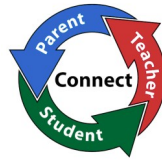


# The College Process at GSMST

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## Roles and Responsibilities

### Student



- Make a College List and track Deadlines
- Write Essays
- Complete Applications
- Request transcripts and recommendations
- Complete the FAFSA
- Search & Apply for Scholarships

### Counselor



- Provide guidance on college choices as requested.
- Fulfill transcript requests
- Complete school reports and written evaluations when required
- Share scholarship opportunities and other resources

### Teacher



- Write Recommendations
- Edit Essays
- Communicate with your teachers and provide them with a BRAG Sheet
- ASK them if they will serve as a reference for your college application

### Parent



- Take students on college visits if possible
- Discuss college finances
- Offer guidance as your student takes the lead on communicating with colleges.
- Provide support and encouragement.
- Assist your student in completing the FAFSA

## Application Resources



- Students do not APPLY through Naviance—this is how we send all documents and transcripts
- Students must list ALL Colleges in their Naviance List
- Request Letters of Recommendation
- Request transcripts at least two weeks in advance.



- Georgia Tech, Emory, and Georgia State use the Common App!
- Over 800 Schools!
- Most colleges do not prefer either Coalition or Common App. GSMST prefers Common App when available.



THE COALITION

- Emory, Georgia Tech, and UGA!
- 140 schools use



- Free Application for Federal Student Aid
- Opens October 1st.
- Based on 2017 Tax information
- FREE
- Recommended for all students
- GSMST Financial Aid Night—September 25th

