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**Seniors...**  
Start your post-  
graduation planning!



**SCHOOL-DAY SCHEDULE**

Rotating Day  
1 through 6 schedule  
Monday-Tuesday-Thursday-  
Friday  
8:02 am-2:42 pm  
Wednesday (late start)  
9:02 am-2:42 pm

It is the mission of Arcadia Charter School to prepare our students to transition intellectually, emotionally, and ethically to higher education, future employment, and engaged citizenship.



# Life after graduation:

## How to start planning:

- What are you **interested** in?
- What would you **like to study**?
- How **long** do you want to study?
- There are **many options** including: apprenticeships, employment with on-the-job training, 2-or 4-year colleges and universities

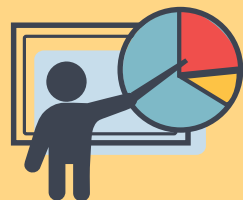


## Interested in attending a College or University?

Know yourself first. Pick out 3-5 things that are important to you and look for schools, finding the 'right fit.'

- **Majors and programs offered**
- **Size**
- **Distance from home**
- **How selective are admissions?**
- **Financial aid options**
- **Cost (explore options before deciding against a school!)**

Apply early and keep track of deadlines!



## Interested in attending a Vocational or Trade School?

These colleges offer career-specific programs with certification options.

- **Some are for-profit, so get job placement rates and reviews**
- **If you plan to transfer after completing a technical certificate or degree, check into the transferability before enrolling!**



## CHECKLIST FOR ALL SENIORS



- Select 4-6 colleges you will apply to (make sure at least one is in-state).
- Complete student and parent FSA ID; FAFSA opens October 1.
- Draft your resume and application essays—have people edit them.
- Start searching for scholarships.
- Set up a professional email for school communication—check it every other day



- Complete FAFSA. Opens October 1.
- Continue your scholarship search.



- Request official transcripts for college applications.
- Ensure FAFSA has been received by your selected schools.
- Check schools for deadlines.



- Complete and submit college applications. Ask your counselor for fee waivers if needed.
- Create a calendar of deadlines through summer.



- Complete any remaining college applications/ scholarships.
- Double-check with colleges to make sure all information has been received.



- Interested in an apprenticeship? Start looking for local unions or technical colleges that work with apprenticeships. Each union has a different deadline.



- If working right away, start creating a plan: What type of industry would you like to work in? Stay local to Northfield?



- Review your financial award letter(s).
- Create a LinkedIn account.



- Confirm college choice by May 1 and notify colleges you are not attending.
- Find out when housing deposit payments are due and submit.
- Complete Senior Survey (or something else to get contact information?)
- Create a Northfield Compass account!



- Notify your high school which college you've selected and scholarships you've received
- Request official transcript from Arcadia



- Set up and/or update the school portal account.



- Keep up with checking emails/tracking deadlines.

