**New Student Checklist - ATHLETE** 

Fall 24

studentaid.gov

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Congratulations on being accepted to Columbia International Unviersity! This checklist is designed to help you become RAM READY! Sections are divided into MONTHS when items can be worked on. If you are accepted mid-year, just follow the steps in order.

# SECURE YOUR SPOT! 🦪 ciu.edu/deposit

- Submit \$100 Enrollment Deposit
- Submit \$100 Housing Deposit (Resident Students only)
- COMPLETE FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)
- CIU FAFSA code: 003429

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- You may need help from your parent/guardian due to the specific tax/financial questions.
- This is how federal, state and institutional aid is awarded from CIU.
- Contact Admissions | admissions@ciu.edu | 803.807.5024

## LOGIN TO MyCIU (Student Portal) 🛛 🦵 my.ciu.edu

- Your login/password and Student ID# were sent to your personal email upon acceptance.
- This will be your go-to place to find information about housing, financial aid, your bill, etc.
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### REGISTER WITH NAIA TO DETERMINE ELIGIBILITY

- Create your Student Profile (check often for tasks to complete).
- Order all high school, dual enrollment and college transripts to be sent directly to NAIA.
- HomeSchool Students have specific requirements. Call Rebecka Vessey at 803.807.5043 to discuss.
- NAIA is responsibile for determining eligibility of first time athletes prior to competing.
- This decision can be as late as August depending on how quickly you submit paper work.
- Look at JUNE section on this checklist for final steps.

## SUBMIT TEST SCORES

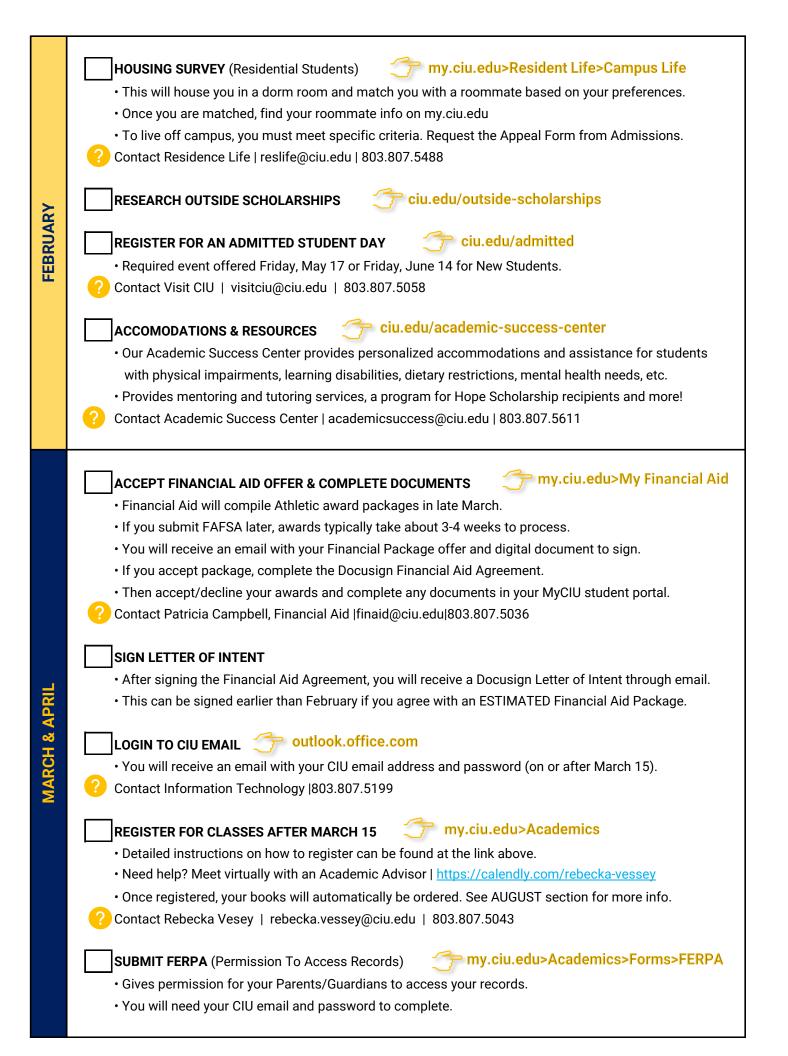
- SAT and ACT get submitted to NAIA.
- AP and CLEP scores get submtted to CIU (must be sent directly from College Board).

