

Fall Semester of Your Senior Year

- **Enroll in the A+ program no later than September 1st of your senior year.**
 - To enroll in the program: attend the A+ training and submit the signed A+ Agreement Form to the FHHS A+ Coordinator, located in the Counseling Office.
- **Complete the 50-hour tutoring/mentoring requirement by January 1st of your senior year.**
- **Apply to the post-secondary institution (college or technical school) of your choice, taking note of any deadlines set by that school.**
 - Visit the MDHE website at <http://dhe.mo.gov/ppc/grants/aplusscholarship.php> for specific details about the terms of the A+ scholarship.

Spring Semester of Your Senior Year

- **Parents/guardians should file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by April 1st of the student's senior year if applying for A+ funds the following Fall semester.**
 - The FAFSA is a federal financial aid form required of all college students receiving financial aid or scholarships.
 - In order to be eligible for the A+ scholarship, the FAFSA must be filed each academic year.
 - Parents/guardians may wish to consider filing taxes as soon as possible, as the FAFSA will require this information.
 - Financial information provided on the FAFSA does NOT have any bearing on a student's A+ eligibility. Rather, the FAFSA is required to ensure that any federal funds that do not require repayment (for which the student may be eligible) are applied prior to the state's A+ funds.
 - The FAFSA may be filed online at <http://www.fafsa.gov>
- **Contact the post-secondary institution (college or technical school) to ensure your A+ file is complete by the required deadline.**
 - Students attending St. Charles Community College must have a complete A+ file by July 1st in order to avoid having to prepay tuition and fees for the following Fall semester.
- **Visit the FHHS Counseling Office to request a final transcript to be sent to the college you will be attending.**
 - Final transcripts are NOT automatically sent without YOU submitting a final transcript request form.
- **Upon graduation, the FHHS A+ Coordinator will verify that you have successfully met all the program's eligibility requirements.**
- **If eligible, your final official transcript will be stamped with the official Missouri A+ seal and forwarded to the college you indicated on the final transcript request form.**
 - The A+ stamped official transcript serves as verification of your A+ eligibility.