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**(11th & 12th Grade)**

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**BOOKS FOR 11th & 12th GRADERS AND FAMILIES**

**Adulting Life Skills for Teens: How to Money, Budget, Bank, Pay Bills, and Everything You Need to Know about Finances – By: Tory Hunt**
**AMAZON -** [**https://www.amazon.com/Adulting-Life-Skills-Teens-Everything/dp/B0BS8YB91B/ref=tmm\_pap\_swatch\_0?\_encoding=UTF8&qid=1698816787&sr=1-1**](https://www.amazon.com/Adulting-Life-Skills-Teens-Everything/dp/B0BS8YB91B/ref%3Dtmm_pap_swatch_0?_encoding=UTF8&qid=1698816787&sr=1-1)

In ***Adulting Life Skills for Teens***, you will discover:

* **30+ money-making ideas for teens** you can do part time – start making your own money as early as now
* The 5 questions every teen should ask before making any purchase
* How you can **afford higher education without a student loan**, even if your parents can’t pay for it
* How to use debit and credit cards wisely and avoid the usual pitfalls teenagers encounter with them

***And much more.***

**Career Planning for Teens: Discover the Proven Path to Finding a Successful Career That’s Right for You!**
**By: Seth Hicks**
**AMAZON:** [**https://www.amazon.com/Career-Planning-Teens-Discover-Successful/dp/1957590262/ref=sr\_1\_1\_sspa?crid=AT3K79DTQU4N&keywords=Career+Planning+for+teens&qid=1698816986&s=books&sprefix=career+planning+for+teens%2Cstripbooks%2C96&sr=1-1-spons&sp\_csd=d2lkZ2V0TmFtZT1zcF9hdGY&psc=1**](https://www.amazon.com/Career-Planning-Teens-Discover-Successful/dp/1957590262/ref%3Dsr_1_1_sspa?crid=AT3K79DTQU4N&keywords=Career+Planning+for+teens&qid=1698816986&s=books&sprefix=career+planning+for+teens%2Cstripbooks%2C96&sr=1-1-spons&sp_csd=d2lkZ2V0TmFtZT1zcF9hdGY&psc=1)In this book, you’ll discover:

* **How to start thinking about the careers you might want in the future:** By assessing and determining your interests, skills, and values, you will better understand your motivations and aspirations
* **How to narrow down your options:** Learn how to narrow your choices down even further by discovering what types of careers are available, so you’ll have a better idea of where to start
* **Step-by-step guide on how to choose the right career path:** Learn how to identify and filter career options that are not in demand or are not suitable to your set of skills

**I Want More Pizza: Real World Money Skills for HS, College & Beyond – By: Steve Burkholder**
**AMAZON:** [**https://www.amazon.com/Want-More-Pizza-Skills-College/dp/0996519408/ref=tmm\_pap\_swatch\_0?\_encoding=UTF8&qid=1698817264&sr=1-1**](https://www.amazon.com/Want-More-Pizza-Skills-College/dp/0996519408/ref%3Dtmm_pap_swatch_0?_encoding=UTF8&qid=1698817264&sr=1-1)

I Want More Pizza finally has teenagers excited about personal finance and is giving them the confidence that they can succeed. Money doesn't have to be stressful. Finally reach your young adult and help them become financially literate for a lifetime.

**Prepare for College: Junior Year Checklist – By: Shay Spivey, BSW, MSW**

**AMAZON -** [**https://a.co/d/6fjrDOL**](https://a.co/d/6fjrDOL)
**Congratulations! You are a high school junior!**Are you prepared for college? If you plan to attend college after graduation, your junior year is the most important year of your high school career. Prepare for College: Junior Year Checklist provides a checklist of important “Things to do” during your junior year of high school.

**Prepare for College: Senior Year Checklist - By: Shay Spivey, BSW, MSW**

**AMAZON** **-** [**https://a.co/d/gmPaU6G**](https://a.co/d/gmPaU6G)

**Congratulations! You are a high school senior!**Are you prepared for college? If you plan to attend college after graduation, senior year is a very important year. Prepare for College: Senior Year Checklist provides a checklist of important “Things to do” during your senior year of high school.

**Prayers That Avail Much for The College Years** - **By: Germaine Copeland**

**AMAZON -** [**https://www.amazon.com/dp/1577947169?ref\_=cm\_sw\_r\_cp\_ud\_dp\_85BNXY5FGHBPDVD65JGW**](https://www.amazon.com/dp/1577947169?ref_=cm_sw_r_cp_ud_dp_85BNXY5FGHBPDVD65JGW)
These short prayers are designed to help young adults face everyday issues with confidence and power as they are introduced to new thoughts and ideas in college.

