

# SENIOR PCCR

## GET READY FOR YOUR NEXT STEP

2024 - 2025

### Admissions/Scholarships Calendar

#### September

2 - AP Exam Registration Opens

#### October

1 - Sterling Scholars App Deadline (Mr. Barton - SS206)

1 & 2 - Utah College Application Days

#### November

1 - BYU Priority Deadline

1 - AP Exam Registration Deadline

20 - USU Virtual Open House (5-7 pm)

#### December

1 - U of U Early Action Deadline

1 - U of U Merit Scholarship consideration deadline

1 - U of U Scholarship and Financial Aid Priority Deadline

1 - USU Fall Academic Scholarship Priority Deadline

1 - SUU Application Priority Deadline / Leadership app deadline

1 - FAFSA Opens for class of 2025

16 - BYU Admission Deadline

#### January

10 - USU Comprehensive Scholarship Review Deadline

14 - FAFSA Night @ Bingham (6-8 pm)

**\*\* Bring your FSA ID# \*\***

20 - BYU FAFSA Application Deadline (for full consideration)

2 - Opportunity Scholarship Application Opens

27 - Opportunity Scholarship Priority Deadline

#### February

1 - BYU Idaho Priority Deadline

1 - BYU Hawaii Deadline

1 - U of U Honors College application deadline

1 - U of U Scholarship and Financial Aid Priority Deadline

1 - SLCC Scholarship Deadline

#### March

1 - UVU Scholarship Deadline

1 - USU Priority Admission Fall Deadline

1 - SUU Scholarship Deadline

1 - Utah Tech University Admissions Deadline

1 - Utah Tech University Scholarship Deadline

1 - Snow Scholarship Deadline

21 - Opportunity Scholarship Final Deadline

#### April

11 - Majors for Miners Applications Due (3:00 pm)

#### May

5-16 - AP Testing Dates

### Graduation Corner

CAP & GOWN ORDER AT JOSTENS

WWW.JOSTENS.COM OR CALL 800-JOSTENS

- Jostens Packet Distribution - September 26 @ 7:30 am
- Senior Assembly - April 23 @ 9:00am
- May 2, Senior Decision Day
- May 16, Senior Dinner Dance
- May 23, Cap & Gown Pickup - lunches
- June 3, Graduation Practice @ 7:30 am
- June 4, Graduation - UVU @ 2:00 pm

Students must complete all of the following to graduate:

- Complete all credits necessary for graduation
- Pay all fines and fees
- PASS the Civics exam

### 2024-25 ACT Test Dates

Test Date	Regular registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline/Late Fee
September 14, 2024	August 9	August 25
October 26, 2024	September 20	October 7
December 14, 2024	November 8	November 22
February 5, 2025	January 3	January 20
April 5, 2025	February 28	March 16
June 14, 2025	May 9	May 26

Register at [act.org](https://act.org)  
Cost: \$68

SAT Testing  
Used more for out of  
state universities  
Cost: \$60  
[sat.collegeboard.org](https://sat.collegeboard.org)

### Financial Aid

Most colleges use the FAFSA score to award needs-based scholarships. Most scholarships, including Opportunity Scholarship, requires FAFSA completion

- Apply for Studentaid.gov account # starting immediately
- FAFSA Application Opens in December 1 (tentatively)
- Studentaid.ed.gov or the myStudentAid app
- A dependent student will need to have legal parents sign the FAFSA form so the parent needs your Studentaid account # as well
- You should receive your Studentaid # by email within 3 business days
- You need a Studentaid # to complete the FAFSA application

By completing the FAFSA, you can be awarded  
Scholarships, Work Study, Grants or Loans

Studentaid # \_\_\_\_\_

## College Preparation Checklist

- ❑ Be on track for high school graduation
- ❑ Take the ACT or SAT college entrance exam
- ❑ Check college admissions and financial aid deadlines and apply early
- ❑ Check college websites for admissions and scholarship applications online
  - ❑ Apply in advance of deadlines as scholarship money goes fast
- ❑ Follow directions carefully for admissions and scholarship applications
  - ❑ Request a TRANSCRIPT through PARCHMENT and select the college of your choice
  - ❑ Parchment Password
- ❑ Pay the application fee (where applicable)  
Search out possible sources of financial aid and be careful to meet deadlines
  - ❑ Fill out the FAFSA online application to be eligible for federal financial aid programs at [studentaid.ed.gov](http://studentaid.ed.gov)  
Many colleges require the FAFSA be completed before consideration
- ❑ Request letters of recommendation
  - ❑ Give teachers, coaches, employers, counselors, etc. at least two weeks advance notice
  - ❑ Provide written information regarding your strengths, interest, talents, activities, accomplishments, leadership skills and educational plans to your recommenders
- ❑ Plan for housing
  - ❑ Look for on-campus housing applications and deadlines on the college websites- Apply Early!
- ❑ Make your decision and notify the school you will be attending
- ❑ Notify the school(s) that you will not be attending so they can award scholarships to other students

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## Recovery Credit

- Utah Online School - \$50 Students can complete as many credits as possible within a 9 week period - most cost effective
- Northridge packets - \$56.50 per quarter credit packet
- BHS packets - \$35 - (limited subjects available)
- BYU Independent Study - \$115 +  
 \*\*PLEASE see your counselor for referral\*\*  
 ALL MAKE UP CREDIT due by May 1st, 2024

## Opportunity Scholarship

<https://ushe.edu/state-scholarship-aid/opportunity-scholarship/>

January 2 - Application Opens

January 27 - Priority Deadline

March 21 - Final Deadline

## Major for Minor Cords

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|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| • Career and Technical Education | • Performing Arts |
| • College and Career Ready       | • Science         |
| • Health and Recreation /PE      | • Social Studies  |
| • Language Arts                  | • Visual Arts     |
| • Mathematics                    | • World Languages |

## Scholarships

<https://binghamcounseling.org/scholarships/>

- Sign up for Remind 101
- Sign up to see the Scholarship Advisor in the Counseling Center  
 Tonya Bronson - Scholarship Advisor  
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- Categorized scholarship list with due dates
- College and University Scholarships
- Private Scholarships
- Bingham specific scholarships
- Keys to Success
- YouScience
- Request transcripts through Parchment

## Remind 101 Code

A - C @ 2025bhsr1  
 D - G @2025bhsr2  
 H - J @ 2025bhsr3

K - M @2025bhsr4  
 N - R @2025bhsr5  
 S - Z @2025bhsr6