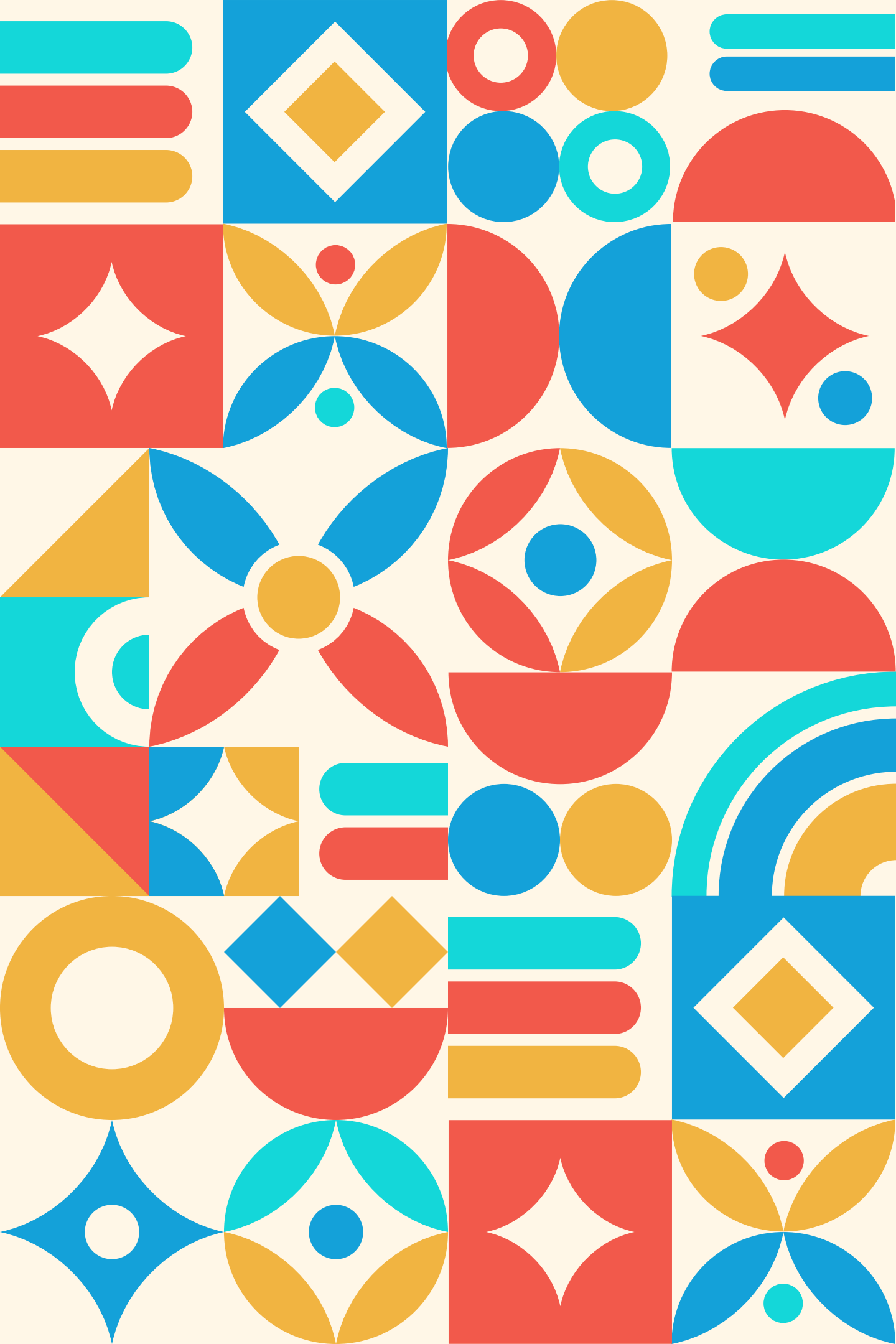




**Get Started
with
GAfutures**

**Allatoona High School
2026-2027**

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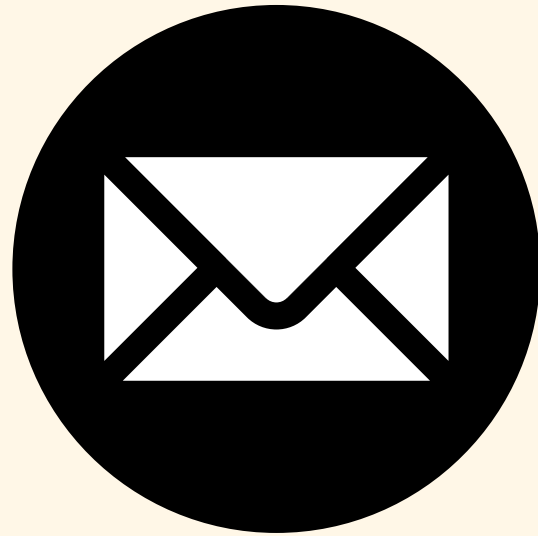


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How to Contact Your School Counselor



You can email questions
or make an
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You can come by the
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complete an appointment
request form.