**College Bound: The Ultimate List of Conversations to Help Your Teen Through High School - by: Melanie Prather Studer**

**AMAZON -** [**https://a.co/d/cZmhQVb**](https://a.co/d/cZmhQVb)
Are you worried your teenager isn’t prepared for life after high school?
Are your kids struggling with decisions about their future?
Do you fear they aren’t ready for the challenges that lie ahead?
Are you unsure of how to broach the topic of higher education?

Studer’s techniques will thoroughly prepare you for the critical discussions you and your child need to have, including plans for college.

**College Ready 2023 Edition: Expert Advice for Parents to Simplify the College Transition - By: Chelsea Petree, PhD**

**AMAZON -** [**https://a.co/d/5aaLAai**](https://a.co/d/5aaLAai)

* Practical guidance on what should be done during the summer, during drop-off, and the entire academic year.
* Addressing topics that parents stress most about. Including packing, money, staying connected, promoting responsible independence, and supporting academic success.
* Checklists for college ready do’s and dont's
* Ideas on how to start those tough, but very much needed, conversations. Not only will this assist you in your college preparations, but they will also open new lines of communication that can continue during the school year and beyond

**Debt-Free Degree: The Step-by-Step Guide to Getting Your Kid Through College without Student Loans - By: Anthony O'Neal (Find it at Barnes & Noble)**

Most parents struggle to pay for school and end up turning to student loans. That’s why the majority of graduates walk away with $35,000 in student loan debt and no clue what that debt will really cost them. n *Debt-Free Degree*, Anthony ONeal teaches parents how to get their child through school without debt, even if they haven’t saved for it. He also shows parents:

* How to prepare their child for college
* Which classes to take in high school
* How and when to take the ACT and SAT
* The right way to do college visits and how to choose a major

**FAFSA, STUDENT RESOURCES & SCHOLARSHIP LINKS**

**FAFSA: The How-To Guide for HS students -** [FAFSA: The How-To Guide for High School Students (understandingfafsa.org)](https://understandingfafsa.org/)

**Career Girls: –** [Career Guidance & Empowerment for Girls - Career Girls](https://www.careergirls.org/)**High School Scholarships (APPLY SOON!):**

1. **GE-Reagan Scholarship Foundation -** [**https://www.reaganfoundation.org/education/scholarship-programs/ge-reagan-foundation-scholarship-program/**](https://www.reaganfoundation.org/education/scholarship-programs/ge-reagan-foundation-scholarship-program/)
2. **Ted & Holly Rollins Scholarship:** [**https://www.rollinsscholarship.org/scholarship-application**](https://www.rollinsscholarship.org/scholarship-application)
3. **Amazon Future Engineer (Scholarship & Internship) -** [**https://www.amazonfutureengineer.com/scholarships**](https://www.amazonfutureengineer.com/scholarships)
4. **Apartment Guide Scholarship -** [**https://www.apartmentguide.com/students/scholarship/**](https://www.apartmentguide.com/students/scholarship/)
5. **Gen & Kelly Tanabe Scholarship -** [**https://www.genkellyscholarship.com/**](https://www.genkellyscholarship.com/)
6. **First-Gen Trailblazers Scholarship (Get Schooled) -** [**https://getschooled.com/first-gen-trailblazers-scholarship/**](https://getschooled.com/first-gen-trailblazers-scholarship/)
7. **Rise to Legacy HBCU Scholarship -** [**https://getschooled.com/rise-to-legacy-hbcu-scholarship/#:~:text=This%20scholarship%20is%20designed%20to,THE%20FORM%20BELOW%20TO%20APPLY**](https://getschooled.com/rise-to-legacy-hbcu-scholarship/#:~:text=This%20scholarship%20is%20designed%20to,THE%20FORM%20BELOW%20TO%20APPLY)**!**
8. **More With Us Everyday Jobs -** [**https://morewithus.com/pages/scholarship**](https://morewithus.com/pages/scholarship)
9. **Equitable Excellence Scholarship -** [**https://equitable.com/foundation/equitable-excellence-scholarship**](https://equitable.com/foundation/equitable-excellence-scholarship)
10. **Frito Lay Community Builders Scholarship -** [**https://www.fritolay.com/frito-lay-opens-new-scholarship-for-college-students-to-celebrate-community-builders**](https://www.fritolay.com/frito-lay-opens-new-scholarship-for-college-students-to-celebrate-community-builders)
11. **Live Mas Scholarship (Taco Bell) -** [**https://www.tacobellfoundation.org/live-mas-scholarship/**](https://www.tacobellfoundation.org/live-mas-scholarship/)
12. **Chick-fil-A Community Scholars Scholarship -** [**https://www.chick-fil-a.com/communityscholars**](https://www.chick-fil-a.com/communityscholars)
13. **Dell Scholars Program -** [**https://www.dellscholars.org/scholarship/**](https://www.dellscholars.org/scholarship/)
14. **Burger King Scholars -** [**https://bk-scholars.com/**](https://bk-scholars.com/)
15. **Jack Kent Cooke Foundation -** [**https://www.jkcf.org/our-scholarships/college-scholarship-program/how-to-apply/**](https://www.jkcf.org/our-scholarships/college-scholarship-program/how-to-apply/)
16. **OrangeSoft Women in Technology Scholarship -** [**https://orangesoft.co/scholarship**](https://orangesoft.co/scholarship)
17. **St. Pierre Alliance Resiliency Scholarship -** [**https://www.thestpierrealliance.com/the-scholarship**](https://www.thestpierrealliance.com/the-scholarship)
18. **Education Matters Scholarship -** [**https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/education-matters-scholarship**](https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/education-matters-scholarship)