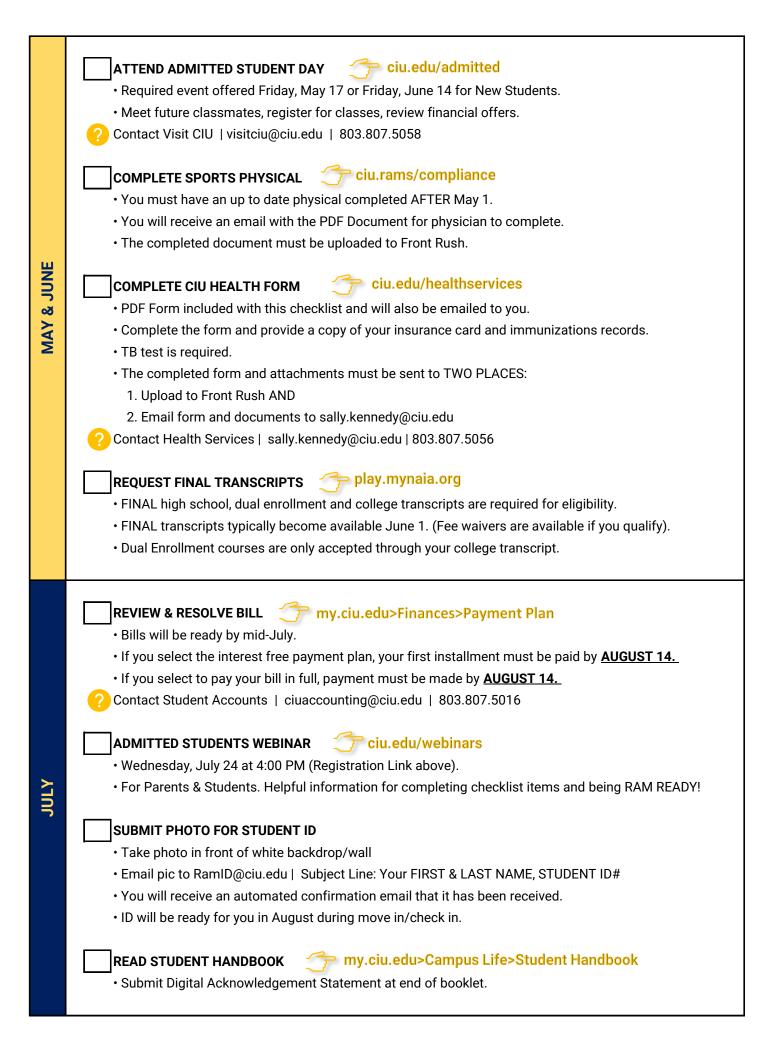
#### **REGISTER WITH FRONT RUSH** • Complete Student Questionnairre.

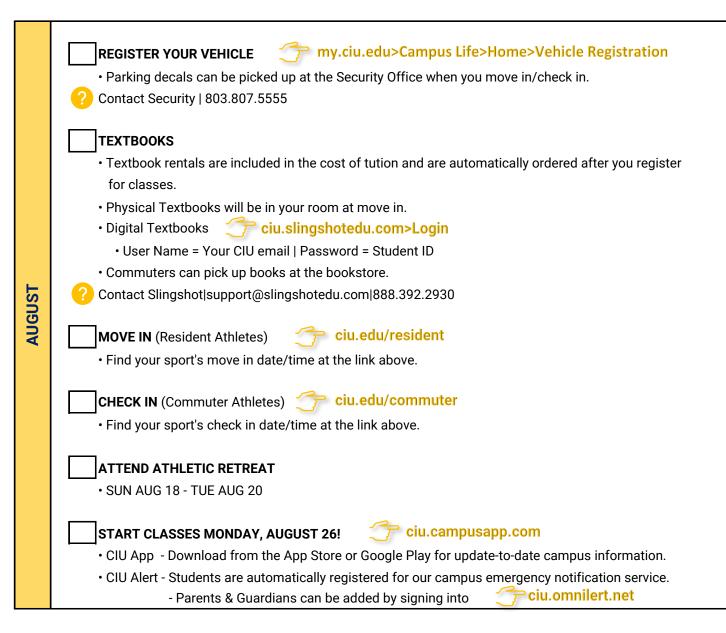
• You will receive an email about Front Rush in June requesting you to complete many documents.

frontrush.com

Contact Rebecka Vessey, Director of Athletic Compliance | rebecka.vessey@ciu.edu | 803.807.5043







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