STEM Class of 2024 After Graduation Packet (AG Packet)

Please download this packet and submit it to me as a PDF attachment via email.

This packet has a large amount of information that I will reference when writing letters of recommendation, so use this packet to brag about yourself and your high school accomplishments!! If there is a specific award, learning experience, leadership opportunity, etc. that you want me to write about it needs to be included in this packet!

- Submit this packet for a Spring post-secondary planning conference with me. *Please save it as Last Name, First Name*
- Once your AG Packet has been submitted, I will send you a link to my calendar so you can schedule a time to meet. Please have your packet submitted by March 24, 2023 to ensure we can meet before summer break. Parents are welcome to attend these meetings or just the student may attend, however only the student will receive the email to schedule time on my calendar.
- The initial college planning conferences take approximately 30-45 minutes.

Thank you! I look forward to working together over the next 3 semesters!

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Give the Parent Statement to your parent(s) to complete. Parents may choose to complete together or submit separate statements. Statement(s) can be submitted with their student's portion or emailed separately.

Personal Information

Name:

Do you want texts from Mrs. Myrick (check yes or no): Texting will be from a Zoom number and will only be short messages, i.e. *"check your email from me and respond, please!", "come by on your off period", "the college newsletter is live",* etc. Lengthy conversations/questions will still be in person or via email ____ Yes ____ No If yes, cell phone number to use: ______

Birthday:

Citizenship (include all, if multiple):
Language spoken at home:

Please indicate how you identify yourself (check all that apply):

- ____ American Indian or Alaska Native
- ____ Asian
- ____ Black or African-American
- ____ Hispanic or Latino
- ____ Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- ____ White

Male	Female	Other

Preferred pronouns

He/his	She/her	They/their	Other (please specify)

Schools you have attended for grades 9-12:

Grade(s)	School Name(s)	City, State, Country

Parent Information:

Married	Divorced	Other:	

Parent Name(s)	College(s) attended:	Occupation

Sibling Information:

Bro./Sis.	Name	Age	Grade/School attending

Resume Worksheet

Awards & Honors you have received in high school (academic & non-academic e.g. athletic, robotics, music, honor roll, community service, etc.):

Grade(s) (9/10/11/12)	Award/Honor	Description

Clubs, Sports, Activities, Community Service, etc. (school sponsored and non-school sponsored):

Grade(s) (9/10/11/12)	Activity & Position(s) Held Please indicate if a sport was played at STEM, club level, or at another high school	Hrs/Wk	Wks/Yr	Pursue in college

Paid Work Experience:

Dates (start-end)	Employer & Duties	Hrs/Wk	Wks/Yr

Special Programs:

Dates (start-end)	Program Name & Location	Description

Curriculum Questions:

If you are a P-Tech Student, which pathway are you on?

- Mechatronics
- Healthcare
- Computer Science

Since 9th grade, have you taken any advanced courses (check all that apply):

- Concurrent Enrollment on campus
- Concurrent Enrollment/Dual Enrollment off campus
- AP

If you've taken either of the following assessment, please share your scores:

SAT:

ACT:

Are you planning to graduate as a STEM Scholar?

- Yes
- No

Please answer each of the following questions *with a paragraph or two.* This is some of the information I will use for your letter of recommendation, so give as much information as possible!

- 1. How do you spend your time outside of class/school and what do you enjoy most? (e.g. extracurricular activities, clubs, sports, hobbies, employment, etc.)
- 2. What has been your favorite class and why?
- 3. Looking back over high school, what has been the most rewarding learning experience you have had and what did you learn from it? How have you grown from this experience?
- 4. What is the biggest goal you have set for yourself during your high school career? How did you accomplish your goal?
- 5. What is a challenge you have overcome during your high school career? How did you grow from that experience?

- 6. List three adjectives you would use to describe yourself and <u>give at least 1 anecdote or example</u> <u>of each trait.</u>
- 7. Is there anything you would like me to know, or anything that you were not asked that you feel is significant for me to know as we begin the college admissions process?

College Selection Guidance Questions:

1. In what types of environments have you experienced the most success? Check each of the following that you feel fosters your ability to be successful academically and personally:

Smaller class sizes	
Interaction with faculty	Larger class sizes
Class participations/discussion	Projects for assessment
Lecture	Papers for assessment
	Tests/quizzes for assessment

- 2. What are the "must haves" for your college experience? (e.g. specific major, specific club, Greek life on campus, specific type of culture, diversity, study abroad opportunities, undergraduate research opportunities, size, etc.)
- 3. Place: What, if any, are the defining parameters with regard to place?
- 4. Price: What, if any, are the limitations/restrictions you have on Cost of Attendance?
- 5. List the colleges you have considered/researched and indicate why you would like to attend. Please indicate if you believe the college is a reach, match, or safety school:
- 6. What Majors are you interested in? Why?
- 7. Do you have any questions and/or topics you would like to address at our individual college counseling meeting?

Parent Statement

The college selection process is a family supported one and therefore, input from parents is necessary and significant. Please respond to the following questions and use whatever format suits you. Feel free to email me at school as a separate document; it does not have to be included as part of the student's AG Packet. Email: <u>kelli.myrick@stemk12.org</u>

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If yes, cell phone number to use and parent name:

Phone Number #1 and Name_____

Phone Number #2 and Name _____

Student Name:

Please share your perspective of your child's unique gifts by responding to the prompts below.

- o What five adjectives would you choose to describe your child? Why? (Specific anecdotes/examples are helpful.)
- o In what areas has s/he shown the most development and growth? (Specific anecdotes are helpful.)
- o What do you consider to be her/his most outstanding accomplishments during the last three years?
- o What do you consider to be his/her most challenging moments/experiences during the last three years?
- 1. Are you placing any restrictions on your child's college choice? (e.g. size, location, cost, etc.)
- 2. Is there anything significant that you feel needs to be addressed as part of the college decision-making process?