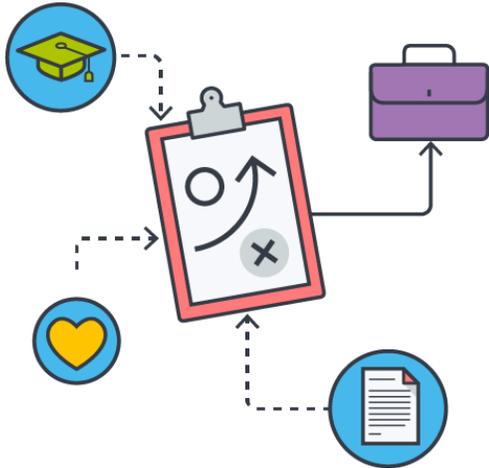


Learn About Common App & Parchment Integration with MEFA Pathway

2024-25



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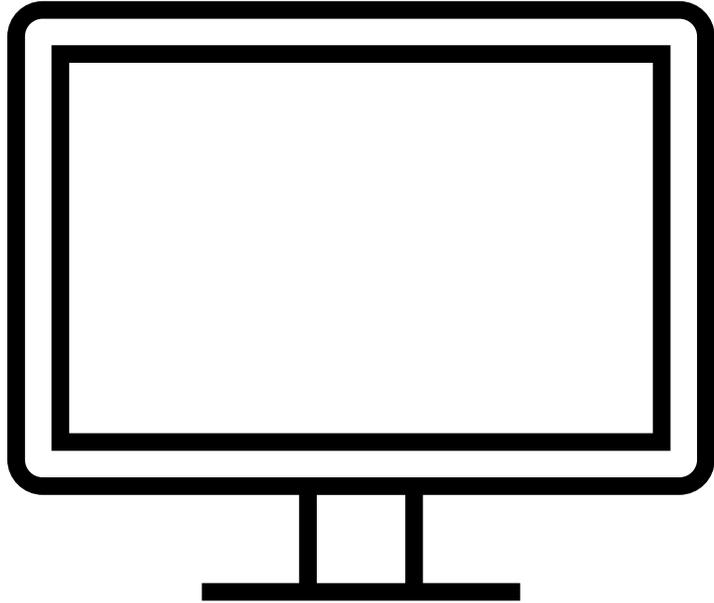
Poll

Benefits

- **Efficiency:** One-time school & counselor profile setup with data automatically populating to Common App reports
- **Management:** View required forms easily from Manage Transcripts/Recommendations dashboard
- **Ease of use:** Counselors send forms, upload transcripts, and view statuses in an easy, convenient manner
- **Support:** Instructional resources available along with direct support from your MEFA Pathway account manager
- **Your voice:** MEFA Pathway continues to grow and change based on direct user feedback. Every year we improve the user experience.

