

Educational Talent Search Expectations

The mission of Educational Talent Search (ETS) is to prepare students to complete secondary school and to enroll in and graduate from college.

Educational Talent Search Advisors are expected to:

- 1. Provide students with career and college information.
- 2. Assist students with high school course selection.
- 3. Provide connections and access to tutoring.
- 4. Assist students in preparing for college entrance examinations.
- 5. Assist students in college planning and in completing college admissions applications, including information on how to obtain fee waivers.
- 6. Provide information on federal and college financial aid programs and assist in the completion of financial aid applications.
- 7. Provide access to financial literacy.

Educational Talent Search students are expected to:

- 1. Meet with your ETS Advisor regularly. Notify your Advisor in advance if you cannot attend meeting.
- Take the most challenging school courses possible. ETS recommends that students take 4 years of English, 3 years of math through Algebra 2, 2 lab sciences, 3 years of social studies, and 2-3 years of the same foreign language.
- 3. Achieve and maintain a strong grade point average.
- 4. Participate in ETS sponsored trips when available.
- 5. Adhere to school and ETS behavior guidelines when participating in any ETS sponsored event.
- 6. Take appropriate college admissions examinations: Juniors usually take the PSAT and the SAT and/or the ACT. Seniors take the SAT and/or the ACT. Fee waivers are usually available.
- 7. Apply for college admissions in senior year of high school.
- 8. Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) (and the CSS PROFILE if required) in the senior year of high school.
- 9. Enroll in and graduate from college.

I have read and reviewed these expectations.

Student Name (print please)