**Additional Scholarships:**

1. **Best Scholarships for Alabama Students in 2023:**[**https://bold.org/scholarships/by-state/alabama-scholarships/**](https://bold.org/scholarships/by-state/alabama-scholarships/)
2. **Bold.org Scholarships-**[**https://bold.org/**](https://linkprotect.cudasvc.com/url?a=https%3a%2f%2fbold.org%2f&c=E,1,imWZpyc7ua8tfz11vvmrSgtB3Rn4iLw1heRxmAPrhPP8-nVj8IfZRElhEWdz33hqVW6PPFSOe1vx_DsCgBfWSn86TEi4LVpZ8XUTPPo5&typo=1)
3. **Top Undergraduate Scholarships  in 2023 -**[**https://bold.org/scholarships/by-year/undergraduate-scholarships/**](https://linkprotect.cudasvc.com/url?a=https%3a%2f%2fbold.org%2fscholarships%2fby-year%2fundergraduate-scholarships%2f&c=E,1,eW7yAE1HbUCCwNnGvLneJiRjm4K1FlTUMqzpOSnAA8UYYfIUfezHpo3PizsjRdocTxMls7gl8mpm8RczTnaN1Xml38hA0w_4R78tffYqyfjsTVRaKGCMSBEaf9oJ&typo=1)
4. **Scholly -**[**https://myscholly.com/search/**](https://linkprotect.cudasvc.com/url?a=https%3a%2f%2fmyscholly.com%2fsearch%2f&c=E,1,11IMh5-wlC5mbXdfGrL9DW_qlxQ5AutE4vc2Cuzba5440ZAXmBrYrNS15E13SKZkcOyqm4XXYNrSBPbe1Eq78UREuNHuvfPU5RGJmT347tMtjCOl_3gnTejz&typo=1)
5. **Scholorships.com -**[**https://www.scholarships.com/**](https://www.scholarships.com/)
6. **Going Merry -**[**https://www.goingmerry.com/**](https://linkprotect.cudasvc.com/url?a=https%3a%2f%2fwww.goingmerry.com%2f&c=E,1,DOddE_H68Aom9zWD8JpYsat21wtmmb34gcn55LZG7NtGS5bm5WP5ZRIZVykCS7bdXKlKuqpr1Rp9RXsIp9-pP9qW48wJcikpxF_DEpoOwP3C&typo=1)
7. **Scholarship Owl -**[**https://scholarshipowl.com/**](https://linkprotect.cudasvc.com/url?a=https%3a%2f%2fscholarshipowl.com%2f&c=E,1,SgWUV2HlAD6uUvw-pdHOqVUEUQqCXWdrSD9DB445SUYfx9CzuSXxcxPK0R7ZbQdkQyOhXHXlVRwa8iErOOPZeNJE60R9rJCt3FV62KmsR1ivdOVTZhg,&typo=1)
8. **Cappex -**[**https://www.cappex.com/scholarships**](https://linkprotect.cudasvc.com/url?a=https%3a%2f%2fwww.cappex.com%2fscholarships&c=E,1,G0_zY2pyw2yDcod8ncmGHAIg1MlbmGoahCizwy74VzEJl1z1JJldOClsQfABVgMTRnC5VzXQCxC2hmlesG1Uj8oxxq3_GSfILgu3fG3361j1Rgh9QJPukXqpFQ,,&typo=1)
9. **JLV College Counseling -**[**https://jlvcollegecounseling.com/scholarships/**](https://linkprotect.cudasvc.com/url?a=https%3a%2f%2fjlvcollegecounseling.com%2fscholarships%2f&c=E,1,vb3VUpfYTY2i2eC6NpMgIFh0IfcCULFQQKKxnWnUOR5FiT8lQDkKzv286AHFsfCQUOvJ7pT_DmNUMMjHOYJCcMOeEvI0rhM7jarQqW23gHmFgexvJBdOH7OcqOpJ&typo=1)
10. **College Green Light –**[**https://collegegreenlight.com**](https://linkprotect.cudasvc.com/url?a=https%3a%2f%2fcollegegreenlight.com%2f&c=E,1,3r9PgPHKZFEQKkjvBU3hyJfv2Yxxepe99T2uxnsFsGxy62EEOWzq_AHz8aRVoScX8r55sqUy4aPTFc7NQgCZWy8lYxjd-RqQnczunXrlkoY,&typo=1)
11. **Unigo –**[**https://www.unigo.com/pay-for-college/scholarship**](https://linkprotect.cudasvc.com/url?a=https%3a%2f%2fwww.unigo.com%2fpay-for-college%2fscholarship&c=E,1,uDYrguomsFAFvYFTCLfMDwVY-4m_K27Y0BppEAZwVIWCVfsXOM-GaBxM2FXC3n2SwNuKVKm_bnUPoQAeo2G1LNvS3Pdml3yO5b7VFeboj6C9&typo=1)
12. **Scholarships360-**[**https://scholarships360.org/**](https://linkprotect.cudasvc.com/url?a=https%3a%2f%2fscholarships360.org%2f&c=E,1,-_28lRbcKRmryi798Ka1lVH3uZChZ6VxdhrEtWdPG-ey1ul-6iz35varTsX7ms8ew4_HSNjrvdJa4uXzrOvwkAToVWuYPaU1fyeua4xVdfwooqCzdiU2qbQ,&typo=1)
13. **Peterson's -**[**https://www.petersons.com/scholarship-search.aspx**](https://www.petersons.com/scholarship-search.aspx)
14. **Big Future Scholarships:**[**https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarships**](https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarships)
15. **Chegg Scholarships:**[**https://www.chegg.com/advice/admissions/scholarships-financial-aid-admissions/**](https://www.chegg.com/advice/admissions/scholarships-financial-aid-admissions/)