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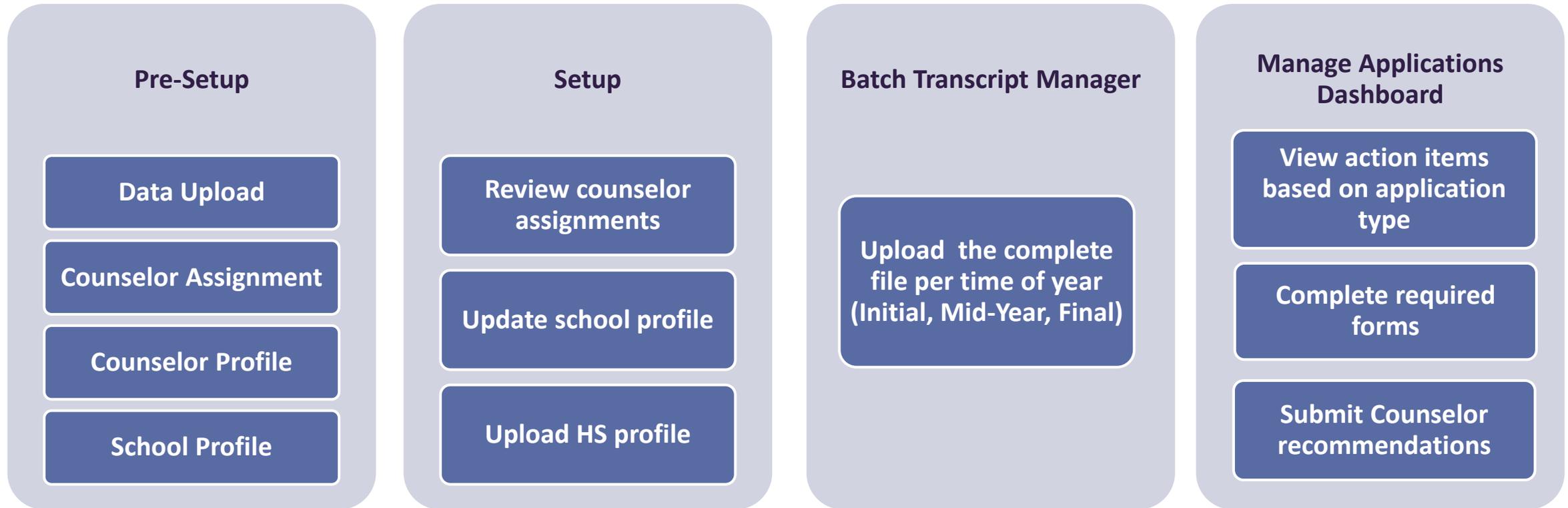




Live Demo

Counselor Workflow: College Application Submission

Manage Transcripts/Recommendations Dashboard



Counselor View: Student Details

Manage Transcripts/Recommendations

APPLICATION STATUS KEY
Click icons below to complete work.

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Common App must receive the School Report and Initial Transcript in first submission

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Management & viewability of documents

Brown, Charlie

University of Massachusetts Amherst

DECISION PLAN: Regular Decision DEADLINE: 01/15/2023 STATUS: In Progress DECISION: FIRST CHOICE

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School Report:	Sent	08/29/2022	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Counselor Evaluation:	Sent	08/26/2022	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Optional Report:		08/23/2022		Fee Waiver:	Sent	12/12/2022	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Mid-year Report:	Required	08/22/2022	<input type="radio"/>	Early Decision I/II:			
Final Report:	Required	08/22/2022	<input type="radio"/>				

TEACHER RECOMMENDATIONS 0 Required | 3 Optional

Steward Copeland	Requested	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Gordon Sumner	Submitted	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Keene State College

DECISION PLAN: Rolling Admission DEADLINE: 04/01/2023 STATUS: In Progress DECISION: FIRST CHOICE

