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# ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STUDENTS

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## COLLEGE PREPARATORY CHECKLIST

- Make school a priority with good attendance and a positive attitude.
- Develop effective study habits.
- Keep your grades up.
- Read, read, read! Read as often as possible, including fiction and nonfiction books, newspapers, and magazines, to broaden your vocabulary.
- If you are struggling, ask for help! Don't wait until you get a bad grade on a test or assignment to ask your teacher, mentor, or your family members for help in a subject area.
- Whenever possible, participate in extracurricular activities, including sports, band, choir, and various clubs. Doing this will give you opportunities to expand your experiences and help you find out what you might like to do when you're in high school.
- Use the summer months to review what you learned last year. Use study skills books or online resources. Join a reading program at your local library. Don't let what you learned the previous year slip away, and prepare for the coming school year.

## Activity Coding Legend:



**Community-Based  
Matches**



**School or Site-  
Based Matches**



**Need access to  
a computer  
with internet**