

**COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS:**  
**WAYS TO GET AHEAD**

<p align="center"><b><u>INTERNSHIPS</u></b></p> <p>Coordinator Mrs. Thomas is located in the Salem Hills High School Counseling Office. Take a related CTE course to be eligible. You can earn credit while gaining valuable work experience.</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>MOUNTAINLAND APPLIED TECHNOLOGY COLLEGE (MATC)</u></b></p> <p>You can take classes that are specific to a career and save on tuition as a High School student. Course booklets are available in the Salem Hills High School Counseling Office. <a href="http://www.mlatc.edu">www.mlatc.edu</a></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>ADVANCED LEARNING CENTER (ALC)</u></b></p> <p>Program that allows students to take advanced classes while staying enrolled in their resident school. Concurrent enrollment and distance learning classes are offered at ALC as well. <a href="http://alc.nebo.edu/">http://alc.nebo.edu/</a></p>
<p align="center"><b><u>UVU DISTANCE LEARNING</u></b></p> <p>Earn college credit by taking classes at the ALC from UVU teachers by interactive TV. No tuition. Follow UVU's schedule. Need 3.0 GPA. <a href="http://www.uvu.edu/de/">www.uvu.edu/de/</a></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>AP COURSES</u></b></p> <p>Advanced Placement classes are college level classes taught in the high school. Students receive regular high school credit for taking the class and can opt to pay a fee to take a test in the spring. If passed, the student receives college semester credits. <a href="http://www.collegeboard.com/student">http://www.collegeboard.com/student</a></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>UVU CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT</u></b></p> <p>Earn college credit by taking classes at SHHS from SHHS teachers. Cost is very minimal. <a href="http://www.uvu.edu/concurrent/">www.uvu.edu/concurrent/</a></p>
<p align="center"><b><u>STEP UP UTAH</u></b></p> <p>Planning for college is like starting out on a great exploration. You may think you know exactly where you are going, but it does not hurt to have a guide. <a href="http://www.stepuputah.com">www.stepuputah.com</a></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>CREDIT MAKE-UP</u></b></p> <p>You can use Landmark HS, <a href="http://www.ehs.uen.org">www.ehs.uen.org</a>, or BYU Independent Study. Some options require a referral from your counselor.</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>NCAA ELIGIBILITY</u></b></p> <p>If you plan to play sports in college you need to prepare early by meeting with your high school counselor and creating a plan to take 16 core courses at SHHS. <a href="http://www.eligibilitycenter.org">www.eligibilitycenter.org</a></p>
<p align="center"><b><u>UTAH FUTURES</u></b></p> <p>A website that will give students a comprehensive online solution that students can use to search schools, scholarships and occupations, as well as access preparation materials for the SAT, ACT, and AP tests. <a href="http://www.utahfutures.org/">www.utahfutures.org/</a></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>ELECTRONIC HIGH SCHOOL</u></b></p> <p>EHS offers open-entry/open-exit classes for Utah students at no cost to Utah students or schools. EHS classes are available year-round, including summer time. Credit earned at EHS can be used for credit recovery, original credit, and credit acceleration. <a href="http://www.ehs.uen.org">www.ehs.uen.org</a></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>NEBO SCHOOL DISTRICT ONLINE COURSES</u></b></p> <p>The district is starting an exciting new offering for high school students. Students will now have the option to take selected courses online. This would be great if your schedule does not quite work out, or for credit acceleration. <a href="http://www.utahstudentsconnect.org">www.utahstudentsconnect.org</a></p>

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<p align="center"><b><u>SCHOLARSHIPS</u></b></p> <p>Begin by keeping a written resume of awards, leadership positions, extracurricular activities, service, clubs, and employment. Maintain high GPA, take college prep course of study, prepare for and take the ACT.</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>CENTENNIAL SCHOLARSHIP</u></b></p> <p>This scholarship is earned by graduating early. It must be used at a Utah college within one year of graduating. Amounts may vary depending upon graduation date. <a href="http://www.schools.utah.gov/CURR/earlycollege/Scholarships/Centennial.aspx">http://www.schools.utah.gov/CURR/earlycollege/Scholarships/Centennial.aspx</a></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>NEW CENTURY SCHOLARSHIP</u></b></p> <p>Receive a scholarship for graduating with your Associates degree at the same time you graduate from high school. Contact Carlee Madsen or Mary Stephenson at UVU to get a plan 801-863-6931. New Century Scholarship Office: 801-321-7221 <a href="mailto:newcentury@ushe.edu">newcentury@ushe.edu</a> <a href="http://www.newcenturyscholarship.org">www.newcenturyscholarship.org</a></p>
<p align="center"><b><u>FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT FINANCIAL AID (FAFSA)</u></b></p> <p>You can take the FAFSA4Caster to help determine what kind of assistance you could receive. <a href="http://fafsa.ed.gov">fafsa.ed.gov</a></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>ACT</u></b></p> <p>Register for the ACT your junior year. You should be academically ready to take it by spring. If not, take it early in your senior year. Seniors are strongly encouraged to take the ACT sometime in September, October, or December of their senior year so they can receive results in time for college admissions and various academic scholarships. Students should register online. <a href="http://www.actstudent.org">www.actstudent.org</a></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>REGENTS' SCHOLARSHIP</u></b></p> <p>The Regents' Scholarship encourages Utah high school students to prepare for college academically and financially by taking a core course of study and saving for college. The scholarship may be used at any public college or university in the Utah System of Higher Education, as well as at Brigham Young University-Provo, LDS Business College, and Westminster College. Regents Scholarship Office: 801-321-7159 <a href="mailto:regentsscholarship@ushe.edu">regentsscholarship@ushe.edu</a> <a href="http://www.regentsscholarship.org">www.regentsscholarship.org</a></p>
<p>Notes:</p>		



College Prep Road Map			
Freshman	Sophomore	Junior	Senior
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Enroll in challenging classes &amp; study hard- your grades really count!</li> <li>-Start looking &amp; applying for any scholarships you can</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Research colleges &amp; careers on Utah Futures</li> <li>-Study for the ACT</li> <li>-Take AP classes</li> <li>-Keep looking for scholarships!</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Take challenging, Concurrent Enrollment, and AP classes</li> <li>-Look and apply for any scholarships you can</li> <li>-Start narrowing down your college choices</li> <li>-Go to <a href="http://blog.uheaa.org">blog.uheaa.org</a> for info on paying for college</li> <li>-Take the ACT</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Apply for admissions to college</li> <li>-Attend financial aid nights to learn more about your options</li> <li>-File the FAFSA at <a href="http://fafsa.gov">fafsa.gov</a></li> <li>-Go on campus tours</li> <li>-Apply for scholarships</li> <li>-Complete your financial aid file with your college, accept awards &amp; attend orientation</li> </ul>