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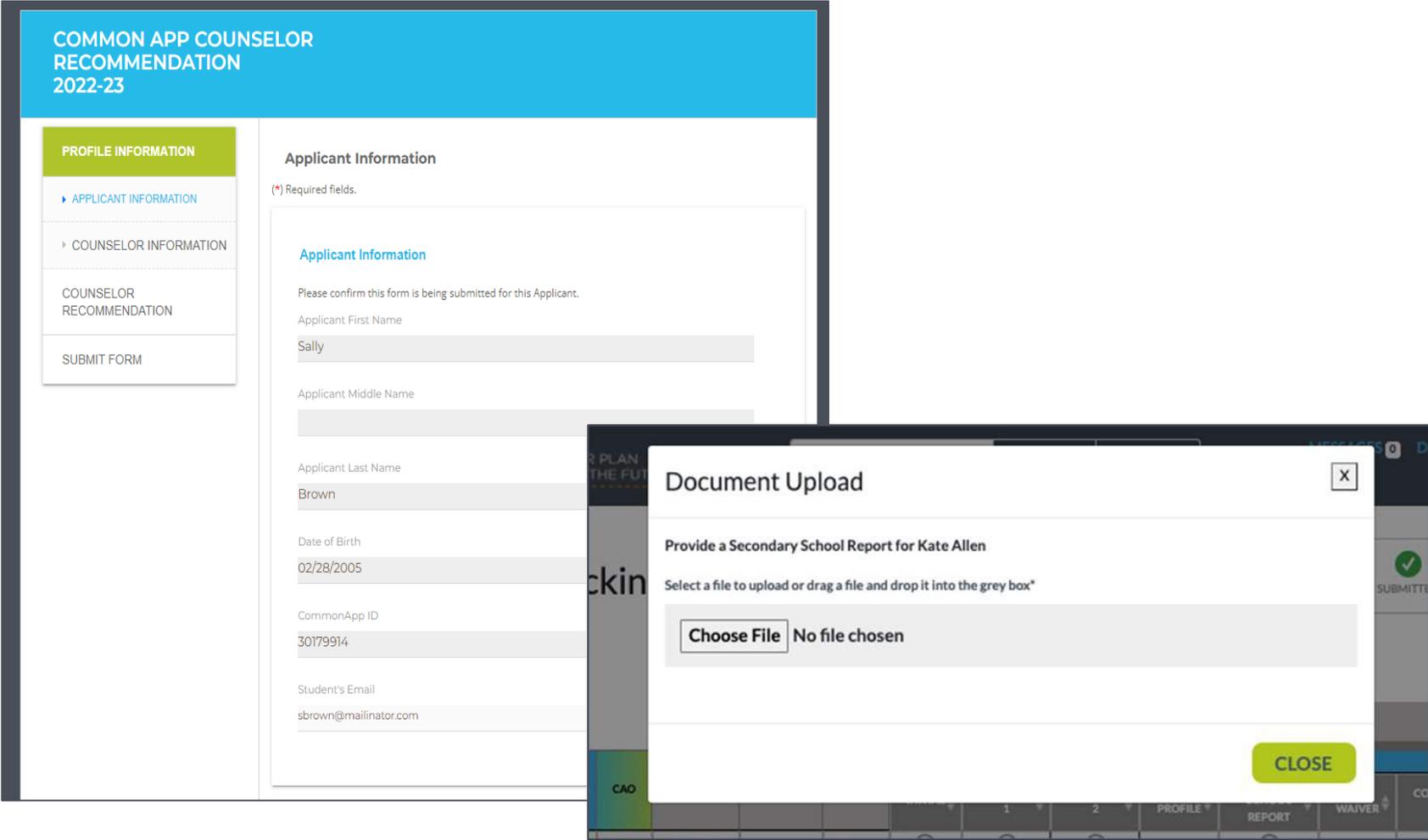
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Final Report:	Required	08/22/2022	<input type="radio"/>				

