

Stay involved and continue to explore your interests.

- Continue to be involved in school clubs, after school programs, and volunteering. Track your volunteer hours using a spreadsheet.
- Sign up for the monthly StepUp newsletter at **StepUpUtah.com/newsletter** to get college preparation tips and learn about scholarship opportunities.
- Use the results of your Interest Profiler quiz from **UtahFutures.org** to see what college majors you might be interested in at **UtahMajors.org**.

Look into support and mentoring programs.

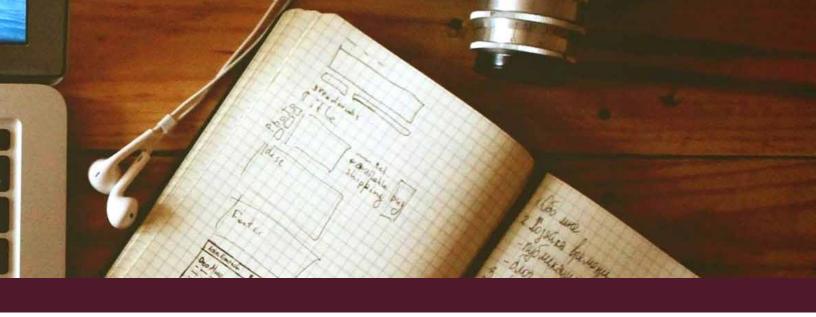
Look through the Access Network Search at **StepUpUtah.com/access-network** to see what support you might be eligible for in your area, like AVID, TRiO, or GearUP programs.

Think about what certificate or degree you will need for your future career.

- Read about the differences between a certificate, associate, bachelor's, and other advanced degrees on **StepUpUtah.com/applying-to-college**.
- Discover what certificates and degrees Utah colleges offer by exploring UtahMajors.org.

Take the right classes.

- Meet with your school counselor to make sure you're on track to complete Math III no later than the end of 11th grade.
- Ask your counselor about Advanced Placement (AP), International Baccalaureate (IB), and Concurrent Enrollment (CE) classes available at your high school.



Start preparing for the ACT.

- Get free ACT test prep materials at UtahFutures.org and study! Your ACT score will help determine your eligibility for some scholarships.
- Download the free ACT app to get daily ACT test prep questions.

Research and apply for scholarships (yes, even in 10th grade!).

- Contact a scholarship representative to make sure you're on track for the Regents' Scholarship. Details at RegentsScholarship.org.
- Look for scholarships and apply to at least one this year. Keep your scholarship resume updated.

Learn how much college costs.

Use the net price calculators on the Utah College Directory at **StepUpUtah.com** to estimate college costs.

Keep saving for college.

Add funds to your my529 account. If you haven't opened a my529 college savings account, do so. Learn more at my529.org.