
- planner/calendar
- backpack

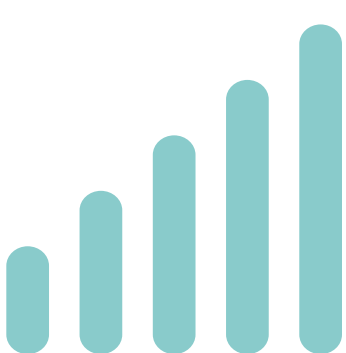
### Kitchen



- mug
- plates/bowls
- cups
- water bottle
- utensils
- paper towels
- dish detergent
- sponge/scrubber
- zip bags
- snacks
- can opener
- microwave\*\*
- small refrigerator\*\*

 Be sure to find out restrictions on mini fridge/microwave

### Technology



- batteries
- chargers
- flash drive
- HDMI cable (if bringing a tv)
- Ethernet cable
- extension cords
- headphones
- surge protector



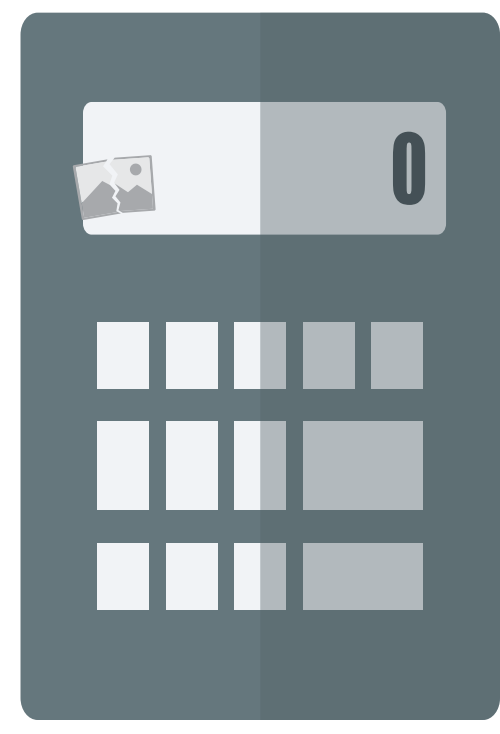
# Your SENIOR SUMMER "Gotta Do" Dozen



## Stay in touch with A Call to College

**TIP** Summer hours are from 9am to 3pm or by appointment.

We are located in the NHS HUB. **TIP**



## Finalize financial aid offer

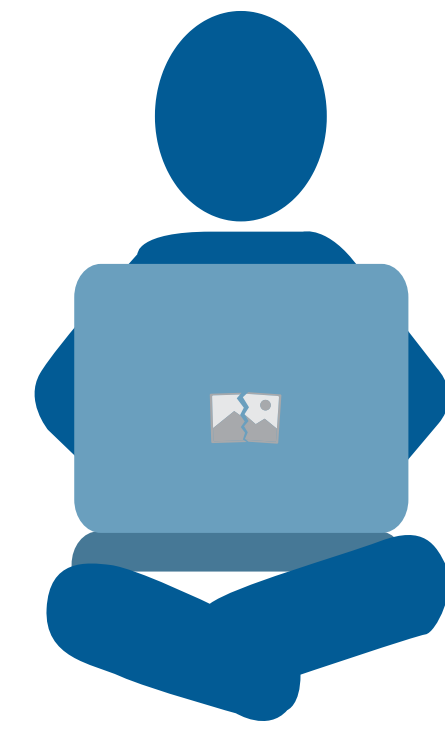
**TIP** You don't have to accept the entire financial aid package!