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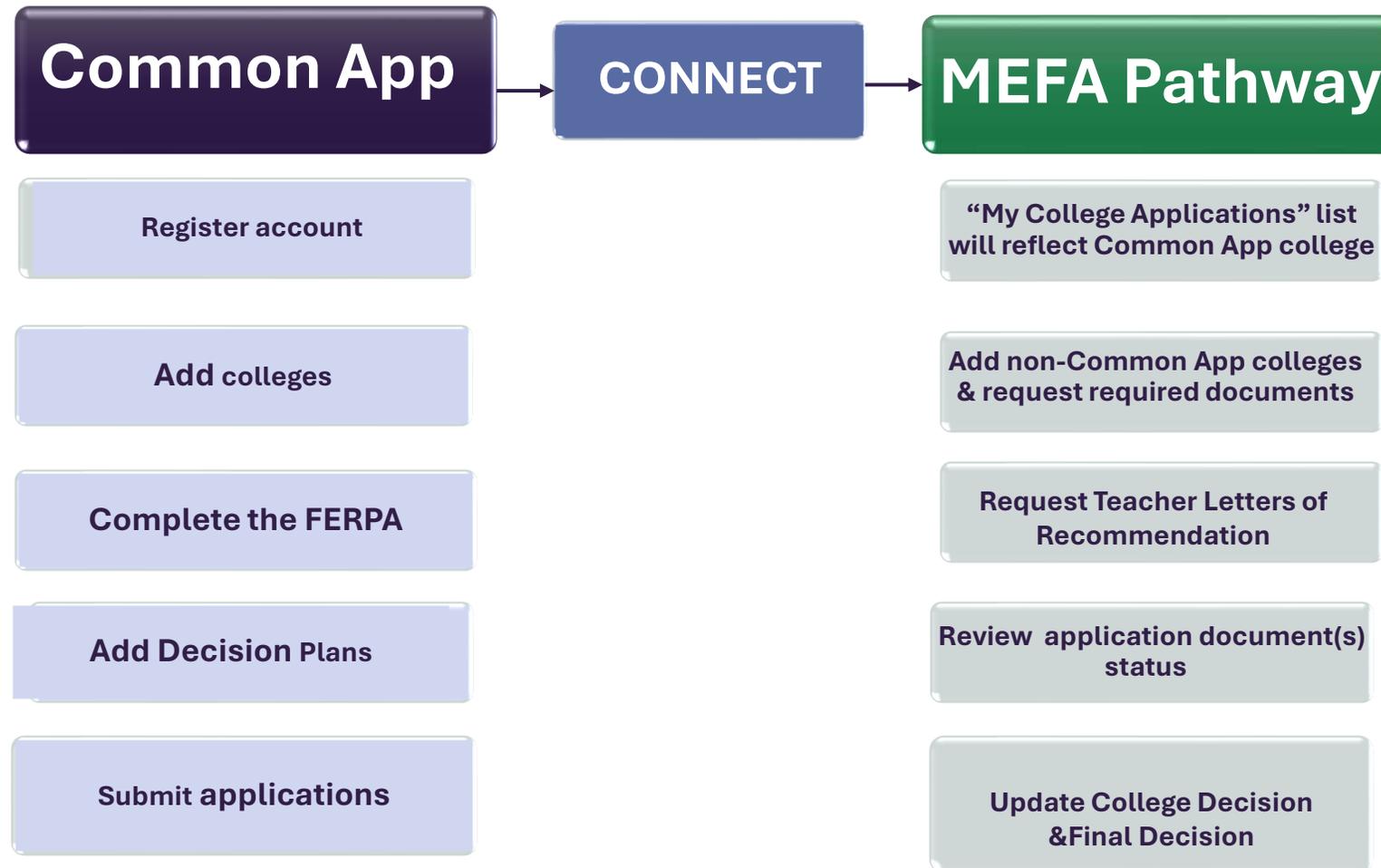
Steward Copeland	Requested	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Counselor View: Form Submission

Ease of use



Student Workflow: College Application Submissions



Student View: My College Applications

Home Create Profile Discover Careers Build Career Plan Search Colleges Manage Applications Pay for College

Overview My College Applications

MY COLLEGE APPLICATIONS

Expand all ▶

ADD APPLICATION + ADD/EDIT RECOMMENDERS

PLAN:	DEADLINE:	STATUS:	DECISION:	YOUR CHOICE:	VISIT COMMON APP
Application	01/22/2020	Submitted 01/22/2020	Accepted	Enrolling	VISIT COMMON APP
Application	01/22/2020	Submitted 01/22/2020	Accepted	Not Enrolling	VISIT COMMON APP
Application	01/22/2020	Incomplete	—	—	
Application	01/22/2020	Incomplete	Denied	—	
Application	01/22/2020	Incomplete	—	—	

▼ Boston College

DECISION PLAN: Early Admission II DEADLINE: 01/22/2020 STATUS: Submitted 01/22/2020 DECISION: Accepted FIRST CHOICE: ★

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School Report:	Sent	1/30/20	✓	Counselor Evaluation:	Sent	1/30/20	✓
Optional Report:	Received	1/10/20	⚠	Fee Waiver:	Received	1/10/20	⚠
Mid-year Report:	Downloaded	1/10/20	🔗	Early Decision VII:	Requires Attention		⚠
Final Report:	Requested	1/10/20	○				

