

## STEPS TO SUCCESSFUL ADMISSION TODAY AND THROUGHOUT HIGH SCHOOL

- Consistently earn excellent grades ;take college preparatory curriculum that stresses English , Math and Science
- Plan on taking the ACT and SAT tests as early as possible and more than once
- Take part in activities and seek out leadership roles
- Become physically fit and participate in sports

### BEGINNING IN YOUR JUNIOR YEAR

- Seek nominations to your academy of choice from your congressional representatives. Children of active or retired service men or women may also seek presidential nominations.
- Pass the Department of Defense Qualifying Medical Examination
- Score above average on the ACTs ( plus writing section) and or/SATs
- Apply to attend a Summer Leaders Experience
- Continue to earn above average grades
- Pass the physical exam ( candidate fitness assessment)

For more information about admissions requirements, timelines, and obtaining nominations to the academies, visit the following :

#### *Academies*

[https:// www.westpoint.edu](https://www.westpoint.edu)

[https:// www. usna.edu/](https://www.usna.edu/)

<https://www.usafa.edu>

<https://www.usmma.edu/>

[https:// www. uscga.edu](https://www.uscga.edu)

#### *Nomination Sources*

<https://lamalfa.house.gov/>

<https://www.padilla.senate.gov/>

<https://www.butler.senate.gov>

<https://www.whitehouse.gov/>