

Glad you're ready to begin the college hunt. Here are some tips and resources that can help you get there:

- 1) **Use what you've learned so far about yourself.** Some of the work you did freshman and sophomore year can help you out as you begin your search. You can use the results of the PSAT and PLAN last year to help focus on particular academic areas that need strengthening as well as possible career fields for focus. (If you don't have your copies of the test results, we have copies in Student Services.) You can now link your PSAT scores to a Khan Academy account to get detailed help with practice for the SAT. Learn more on the [Student Services website](#).
- 2) **Create a [College Foundation of North Carolina \(CFNC\)](#) account.** CFNC has a host of helpful information: among them, Career Interest Profilers, search engines for College Search or Exploring Programs and Majors, and videos of students who have recently gone on the college hunt.
- 3) **Create a [Big Future](#) account at College Board.** The College Board site, which also is home to the SAT, PSAT and AP information, is where you can find the link to the Big Future guide (similar to CFNC but at a larger level).
- 4) **Keep these test dates in mind for the spring.** The ACT, which all juniors will take for free at Enloe, is Feb. 28. The second administration of the ASVAB (the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery) is Friday, March 3. The SAT administration dates are March 11, May 6 and June 3; register for those tests at collegeboard.org.
- 5) **As you plan for financial aid, look at the [Scholarship Bulletin on the Student Services website](#).** We update the bulletin regularly, and you can find it at <http://enloehsstudentservices.weebly.com>, under Academic > Scholarships and Financial Aid. What's listed on there now applies to this year's seniors, but most of these scholarships are cyclical, so similar timelines and requirements will apply to you next year.
- 6) **Register now for [FastWeb](#).** If you're interested in receiving scholarship information now, sign up for this site. You will begin to receive notifications about possible scholarship programs, and some of them will apply to juniors as well as seniors.