**Additional Resources for Families in Alabama**
**Alabama Possible – Get HELP in filing the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)**
**Cash for College**
<https://alabamapossible.org/programs/alabamagoestocollege/students-and-familes/cash-for-college-students-and-families/>

**Teen Budget Worksheet**
[**https://i.infopls.com/SOP/Teenbudget-saveable.pdf**](https://i.infopls.com/SOP/Teenbudget-saveable.pdf)

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**Teen Budget Worksheet**
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**5th Annual HBCU College Fair:**
[**https://www.eventbrite.com/e/5th-annual-hbcu-college-fair-tickets-731299826467**](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/5th-annual-hbcu-college-fair-tickets-731299826467)

**21st Annual Atlanta Black College Expo**
[**https://www.eventbrite.com/e/21st-annual-atlanta-black-college-expo-tickets-719659971347**](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/21st-annual-atlanta-black-college-expo-tickets-719659971347)

**Georgia Scholarships:**
[**https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarships-by-state/georgia-scholarships/**](https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarships-by-state/georgia-scholarships/)

**Georgia Student Finances Commission:**
[**https://www.gafutures.org/**](https://www.gafutures.org/)

**Achieve Atlanta:**
[**https://achieveatlanta.org/about-us/**](https://achieveatlanta.org/about-us/)

**Georgia First-Gen:**
[**https://www.georgiafirstgen.org/**](https://www.georgiafirstgen.org/)

**Georgia Colleges & Universities List:**

[**https://www.dekalbschoolsga.org/student-advancement/files/2021/08/Georgia-Colleges-and-Universities-List.pdf**](https://www.dekalbschoolsga.org/student-advancement/files/2021/08/Georgia-Colleges-and-Universities-List.pdf)

**Virtual College Fairs:**
[**https://www.nacacnet.org/event\_detail/nacac-virtual-college-fair-11-2023**/](https://www.nacacnet.org/event_detail/nacac-virtual-college-fair-11-2023/)

**CAREER PROGRAMS**

**Urban League of Greater Atlanta:**
[**https://ulgatl.org/youth-development/**](https://ulgatl.org/youth-development/)

**Technical College System of Georgia:**
<https://www.tcsg.edu/for-students/>

**Technical College System of Georgia Tuition-Free Programs:**
<https://www.tcsg.edu/free-tuition/>

**Atlanta Technical College** -

* + **Future students**
	<https://atlantatech.edu/future-students/>
	+ **Tuition-Free Programs**
	<https://atlantatech.edu/tuition-free-programs-2/>
	+ **Evening & Weekend Programs**
	<https://atlantatech.edu/programs/evening-weekend-programs/>