**College Roadmaps**

**Fall / Winter**
- review BBBSMA's [Prep for High School](#) resource
- use the BBBSMA's [Future Planning](#) form to create a future plan together with your Big and keep your mentor informed of your progress
- establish a relationship with your counselor and consider taking [advance placement](#) classes and/or enrolling in the [dual enrollment](#) program
- study hard, maintain good grades and know what a [GPA](#) is; the higher it is, the better your chances are for college admission

**Spring / Summer**
- plan to get involved in extracurricular activities to help become a well rounded student
- explore and apply for scholarships for freshmen [Scholarships](#) [Unigo](#) [JLV College Counseling](#) [NCAA](#) (Athletes)
- read daily and review BBBSMA's [Life Skills](#) list with your Big to prepare you for adulthood
- participate in summer academic enrichment programs, workshops, or camps of different kinds
- plan a fun and educational outing with your Big

**9th Grade**
- continue to rely on your Big for support and use BBBSMA's [Future Planning](#) form
- review Georgia's [graduation requirements](#) with the school counselor to ensure you are on the right track and take challenging classes
- continue to study hard, maintain good grades and work towards a high GPA
- maintain good relationships with the teachers whose classes you enjoy; they can provide letters of recommendation for college

**10th Grade**
- plan to take the [PreACT](#) or [PSAT](#) practice tests
- explore and apply for scholarships for sophomores [Scholarships](#) [Scholarships360](#) [Prep Scholar](#)
- take a career assessment test [ASA Futurescape](#) [123 Career Test](#)
- remain involved with extracurricular activities
- explore ways on how to [pay](#) for college and learn about the [financial aid](#) process
- plan a summer college tour with your Big

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