

GRADUATE SCHOOL APPLICATION TIMELINE

<p>Start Sophomore Year</p>	<p>A. Become a Research Assistant, Teachers Assistant or Volunteer in your field of study</p>
<p>Two years before matriculation “Junior Year”</p>	<p>B. Start researching schools and programs C. Choose a graduate schools and programs D. Find out application requirements</p>
<p>Spring Summer before “Senior year”</p>	<p>E. Research Financial Aid F. Meet with Advisor/ Counselor G. Prepare for graduate school admissions test</p>
<p>Fall Semester of “Senior Year”</p>	<p><u>September/October</u> H. Take Admissions test I. Request letters of recommendation J. Write draft of Essay/Statement of Purpose K. Request application materials <u>November/December</u> L. Order Official Transcripts M. Finalize Essay/ Statement of Purpose N. Mail Applications</p>
<p>Winter Semester of “Senior Year”</p>	<p>O. Apply for Financial Aid (scholarships, etc) and Fill out FASFA P. Contact schools about visiting and interviewing Q. Complete any unfinished items and wait for response</p>
<p>Spring/ Summer before matriculation</p>	<p>R. Reevaluate schools and make your selections S. Visit institutions that accept you T. Notify schools of your decision U. Send Thank You letters to your recommenders</p>

