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Preparing for the future starts now, but how do students apply what they have learned in school to the real world? Sharing college prep or vocational options and real world scenarios, will help our scholars thrive after high school. Here are some tips and websites to help students navigate the next step in their life.

Parents, your involvement and support are crucial to your child reaching their academic goals! Please contact your student's school counselor today to be informed about his/her progress towards HS graduation! Your student's Personalized Education Plan, or PEP, lists their career aspirations, postsecondary plans, and the courses chosen and completed during GR 8 - 12. The PEP is to be reviewed and updated annually by student, parent, school counselor & advisor.

Earning your HS diploma from KCS is much like running a marathon- it requires endurance, determination, support from those cheering you on, and straining toward the finish line! The final stretch is upon us- very soon Seniors in the KCS Class of 2022 will walk across the stage, having reached a major milestone along their journey!

High School Diploma Requirements for KCS include 24 credits: 4 English credits, 4 Math credits, 4 Social Studies credits, 3 Science credits, a PE, HEALTH & Art credit, & 6 elective credits.

If your Senior has fallen behind, is missing one or more of the graduation requirements described above, the time to catch up is now:

- 1) Contact your student's school counselor today via phone or Schoology to determine any missing graduation requirements.
- 2) Register your child for one of the two options for recovering the needed course(s): online PEAK Credit Recovery Program OR the Option Pathway Credit Recovery HiSET Exam.
- 3) Don't drop out of the Race this close to the finish line! Summer School 2022 is the final option for any Senior who is not successful in earning all 24 credits prior to their May 2022 graduation date. Any Senior completing diploma requirements via the free, 6-week Summer School 2022 will earn a KCS Class of 2022 diploma. School counselors will be registering students in May.

