

Text Message Guide

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WHAT	WHO	WHEN	TEXT
Introduction to Raise Me	All	Anytime	Heard of Raise Me? On Raise Me you can earn money from 100s of colleges for your high school accomplishments. Learn more @ www.raise.me
Introduction to Raise Me	All	Anytime	All students should be able to receive scholarships for college. That means you too! Find out how you can get started @ www.raise.me
Introduction to Raise Me	All	Anytime	You deserve all the support you can get to achieve your college-going dreams. See how Raise Me can help @ https://youtu.be/eY_qUe0MGS8
Started High School	9th	Fall	Congrats on starting 9th grade! Did you know that you can start earning micro-scholarships for college today? Sign up @ https://www.raise.me/
Work Experience	All	Fall	Did you work a summer job? Do you have a job now? You can earn scholarships for your work experience @ www.raise.me !
Community Service	All	Fall	Did you know you can earn micro-scholarships for your volunteer hours? Sign up @ www.raise.me and watch it all add up!
College Courses	10th-12th	Fall	Sign up for dual enrollment courses, get college credit — and earn micro-scholarships while you're at it on www.raise.me :)
Report Cards	All	Anytime	It's that time again! You've got your grades, now time to update your www.raise.me portfolio and instantly get money for college :)
Report Cards	All	Anytime	Want to get paid for those As & Bs? Create a www.raise.me portfolio to keep track of all our hard work and see it add up!
Report Cards	All	Anytime	Colleges care what you do in 9th & 10th grade. Want proof? Create a www.raise.me portfolio, input your grades, and find out!

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PSAT or Pre-ACT	9th, 10th	Fall	Learn why taking the PSAT matters! Set up your www.raise.me portfolio and start earning scholarships for taking the PSAT today!
Took SAT or ACT	10th - 12th	Fall / Winter	Congrats! You took the SAT! Did you know you can earn scholarships @ www.raise.me for completing your SAT?
FAFSA Opens	12th	Fall	Did you know FASFA opens October 1st? Be the first to complete your FASFA and earn scholarships for submitting it @ www.raise.me
Passed AP Exam	10th-11th	Spring	Congrats, you passed your AP exam! You can earn scholarships @ www.raise.me for AP exams. Input your scores and start earning!
SAT or ACT	10th - 12th	Spring	Your scores have arrived! Remember to input your scores on www.raise.me to start earning scholarships today!
College Access	All	Summer	Are you thinking about college but worried about being able to afford it? On www.raise.me you can earn scholarships from 100s colleges.
Campus Tours	11th, 12th	Summer	Having a hard to imagining yourself on a college campus? Sign up for tours at your top colleges and earn on www.raise.me for college visits!
Art Projects	All	Anytime	Want to share your best artwork with colleges? Upload your pieces @ www.raise.me and start earning scholarships for your art projects today!
AP or Honors	All	Anytime	Considering taking an AP or Honors class? Colleges on www.raise.me reward students for taking AP and Honor courses!
Sports Related	All	Game-day	Want to keep winning when you're not on the court (OR TYPE "FIELD")? Update your www.raise.me portfolio to earn scholarships towards college! Go (SCHOOL MASCOT)!

Educators: This announcement may be helpful to your students as you spend more time in online learning environments. Feel free to copy and paste this into your course shell!

Course or Portal Announcement:

Students, I wanted to share a resource with you that you might find helpful right now. [Raise Me](https://www.raise.me) is a free platform that allows you to earn micro-scholarships towards colleges you might want to attend in the future. As you progress through high school, you receive incremental “micro-scholarships” from colleges for your achievements, which you log in a free online portfolio. You have the ability to earn scholarships for attending virtual visits to colleges, your grades, sports, and more. Students on Raise Me also receive resources to help navigate the challenges of applying to college and understanding financial aid. If any of this sounds interesting to you, you can join the Raise Me community at www.raise.me

[OR]

Students, We're excited to share with you that {high school or district} has partnered with Raise Me! On Raise Me, you can create a free portfolio of your academic and co-curricular achievements that allow you to earn micro-scholarships from four year colleges. You can earn these incremental scholarships for good grades, community service, and even for working to support your family. Over time, these small scholarships add up to larger scholarships, showing you how all of your decisions you make now can impact your future.

You'll have transparency into the minimum amount of scholarships you can expect before you apply. That way, there are no surprises for you, or for your bank account!

Here's how it works:

- 1.Create a free portfolio at [raise.me](https://www.raise.me)
- 2.Use the “colleges” tab to research different schools. Where are they? How much do they cost? Do they have the program you want?
- 3.Follow schools that seem like a good fit
- 4.Enter your college achievements to date
- 5.Keep your profile updated throughout your time at {**high school or district**}

Your earnings are instantly displayed in your Raise Me portfolio and represent the minimum amount of merit scholarships you'll receive from schools you are following if and when you enroll. Remember, college planning is a lot of small achievements that you make over time, and we want to help you all along your journey, not just at the end.

We encourage you to create a free profile today!