Life After High School

Suggested timeframe of completion: January 1- March 1

You're nearing the finish line. No matter where your path takes you after high school these activities can help ensure the next phase of your life off to a strong start.

Find the checklist that corresponds to where you're going next and reflect on the following:

Attending a 2- or 4-year college or university

Have you completed at least one college application?
No

How many schools have you applied to?

List the schools you've applied to:

Have you submitted high school transcripts to the school(s) you've applied to?
No

Have you completed and submitted the FAFSA?
No

Have you applied for any scholarships?
No

How many school specific scholarships have you applied for?

How many general scholarships have you applied for?

If you have a 2.7 GPA or above have you applied for Idaho Opportunity Scholarship?
No

If you applied for the FAFSA or any scholarships, do you know how to read your financial aid package?
No

Have you met with an admissions advisor from your top schools?
No

Have you made a choice on which college you will attend?
No

What is your final selection?

Have you submitted a housing application?
No

Have you submitted ALL dual credit transcripts to your final selection?
No

Have you paid your attendance deposit (if applicable)?
No

If you are going on a religious mission or enrolling in the military have you applied for deferred enrollment?
No

Do you know how to put your admissions and scholarships on hold?
No

Do you know who your point of contact is at the institution you are planning to attend?
No

Are there multiple contacts that you need to keep track of?

No

Have you set up a personal email to have your college information redirected?
No

When is the orientation for the college/university you are planning to attend?

Enlist in the Military

Have you taken the ASVAB?
No

Have you spoken to a recruiter in person?
No

What branches?

- Select -

Review your course plan and completed courses. Are you on track to graduate on time?
No

Have you made sure you haven’t committed any school discipline violations or criminal violations that may hinder your enlistment?
No

If you intend to attend college while or after serving, have you completed any applications?
No

Where?

Do you have a ship date or date you will leave for basic training?
No

Enroll in an Apprenticeship

Have you applied to an industry job?
No

Is relevant job related training provided by a college or through the employer?

- Select -

Can you use federal financial aid to pay for this apprenticeship?
No

Have you submitted a FAFSA?
No

Is your apprenticeship registered with the Idaho Department of Labor?

If you're unsure, contact the Idaho Department of Labor at 208-332-3570 to find out.

- Select -

Will you be responsible for providing the tools and equipment you will need for your apprenticeship or will the tools and equipment be provided by your apprenticeship sponsor?
No

Do you know how much the tools and equipment will cost?
No

Have you completed research on all available apprenticeship programs and the requirements for completion?
No

Do you have a start date for your apprenticeship?
No

What is your start date?

Enter the Workforce

Do you currently work?

No

Where do you currently work?

Will you be able to work there full-time once you graduate?
No

Have you submitted any job applications?
No

Where?

What is the starting wage?

$

Is it full-time?
No

Have you created a resume to submit with your job applications?
No

Have you created a cover letter to submit with your job applications?
No

If you're currently not working and haven't submitted any applications yet, please list five employers you are planning to apply to:

	Employer
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	

Accordion Endpoint

Talk to Your Counselor

If you answered ‘no’ to any of the questions in your category, schedule an appointment with your counselor to help you navigate these last few tasks before graduation.

Mark As Complete

No