TEACHER RECOMMENDATIONS 1 required | 2 optional

Lawrence Caruthers Teacher	Incomplete	✓
Jennifer Robinson Counselor	Complete	✓

▼ Georgetown University

DECISION PLAN: — DEADLINE: — STATUS: — DECISION: — FIRST CHOICE: —

parchment

Initial Transcript:	Sent	1/30/20	✓	Letter of Recommendation:	—		
Optional Transcript:	Requires Attention		⚠	Secondary School Report:	—		
Mid-Year Transcript:	Downloaded	1/10/20	🔗	Fee Waiver:	Requested	1/10/20	⚠
Final Transcript:	Requested	1/10/20	○				

TEACHER RECOMMENDATIONS 1 required | 2 optional

Lawrence Caruthers Teacher	Incomplete	✓
Jennifer Robinson Counselor	Complete	✓

▼ Texas Tech

DECISION PLAN: — DEADLINE: — STATUS: — DECISION: — FIRST CHOICE: —

POSTAL MAIL REQUIRED

Initial Transcript:	Submitted		✓	Letter of Recommendation:	Submitted		✓
Optional Transcript:	Requested		○	Secondary School Report:	Submitted		✓
Mid-Year Transcript:	Submitted		✓	Fee Waiver:	Requested		○
Final Transcript:	Requested		○				

TEACHER RECOMMENDATIONS 1 required | 2 optional

Lawrence Caruthers Teacher	Incomplete	✓
Jennifer Robinson Counselor	Complete	✓

Student View: Teacher Letters of Recommendation

Don't forget to submit your FAFSA
 CHECK BOX WHEN COMPLETED

Collapse All ADD APPLICATION ADD/EDIT RECOMMENDERS

▼ University of New Hampshire

DECISION PLAN: Regular Decision DEADLINE: 02/01/2024 STATUS: Started COLLEGE DECISION: Denied FINAL DECISION: - VISIT COMMON APP

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Application Form:	School Report: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Counselor Evaluation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Entrance Term: Fall 2024	Optional Report 1: Highly Recommended	Fee Waiver: N/A
	Optional Report 2: N/A	Early Decision I/II: N/A
	Mid-year Report: <input type="radio"/>	
	Final Report: <input type="radio"/>	

TEACHER RECOMMENDATIONS 0 Required | 3 Optional

Bento, Jennifer | Teacher Submitted 9/6/2023

Add Request

Choose Teacher

▼ Northeastern University

DECISION PLAN: Regular Decision DEADLINE: 01/01/2024 STATUS: Started COLLEGE DECISION: - FINAL DECISION: - VISIT COMMON APP

