

Scholarship Advice for Juniors

The CAP packet is an important tool in applying for local scholarships. Not all scholarships require the CAP packet, but most require at least 1-2 documents out of your CAP. All scholarship forms can be located at www.dcsd.k12.nv.us/dhs under counseling.

The CAP Packet includes:

- General Application
 - Autobiography
- 3 Letters of Recommendation
- Transcript (Anita Ovard in counseling will print your transcript for you.)

At the end of your junior year, it is recommended that you start working on your CAP packet. The Request for Letter of Recommendation should be completed before your summer begins. You will need 3 copies of this document. Give each of the 3 requests to any teacher, counselor, administrator, boss or pastor that you have a good relationship with so they have the summer to write your letter.

During the summer, it is recommended that you:

- Write your autobiography
- Work on the general application. (Be specific regarding community service you have completed.)
- Log on to www.fastweb.com . This is one of many search engines that will help you find national scholarships you are eligible for.