## College Application Countdown

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
14 Week 1: Oct 15- Oct 19 Explore programs and majors for career that interest you.	15 Consider all your after high school options	16 Find colleges that offer your <u>program/Major</u> Take a <u>virtual campus</u> tour. <u>worksheet</u> Do side by-side comparisons.	17 Use the college application breakdown Tool	18 Talk to your parents about your plans. Work with them to gather all the information you might need.	19 Enter to Win a Free Essay Review with one edit. Tell us Why you picked your topic. Email Soartocollege.com "Week 1 prize" in subject line	20 Create <u>your FSA ID</u> and gather all the document you need to fill out your FAFSA
21 Week 2- Oct 22-Oct-26 Fill out and submit your FASFA	22 Need help read through the <u>scholarship E-</u> <u>Money_Finder</u>	23 Create or update your scholarship profile and find scholarships that fit your criteria	24 Sign up for scholarship alerts on data bases like <u>Cappex</u>	25 Select at least 10 scholarships and look at requirements and deadlines	26 Enter to Win a Free Personalized Scholarship search 1st person to Email Soartocollege.com "Week 2 prize" in subject Why you need assistance?	27 Learn how to request <u>letters of REC's</u> . Look at samples Use checklist to prepare Complete <u>all about me</u> <u>worksheet</u> .
28 Week 3: Oct 29-Nov-2 Create and distribute your letters of recommendation request.	29 Create and update your <u>resume.</u>	30 Review the do's and don'ts of personal statements and essays	31 Get guidance on writing a great <u>essay or PS</u>	1 Use the <u>How to Begin</u> <u>Worksheet</u> to start writing your essay	2 Enter to Win a Free Resume Review with one edit.12th person. Email Soartocollege.com "Week 3 prize" in subject	3 Complete and <u>prepare</u> <u>first essay checklist</u>
4 Week 4: Nov-5-Novt 9 Checkout sample essays	5 Use the <u>Get Ready to</u> Write worksheet to draft your essay	6 Start writing your essay, and don't' forget to have someone proofread!	7 Write thank you notes to teachers and others who helped you.	8 Review the colleges and universities checklist.	9 Enter to Win a Free College Review list. Tell us Why you pick your college. Email Soartocollege.com "Week 4 prize" in subject	10 Finalize your college list.
11 Week 5: Npv 12-Nov 16 Complete an application for each of your colleges or universities of interest.	12 Continue to review all applications for errors	13 Get ready to submit application that require early action	14 Make sure you have sent your SAT scores to your selected colleges	15 Recheck your essays To make sure they stand out. Early application deadline	16 Enter to Win a Free Essay Review w/ edit. Tell us Why you picked your topic. Email Soartocollege.com " week 5 prize"	17 Review <u>checklist</u> before submitting
18 Week 6: Nov 19-Nov 23 Finish and send in your college applications	19 Complete and submit at least five scholarship applications	20 Review t <u>he I applied</u> <u>now what</u> ? Worksheet	21 Take or retake the <u>SAT/ACT</u> if needed	Congratulations you've worked hard.	Breath and relax for a day!	Now continue to search for scholarships! Get the <u>Scholarship</u> <u>countdown form</u>