

Class of 2026

Who is my counselor?

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Graduation Requirements

How to get an SAT or ACT fee waivers

Students from low-income families may qualify for an SAT and ACT fee waivers, which cover the cost of test registration and offer additional benefits like free score reports and college application fee waivers.

Requesting an SAT Fee Waiver: Students request the fee waiver directly from [College Board](#). Eligible students can receive a total of two fee waivers.

Requesting an ACT Fee Waiver: Eligible students must submit proof of benefits (confirmation of eligibility for free or reduced lunch) and the application below.

Students may request a fee waiver for both the SAT and ACT at McEachern. To apply, please submit the fee waiver application along with proof of benefits to the Counseling Office. Proof of eligibility can be obtained by emailing meals@cobbk12.org. [Fee Waiver Application](#)

Requesting a College Application Fee Waiver: Eligible students should turn in proof of

benefits and fee waiver request application to the counseling oce. If applying for through Common App, select the fee waiver option in your application. For colleges that need a printed waiver, please see your counselor.

Fee Waiver Application The same application is utilized for all three requests: SAT, ACT and College Fee Waiver.

[SAT Registration](#)

2025 TEST DATES

AUG 23	SEP 13	OCT 4	NOV 8	DEC 6
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REGULAR REGISTRATION DEADLINES

AUG 8	AUG 29	SEP 19	OCT 24	NOV 21
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LATE REGISTRATION DEADLINES*

AUG 12	SEP 2	SEP 23	OCT 28	NOV 25
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2026 TEST DATES

MAR 14	MAY 2	JUN 6
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REGULAR REGISTRATION DEADLINES

FEB 27	APR 17	MAY 22
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LATE REGISTRATION DEADLINES*

MAR 3	APR 21	MAY 26
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Visit sat.org/whytake for more information.
Test dates and registration deadlines may change. Check sat.org for updates.

[ACT Registration](#)

National Test Dates

2025 | 2026

Test Dates	Regular Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline	Photo Upload and Standby Deadline
September 6, 2025	August 1	August 19	August 29
October 18, 2025	September 12	September 30	October 10
December 13, 2025	November 7	November 24	December 5
February 14, 2026	January 9	January 23	February 6
April 11, 2026	March 6	March 24	April 3
June 13, 2026	May 8	May 29	June 5
July 11, 2026*	June 5	June 24	July 3

*No test centers are scheduled in New York for the July test date.

My Answer Key (formerly known as Test Information Release) for the 2025–2026 testing year will occur in October, April, and June.

See www.act.org/the-act/tir for more information.

www.act.org

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College Application Portals

[Common App](#) The Common App is an online application platform that lets students apply to multiple colleges and universities with one application, making the application process faster and easier.

[Common App Essay Prompts](#): Visit the link for the full list of essay prompts for 2025–2026.

[Common Black App](#): The Common Black College Application allows students to apply to over 60 Historically Black Colleges and Universities at once with a single application, saving time and money.

College Essay Writing Tools and Guides

College Essay Guy

Website: collegeessayguy.com

- Free guides, brainstorming exercises, and example essays.

- Offers step by step writing support with videos, checklists, and downloadable templates.
- Especially helpful for students who don't know where to start.

Purdue Online Writing Lab (OWL)

Website: owl.purdue.edu

- Offers trusted writing advice and tips for personal statements.
- Great for grammar, tone, and clarity support.

Scholarships and Financial Aid

Log into [GAFutures](#) account to view your HOPE GPA and learn more about the HOPE Scholarship/Grant, HOPE GPA, scholarships and much more.

Stay Informed About Scholarships Through Naviance

McEachern High School students have access to the most up-to-date scholarship opportunities through Naviance. From local and regional awards to national scholarships, a wide variety of resources are available to support your college journey. To ensure no opportunity is missed, we strongly encourage students and their families to check Naviance frequently, as new scholarships are added on a regular basis.

