

Hello Juniors!



McLean HS
Class of 2023!!!



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Agenda

- Life After McLean
- What Can You Be Doing Now?
- Next Steps and Resources




Life After McLean

2 yr college, 4 yr college,
working, military, service,
apprenticeship, gap year...
You get to decide!

YOU HAVE OPTIONS!

- McLean students chose their best-fit path
- McLean students know that there are many ways to be happy and have fulfilling lives
- McLean students support each other by focusing on a “stress-less” approach

What Can You Be Doing Now?

- Continue working hard through the end of junior year
 - Read your email! SS Newsletter every Thursday
 - Clean up your social media presence
 - Reflect on your high school journey
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Family Talks



Talk with your family.



Make your wish list.



Explore your options.



Put it all together.

Stressed that you
“won’t get into
college”?

[Watch this video](#)



Summer Ideas

- Research and visit colleges – [Quick Guide](#)
- Add colleges to “Colleges I’m Thinking About” list in [Naviance](#)
- Check out how to use Naviance Student to research colleges that are a good fit:
 - [Using Scattergrams](#)
- Create a system for keeping college information organized with deadlines
- Look into service learning opportunities
 - Aim for 40-50 hours of community service by graduation (This is not required to graduate from McLean, but some honor societies or diploma seals may require service hours)
 - [Volunteerfairfax.org](#)



Overview

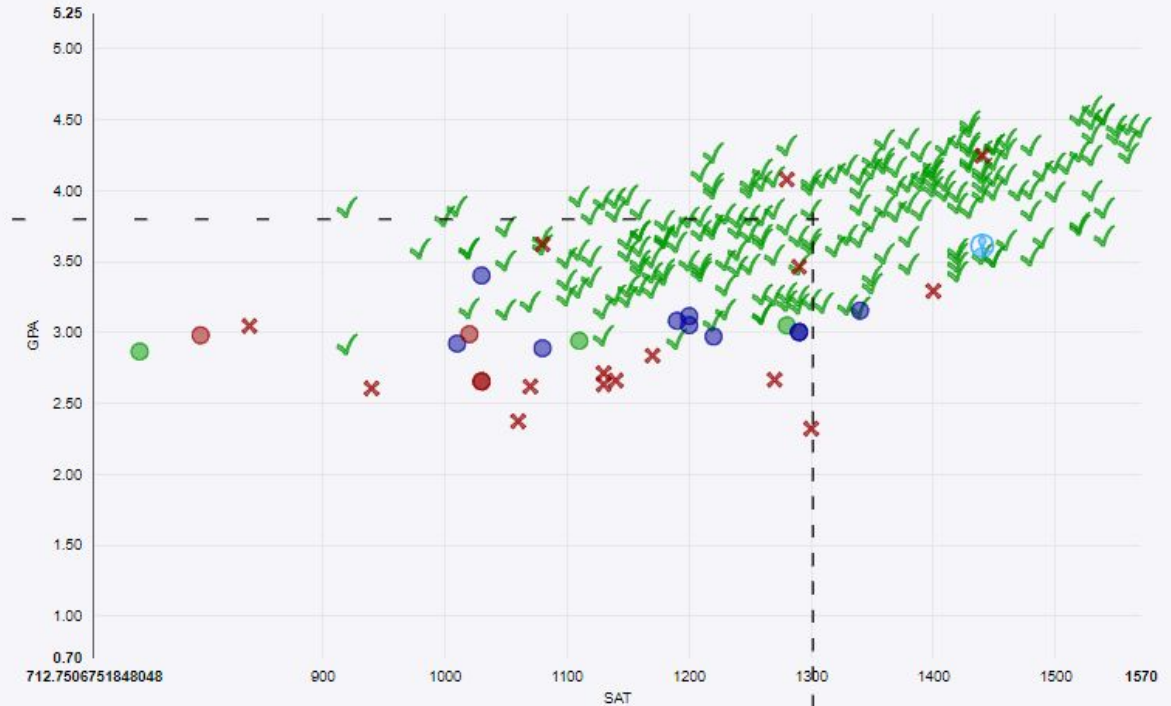
Studies

Student Life

Admissions

Costs

Comparing Weighted GPA with SAT (1600)



Legend

Accepted

Waitlisted/Accepted

Waitlisted/Unknown

Waitlisted/Denied

Denied

 You

Sample Scattergram from George Mason University

Review your Junior Checklist

You'll see that there's not a lot
that you have to do
RIGHT NOW!

That is because you have plenty of
time and you should be focusing
on closing out junior year.

The summer between 11th and
12th grade is a great time to
focus on applications. This
process will be driven by YOU
but you have a ton of support!

College Application Workshop

When?: August 2nd & 3rd, \$70 fee

What?: Students will have a chance to get started on parts of the college application and gain valuable feedback on their college essay from college admissions officers.

A registration form will be shared June 6th to student emails.

Payment will be due on myschoolbucks between July 1 & August 1.

Can't wait??

You can watch last year's recording on our

[YT channel](#)



Additional Resources

[How to Use SuperMatch on Naviance Student](#)

[Creating a Great College List](#)

[Colleges with Test Optional Policies](#)



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