

Arizona Commission for Postsecondary Education
High School Scenarios for
AzCAC and Early FAFSA



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- Arizona**
- College**
- Application**
- Campaign**

The Arizona College Application Campaign (AzCAC) provides a cohort approach for seniors where high school staff and peer support fill the role of an experienced, college savvy adult who informs, motivates, and prods students toward submitting an application to a postsecondary education option beyond high school.

- College**
- Goal**
- FAFSA**

College Goal FAFSA (CG FAFSA) provides cohort support and adult assistance for seniors to file the FAFSA and has been coordinated by the Commission for the past 20 years.

Here are examples of scenarios that counselors are considering.

	Description	Fall	Spring
One and Done	Full day events, completing both a college application and FAFSA.	AzCAC and CG FAFSA	Perhaps repeat in Spring.
Full Day Events (Month)	AzCAC and CG FAFSA are held in different months.	AzCAC Nov. CG FAFSA Dec.	CG FAFSA Feb. AzCAC Mar.
Full Day Events (Week)	AzCAC and CG FAFSA are held in different weeks.	Nov: AzCAC Week 1, CG FAFSA Week 3 --- Dec: AzCAC Week 1 CG FAFSA Week 2	Feb: CG FAFSA Week 1, AzCAC Week 4 --- Apr: CG FAFSA Week 1, AzCAC Week 4
Multi-Day Events (Month/Week)	During class time (English, Advisory, etc.) use computer labs for AzCAC and CG FAFSA over a month/week.	AzCAC every Monday, CG FAFSA every Friday --- AzCAC every first Friday of the month, CG FAFSA every last Friday of the month	AzCAC every Monday, CG FAFSA every Friday --- AzCAC every first Friday of the month, CG FAFSA every last Friday of the month
Traditional Events	Nov. college application and then in Feb. complete the FAFSA.	AzCAC Nov.	CG FAFSA Feb.

Some additional scenarios:

- Events that extend beyond school hours and afterwards the events turn into a party or fiesta.
- Weekend events that help seniors and their parents complete a FAFSA

The Arizona Commission for Postsecondary Education looks forward to working with every high school toward this important goal of building self-sustaining college-going communities.