The screenshot shows the Naviance website interface. The top navigation bar includes links for Home, Self-Discovery, Courses, Careers, Colleges (selected), Planner, and About me. The left sidebar has a 'Colleges' section with a red arrow pointing to 'Scholarships & Money', which includes links for 'College-Specific Scholarships', 'National Scholarship Search', 'Scholarship Search', and 'Favorite Scholarships'. The main content area displays 'Research Colleges' and 'Apply to College' sections. The bottom of the page features 'Career Essentials' and 'Tasks from My School'.

Other Helpful scholarship websites:

🎓 Top Scholarship Search Engines

1. [Fastweb](#)
 - One of the largest and most trusted scholarship databases.
 - Matches students to scholarships based on personal profiles.
2. [Scholarships.com](#)
 - Search over 3.7 million scholarships and grants.
 - Also offers college planning resources.

3. [Going Merry](#)
 - Easy-to-use platform with one application for multiple scholarships.
 - Offers a clean interface and a time-saving tool for local awards.
4. [Cappex](#)
 - Combines scholarship search with college match and reviews.
 - Includes merit-based awards specific to colleges.
5. [Niche](#)
 - Offers "no essay" scholarships and college reviews.
 - Scholarships available for a wide range of student types.

Government & Nonprofit Resources

1. [College Board's BigFuture Scholarships](#)
 - Earn chances to win scholarships just by completing college prep steps.
 - No GPA or essay required.
2. [Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\)](#)
 - Not a scholarship site, but critical for access to federal and state aid.
 - Many scholarships require FAFSA completion.
3. [UNCF Scholarships](#)
 - Scholarships for students attending HBCUs or who are African American.
 - Variety of private and corporate awards.
4. [Thurgood Marshall College Fund](#)
 - Scholarships for students attending public HBCUs and PBIs.

Specialty & Corporate Scholarships

1. [Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation](#)
 - Prestigious scholarship for high-achieving seniors.
 - Competitive, with a strong emphasis on leadership and service.
2. [Jack Kent Cooke Foundation](#)
 - For high-achieving, low-income students.
 - Offers significant financial support throughout college.
3. [Dell Scholars Program](#)
 - Focuses on students who have overcome adversity.
 - Offers funding, a laptop, and mentoring.
4. [Hispanic Scholarship Fund](#)
 - Offers scholarships to students of Hispanic heritage.
 - Open to a wide range of GPAs and backgrounds.

How to link your Naviance account with Common App: This step is mandatory if you are requesting a transcript to be sent.

Naviance

Home Self-Discovery Courses Careers **Colleges** Planner About me

Demo's Future Planning

Explore careers

Explore career clusters and pathways to add them to your list of favorites.

Explore clusters and pathways

College Home

Find Your fit

SuperMatch College Search

College Match

College Events

Scattergrams

Advanced College Search

College Lookup

Research Colleges

Colleges I'm Thinking About

College Visits

College Compare

College Resources

Acceptance History

Enrichment Programs

College Maps

Apply to College

Colleges I'm Applying To

Manage Transcripts

Letters of Recommendation

Test Scores

Match powered by Concourse

Scholarships & Money

College-Specific Scholarships

National Scholarship Search

Scholarship Search

Favorite Scholarships

Additional Information from Your School

Tasks from My School

Naviance Home Self-Discovery Careers **Colleges** Planner About me

12th Grade

Colleges I'm Applying To

Search for Colleges

It looks like you are not currently able to apply to Common App schools. Match your Common App account to Naviance Student account to get started.

Match Accounts

+ Remove

College	App Type	Deadline	Transcripts	Office Materials	Submission Type	Application
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Connect your Common App

First year student? Great! Enter your email and password below to sign in, or [create an account](#) to get started.

* Indicates required fields.

Email *

Password *

☐ Show password [Forgot password?](#)

[Sign in](#)

Need help?
[Visit the Applicant Solutions Center.](#)

To link their Common App account with Naviance, students need to follow these steps:

1. From Common App:

- Register for a Common App account starting on August 1.
- Enter their high school information, add at least one college, and sign the FERPA Release Authorization.

