

## Fourth Year

- ✓ Begin applying for jobs/ graduate school at the beginning of senior year
- ✓ Meet with career advisor
- ✓ Sharpen interview skills
- ✓ Join a professional association
- ✓ Check academic Transcripts
- ✓ Apply for graduation
- ✓ Graduate...GO AGGIES

## Every Year

- ✓ Meet with your advisor
- ✓ Run Star Degree Audit
- ✓ Complete FAFSA
- ✓ Submit Scholar Dollar application
- ✓ Re-evaluate your goals
- ✓ Update your Resume
- ✓ Write down important Dates



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New Mexico State University

## 4-YEAR Checklist



## First Year

- ✓ Explore Campus
- ✓ Visit Campus organizations
- ✓ Research degree majors
- ✓ Attend Campus Events
- ✓ Become Familiar with campus resources
- ✓ Create a budget and saving plan
- ✓ Set short, medium and long-term goals
- ✓ Join a study group
- ✓ Check NMSU email daily
- ✓ Visit a professor during office hours
- ✓ Find an upper classman in your major to mentor you
- ✓ Get the contact information of at least one person in each class

## Second Year

- ✓ Declare a degree major
- ✓ Join a student organization
- ✓ Identify your values, passion, and motivation
- ✓ Explore educational study-abroad
- ✓ Seek a job shadowing or internship opportunities
- ✓ Attend tutoring
- ✓ Build a professional relationship with professors
- ✓ Network with alumni

## Third Year

- ✓ Become a peer mentor
- ✓ Consider graduate school
- ✓ Create a LinkedIn Profile
- ✓ Seek a leadership opportunity
- ✓ Attend job fairs and start making connection with potential employers
- ✓ Participate in mock interviews
- ✓ Identify professors for letters of reference
- ✓ Review for MCAT, LSAT, GMAT, or GRE
- ✓ Complete an internship/ job shadowing