Know when bills are due throughout the year! **TIP**



## If required, complete financial aid verification

**TIP** Needs to be done before awards are accepted!



## Complete loan forms

**TIP** This is done online and is required if you're accepting a Federal Direct Stafford Loan.

We can help with this! Ask for an appointment! **TIP**

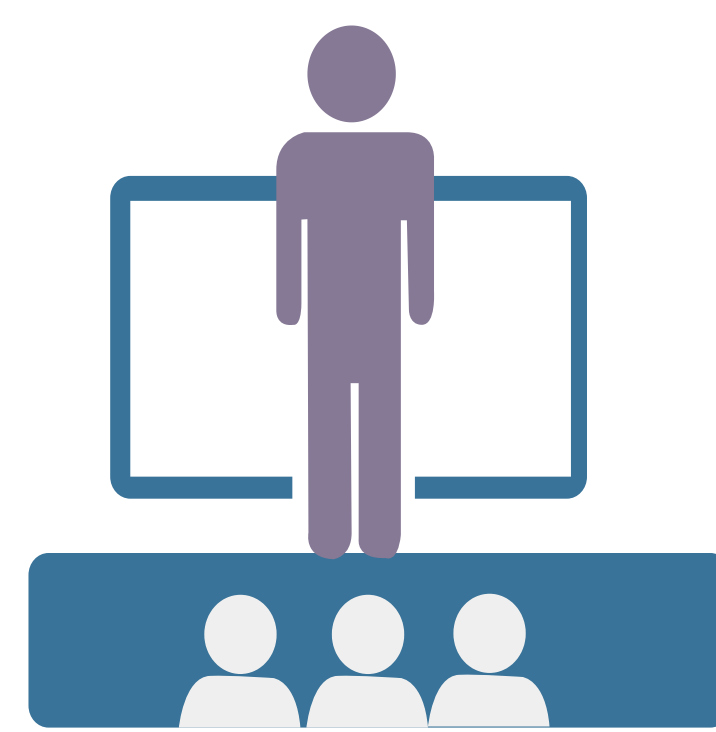


## Activate your college email account

Log-in and check it regularly! **TIP**



## Choose housing if you won't be living at home



## Attend freshman orientation

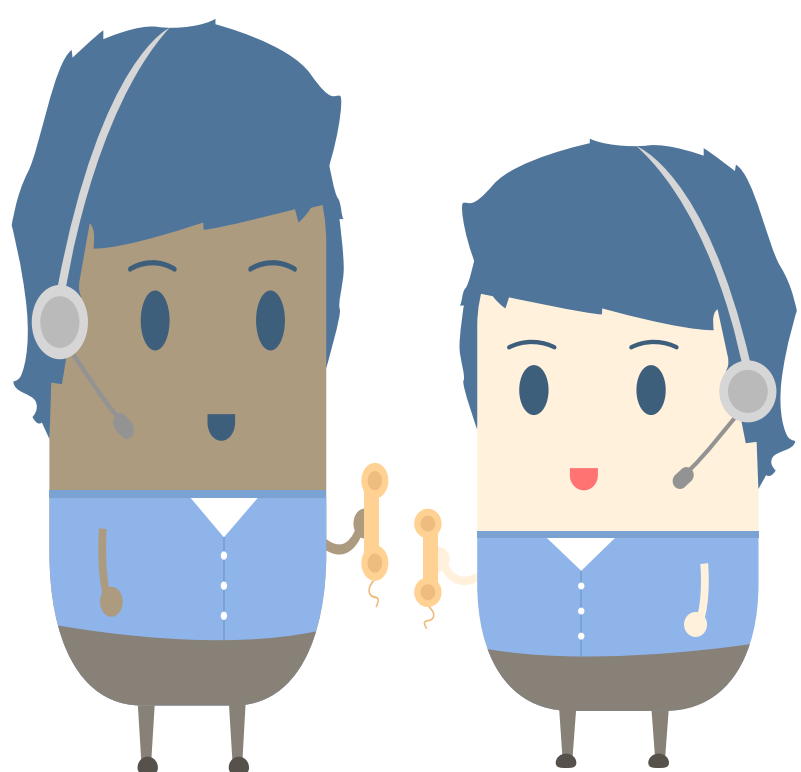
**TIP** Schedule this early and you may have better class options!

Check to see if you need to take placement tests before orientation! **TIP**



## Send your final transcript

**TIP** Confirm that your school counselor has mailed it!



## Chat with your roommate



## Get college text books

**TIP** Investigate renting or buying used first!

Check out chegg.com and amazon.com! **TIP**



## Check computer requirements

Buy one or use computer labs on campus. **TIP**



## If required, get a physical and decline college health insurance if already covered