TEACHER RECOMMENDATIONS 1 Required | 1 Optional

N/A

Bento, Jennifer | Teacher Submitted 9/14/2023

N/A

Add Request

Choose Teacher

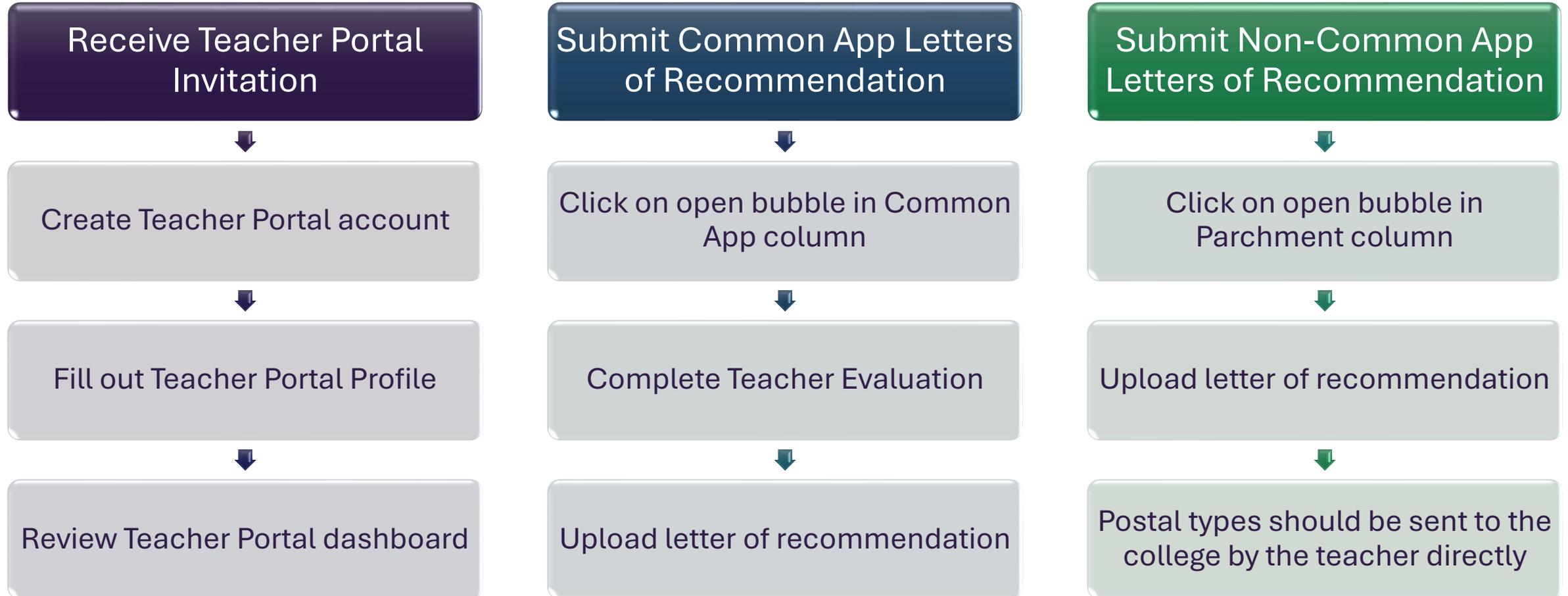
Choose Teacher

Recommenders

Bento, Jennifer Math Teacher jbento@mefa.org	<i>Requested</i>
Brown, Alice World Language Teacher abrown@mailinator.com	<i>Requested</i>

