

The logo consists of the letters 'PEF' in a bold, white, sans-serif font, centered within a dark blue square.The logo features the words 'TRANSFORMING PUBLIC EDUCATION' in a white, sans-serif font, enclosed within a yellow rectangular border that has a ribbon-like shape at the bottom.

## MAP TO COLLEGE - CHECKLIST FOR PARENTS

- Talk to your children about college, starting early. Be open about what you can afford, and ask them what they are looking for in a college.
- Check out the many college savings options that are available to parents. The school guidance counselor or college advisor will be able to point you in the right direction to start.
- Follow your student's academic and extracurricular achievements. Help them stay on track.
- Offer to take your student to visit college campuses. These tours are often helpful to parents also.
- Get you tax information in order so that it is ready when the time comes to file the FAFSA. Delays in filing can mean your student missing out on free money or scholarships.
- Attend college planning and financial aid sessions at your child's school.
- Make appointments with your child's counselor or college advisor to discuss college and ask any questions that you may have. They will be a great resource to you!