

Waltonville Community Unit School District #1

In order to best prepare for making post-secondary decisions students should....

By the end of 8th	By the end of 9th	By the end of 10th	By the end of 11th	By the end of 12th
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete a Career Interest Survey MGPF • Complete Financial Literacy Unit in Computers • Meet with Counselor to discuss coursework & postsecondary career plans • Outline a plan for extracurricular activities • Develop an initial four-year plan that relates to their interests, values, and strengths • Career Day 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take the PSAT 9 in the Spring • Complete Career Explorations • Complete Career Cluster & Survey • Complete Research paper for Career Readiness • Complete mock job interview- Careers • Complete Resume - Computer Applications • Introduced to guest speakers in Career Interest • Outline a plan for extracurricular activities & volunteer hours • Attend Freshman Orientation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take the PSAT 10 in the Spring • Take the Accuplacer in the Fall • Complete Career & College Readiness Survey in Teacherease • Complete Consumer Education Course • Complete Financial Literacy Unit-Math • Determine eligibility for Dual credit/Dual enrollment & CTE courses 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take the SAT in the Spring • Retake Accuplacer in the Fall if needed • Meet 1 on 1 with counselor to discuss Post-secondary options (Spring) • Select Dual Credit & Enrollment opportunities/endorsements • Rend Lake College Career Day • Introduction to STEP program • Review & update Career & College Readiness Survey in Teacherease • Visit Colleges 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete one or more admission applications to postsecondary institutions • Consider SAT or Accuplacer retake if needed • Review progress towards graduation status • Attend FAFSA Night • Complete FAFSA application or Opt-Out form • Update resume • Attend Rend Lake College Day • Attend Kaskaskia College Career Fair • Explore internship, workplace learning, of community service opportunities related to career pathway • Complete one CTE or Art course • Complete Senior Civics • Complete Volunteer Hours (25)

By the end of 6th grade	By the end of 7th
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Attend RLC Amazing Career Race● Complete a Unit on STEM Career Exploration in Computers● Budgeting Project in Computers● Financial Literacy Unit in Math	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Be Exposed to Post Secondary Options (college, military, career, etc)● Complete a Career Interest Survey● Budgeting Project in Computers● Complete a Unit on Entrepreneurship in Computers● Financial Literacy Unit in Math