Email Communication to Your **SOPHOMORES**: Participate in an Extracurricular Activity

**Suggested Subject Line**:

Be more prepared for college and beyond

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Dear **[First Name],**

The classroom can give you the academic skills you need to be successful, but extracurricular activities can give you the life skills you need to be successful – skills such as grit, creativity, teamwork, responsibility, and composure.

That’s why I encourage you, if you haven’t already, to join a club, after school activity, or organization. And take advantage of them! You’ll be thankful you did in the end.

[Here’s more information](http://pages.act.org/importance-of-extracurriculars.html) on how to make extracurriculars count. And please, come see me if you need help getting connected to one or have further questions.

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Email Communication to **PARENTS** of **SOPHOMORES**: Participate in an Extracurricular Activity

**Suggested Subject Line**:

Prepare your sophomore for college and beyond

**Copy**:

Dear **[First Name],**

Is your student in an extracurricular activity?

If not, they may be missing out on learning and cultivating social and emotional skills - grit, creativity, teamwork, responsibility, and composure - skills highly sought after in today’s workforce.

That’s why I encourage every one of my students to join a club, after school activity, or organization, and take advantage of them!

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