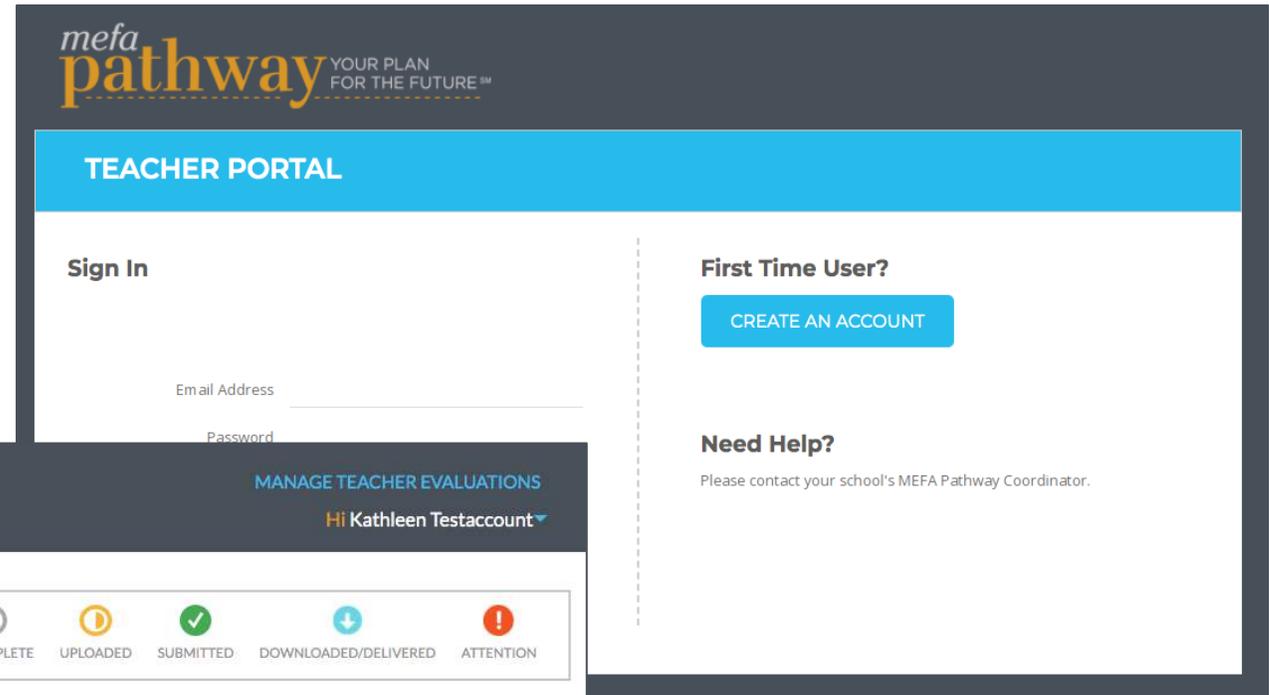
Add Recommender

Teacher Workflow



****Note:** Teachers need to submit one letter for each student for Common App colleges and one for Parchment colleges. Subsequent requests will automatically be sent following the initial submission.

Teacher Portal: Managing Letters of Recommendation



Application Tracking

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Current Participating Schools 2024-25

"Participating in the CA/Parchment integration, has streamlined our efforts toward helping students get their college applications complete in a timely manner. Less time in the software means more face time with our students."

Ryan McCabe, Lead Guidance Counselor, Assabet Valley Regional Technical HS

What our schools are saying.....

Assabet Valley Regional Technical High School
Chelsea High School
Chelsea Opportunity Academy
Chelsea Virtual Academy
Northeast Metro Regional Vocational High School
Pioneer Valley Performing Arts Charter School
Maynard High School
New Bedford High School
Argosy Collegiate Charter School
Southwick Regional High School
Walker Beacon School

Connect with them !

Next Steps

QUESTIONS? Schedule a time to meet [here](#)



CONFIRM Common App/Parchment & MEFA Pathway integration by June 1, 2025

Submit the form, [here](#)



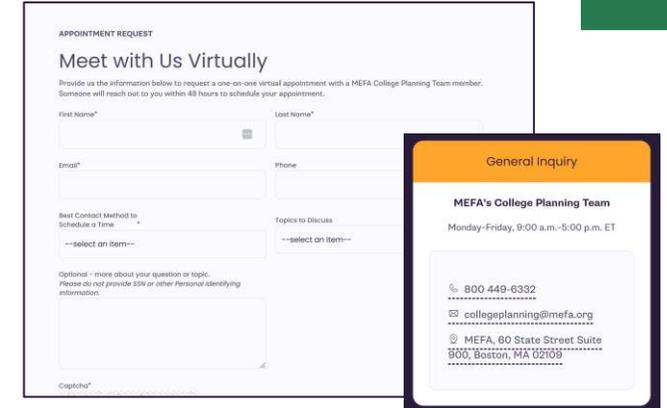
CONTACT k12support@mefa.org to schedule a 60-minute training for August 2025

Delivering Guidance

MEFA's guidance outreach includes extensive expertise and content on college and career.



The MEFA Podcast
Conversations with experts
on a range of topics



Specialized Appointments
Experts available offering one-on-one guidance, and is also available for telephone and email support



Live and On-Demand Webinars
Presenters focusing on a range of topics



mefa.org
MEFA's website features streamlined and updated content that is easy to navigate and find content based on each child's age and pathway.



Active Social Media Network
Posts on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, and LinkedIn

Community Resources



- Free assistance completing the FAFSA
- Events held Jan-April
- Offered in both English and Spanish
- Registration at [FAFSADay.org](https://www.fafsaday.org)



- Non-profit providing free financial aid help and career readiness services
- Appointment scheduling with an education advisor
- [massedco.org](https://www.massedco.org)



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Scan the QR code to view MEFA's *For School Counselors* webpage, which includes free resources and training to help guide families through the college planning process and develop professional skills.