2. From Naviance Student:

- Complete the Common App account matching process in Naviance Student.
- Add non-Common App colleges to their "Colleges I'm Applying To" list.
- Request transcripts and teacher recommendations if required.

These steps are necessary only if students are applying to Common App institutions. Once the matching process is complete, students can seamlessly manage their applications through Naviance.

OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT REQUEST PROCESS

STEP ONE:

- Students must add the college(s) applying to on his/her Naviance account.
- Add these colleges to your "Colleges I'm Applying To" list & make sure you mark how you applied to the school (e.g., Common App, Direct to Institution)
- Make sure you have "matched" (linked) your Naviance account to your Common App account, if applying to any Common App schools.

STEP TWO:

Pay for the number of transcripts requested.

You will pay for all transcripts online via MyPaymentsPlus (MPP)

- Under "Activities and Services," find Transcripts

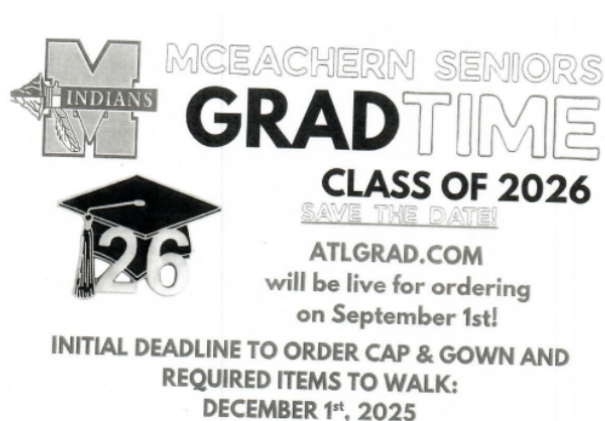
YOU WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO ADD THE TRANSCRIPT(S) TO YOUR CART UNTIL ALL REQUIRED FIELDS ARE COMPLETE.

- The College, Scholarship, or Organization

- Application Deadline
- Method of Application
- Initial or Midyear Transcript
- How to Send Transcript
- Mailing Address (if application)

Once both steps are complete, your transcript will be sent. Allow at least 2-3 weeks for colleges to receive/update your application.

NOTE: Some colleges may take up to 6 weeks to process applicant documents. Please contact the college directly for updates about your application.



2026 Senior Hoodie

2026 Key Chain

2026 Lenyard

2026 Premium Jogger

2026 Senior T-shirt

Diploma plaque

SENIOR SWAG

***more a la carte options and packages will be available online!**

Questions?
 office@atlgrad.com
 404-615-7702

ATL GRAD

Sign up for important updates from Mr. Lockhart's Senior Class Remind.
Text each message to the number 81010 to join.

Student Last Name A- C message @77bgbh

Student Last Name D - I message @d3b7ah4

Student Last Name J - N message @ecaa3a

Student Last Name O - S message @k2hfgaa

Student Last Name T - Z message @9787bh

Sr. Parents Last Name A - C message @a6ef3eb

Sr. Parents Last Name D - I message @37cf4k

Sr. Parents Last Name J - N message @h9dhd4

Sr. Parents Last Name O - S message @8dbeb4c

Sr. Parents Last Name T - Z message @23db89

McEachern High School 2025-2026 ATL Grad On Campus Service Dates

Senior Meeting & Online Ordering Begins - September 2nd

Senior Lunch Order #1 - October 8th in the cafeteria

Senior Lunch Order #2 - January 27th in the cafeteria

Cap & Gown Delivery Day - March 3rd in the Lovinggood Gym Lobby



- Cap and gown and photos for the yearbook **MUST** be taken by CADY Studios
- The deadline to have Senior Portraits taken is November 22nd
- Book your appointment today!
cady.com/schedule



Senior Ads can be placed at
yearbookordercenter.com
enter code 137

The deadline for Senior ads is
October 31st!

You can also order your yearbook
at yearbookordercenter.com

The price is currently \$65
The price increases on August 31st,
so don't miss out on a deal today!!!

