



# MY THREE-YEAR PLAN & PORTFOLIO

NAME:	COACH:	WMHS TEACHER/COUNSELOR:	LAST UPDATE: / /	
	MY PLAN/PATH	STATUS OF MY PORTFOLIO ENTRIES		RESOURCES for meeting REQUIREMENTS
<b>CAREER PATHWAY</b> (ex: Health Sciences)	.	Initial <input type="checkbox"/>	Confirmed <input type="checkbox"/>	From XELLO Dashboard, go to Saved Careers, confirm 3-5 for your Plan go to Saved Majors/Programs, confirm 1-3 for your Plan go to Saved Colleges, confirm 1-2 for your Plan
<b>Target Job Title(s)</b> (ex: Emergency Room Nurse, EMT)	1. 2. 3.	Initial <input type="checkbox"/>	Confirmed <input type="checkbox"/>	College Vine: <a href="https://blog.collegevine.com/list-of-college-majors/">https://blog.collegevine.com/list-of-college-majors/</a> US News: <a href="https://careers.usnews.com/advice/articles/certificate-programs-that-pay-well">https://careers.usnews.com/advice/articles/certificate-programs-that-pay-well</a> Career One Stop: <a href="https://www.careeronestop.org/">https://www.careeronestop.org/</a>
<b>Degree(s)/Certification(s) Needed</b> (ex: Assoc Degree/RN + Certified Emergency Room Nurse)	1. 2. 3.	Initial <input type="checkbox"/>	Confirmed <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Majors/Programs</b> (ex: Registered Nursing, EMT Certification Program)	1. 2. 3.	Initial <input type="checkbox"/>	Confirmed <input type="checkbox"/>	From XELLO Dashboard, go to Saved Majors/Programs, confirm 1-3 for your Plan <a href="https://blog.collegevine.com/list-of-college-majors/">https://blog.collegevine.com/list-of-college-majors/</a>
<b>Colleges/Schools</b> (ex: LSSC, Lake Tech, Withlacoochee Tech, College of Central FL)	1. 2.	Applied <input type="checkbox"/>	Accepted <input type="checkbox"/>	From XELLO Dashboard, go Saved Colleges Go to: College Planning—see: College Applications/Common APP; Scholarships; FAFSA
<b>3-Year Goals and Expected Outcomes (age 21)</b> (ex: Finish degree and cert exams, Land full-time job w/ benefits, obtain car)	1. 2. 3.	Initial <input type="checkbox"/>	Confirmed <input type="checkbox"/>	From XELLO Dashboard: Set Goals
<b>Work &amp; Community Experiences</b> (ex: Volunteer, community service, summer or part-time jobs, internships, major projects completed)	1. 2. 3. 4.	Planned <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	Completed <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	From WWBC website, go to Jump Start Resources, Download/complete forms From XELLO Dashboard, see: Letters of Recommendation Awards from Student Organizations (ex: HOSA)
<b>SUBMIT TO YOUR COACH BY 4/1/26:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>FAFSA Student Aid Index (submit image)</li> <li>College Acceptance (submit image)</li> <li>Resume (attach to this document)</li> <li>Personal Essay (from your scholarship/college applications)</li> <li>Any certifications (career, CPR/AED, etc.)</li> </ul>		Started <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	Submitted <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	From XELLO, Employability Credentialling—FL Ready to Work



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## WRITING A PERSONAL ESSAY FOR YOUR SCHOLARSHIP AND COLLEGE APPLICATIONS

To learn more about you, your goals, and your future success, you will write short essays (50 words each) to react to this common **Scholarship or College Application Prompt**:

*The lessons we take from obstacles we encounter can be fundamental to later success. Recount a time when you faced a challenge, setback, or failure. How did it affect you, and what did you learn from the experience?*

Use the Self-Paced College Essay Guide - ***YOUR STORY: UNLOCKING YOUR VOICE*** to assist you in writing your short essay for each section.

(NOTE: Guide available on Class Link or check with ELA teacher) or on the Booster Club website <https://www.wildwoodwildcatsboosterclub.com/about-5>

**Paragraph 1: A challenge, setback, or failure** (Guide: Step 3 & 4 [Para. 1] on pp. 21 & 24)

Describe in detail **only one** challenge, setback, or obstacle. (50 words) Remember: 5Ws (Guide p.21)

**Paragraph 2: How did it affect you?** (Guide: Step 4 [Para. 2] on pp. 21-22 & 24)

1. Describe how the challenge impacted you and your life. (50 words)
2. How did you overcome the effects of the setback? (50 words)

**Paragraph 3: What lessons did you learn from the experience?** (Guide: Step 4 [Para. 3] on pp. 22 & 24)

1. Describe the lessons learned from your experience. (50 words)
2. What motivated you to push forward and seek a better future? (50 words)

**Paragraph 4: Discuss your later successes in college, career, and life** (Guide: Step 4 [Para. 4] on pp. 22 & 24-25)

1. Dream big! What is your passion? (p. 25)
2. Where do you see yourself in 10 years?