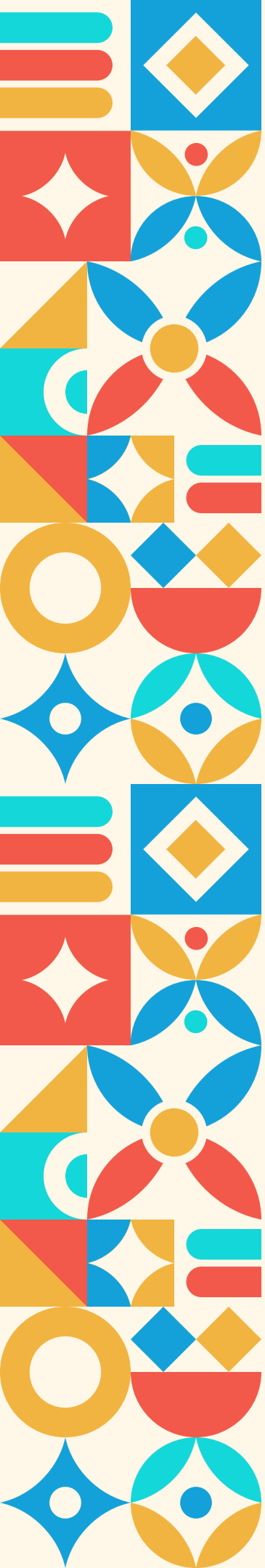
Today's Agenda

Review GAfutures.org

Create Your Account IF You Do NOT Have One

OR

Login to Your Account



Why GAFutures?

- Students can check their HOPE GPA through their GAFutures account to see if they are on track to be eligible for the HOPE or Zell Miller scholarship.
- Resources to help with college planning and research.
- Detailed information about GEORGIA MATCH, HOPE scholarship and other state programs is also available on GAFutures.org
- GAFutures account creation supports GEORGIA MATCH, a comprehensive direct admission program.

Creating Your GAfutures Account

Step 1 – Go to GAfutures.org

IF YOU ALREADY HAVE AN ACCOUNT LOGIN

You will now review your HOPE GPA

- Sign in to your GAfutures account.
- Check that your GAfutures Profile has your correct last name, high school, SSN, date of birth and zip code.
- Click My GAfutures Tab, then click the My High School HOPE GPA. Select your high school's name from the drop-down menu and click Select.

If you cannot see your HOPE GPA - Have you added your Social Security Number? It is required to view your HOPE GPA!

IF YOU DO NOT HAVE ACCOUNT YOU WILL GO TO STEP 2

Creating Your GAFutures Account (ONLY IF YOU DON'T HAVE ONE ALREADY)

Go to GAFutures.org

Step 2 – Click Create an Account at the top

Step 3 – Select the 'Student Account' option



Creating Your GAFutures Account

Step 4 – Enter your information.

This information must be as it is listed on your transcript/records.

Only sections with a red star * are required.

1

Step 1

2

Step 2

3

Step 3

✓

Complete

First Name *

Enter first name

Middle Initial

Middle initial

Last Name *

Enter last name

Date of Birth *

mm/dd/yyyy

Email * ?

primary.email@example.com

Reenter Email *

primary.email@example.com

Alternate Email

alternate.email@example.com

Reenter Alternate Email

alternate.email@example.com

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Next

Creating Your GAFutures Account

Step 5 – Select your ‘High School’ type
You must also select security questions and answers accurately.

Fields marked with * are required.

Click on the radio button that best describes you *

☒ I attend a Georgia public High School ☐ I attend a Georgia private or charter High School
☐ I attend a Georgia Home Study Program ☐ I attend a Georgia College or University ☐ Other Students/Former Students ?

Security Question 1 *

Select ▼

Security Question 2 *

Select ▼

Security Question 3 *

Select ▼

Answer 1 *

Create your first security answer

Answer 2 *

Create your second security answer

Answer 3 *

Create your third security answer

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Step 6

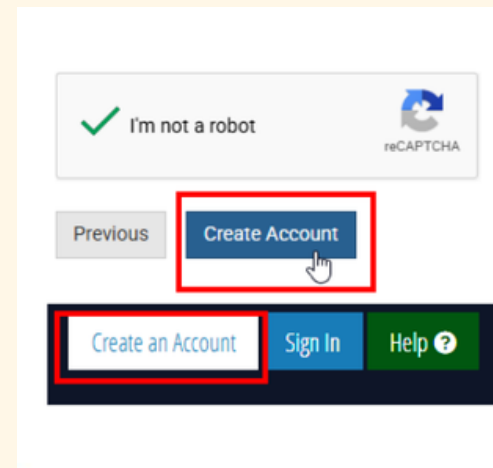
- Create a unique username and password (write this down)
- Select your high school name from the drop-down menu and enter your current grade level.
- Enter your full street address
- Remember - Only sections with a red star are required
- This information must match your transcript/records
- You can add the other information if you know it.
- SSN is required to be entered to access your HOPE GPA or apply for Dual enrollment -IF you don't know your social security number - It can also be added later (must be added to check your HOPE GPA)

The screenshot shows the 'Step 3' of the GAfutures account creation process. At the top, a progress bar indicates four steps: Step 1, Step 2, Step 3 (current), and Complete. Below the progress bar, a note states 'Fields marked with * are required.' The form is divided into two columns. The left column contains fields for: Username * (with a note 'Username is lowercase'), Password *, School *, Social Security Number * (with a help icon), Country *, State/Province *, Street *, Contact Phone, and Parent/Guardian Email (Optional). The right column contains fields for: Reenter Password *, Select Grade *, Reenter Social Security Number *, City *, ZIP/Postal code *, County, and Reenter Parent/Guardian Email. At the bottom left, there is a checkbox for 'I'm not a robot' and a reCAPTCHA logo. At the bottom right, there is a checkbox for 'I acknowledge that I have read and accept the Terms of Use and Privacy Statement of this website and its affiliates.' and a 'Need to Chat?' button. Navigation buttons 'Previous' and 'Create Account' are at the very bottom.

This close-up shows the 'Social Security Number *' field with a help icon. Below the field is the placeholder text 'SSN number without dashes'. To the right, under the heading 'REQUIRED FOR:', a list of reasons is provided: GSFAPPS, Dual Enrollment applications, Accessing your HOPE GPA, Sending transcript requests, and Managing your GSFA State Loan. A small eye icon is visible in the bottom right corner of the panel.

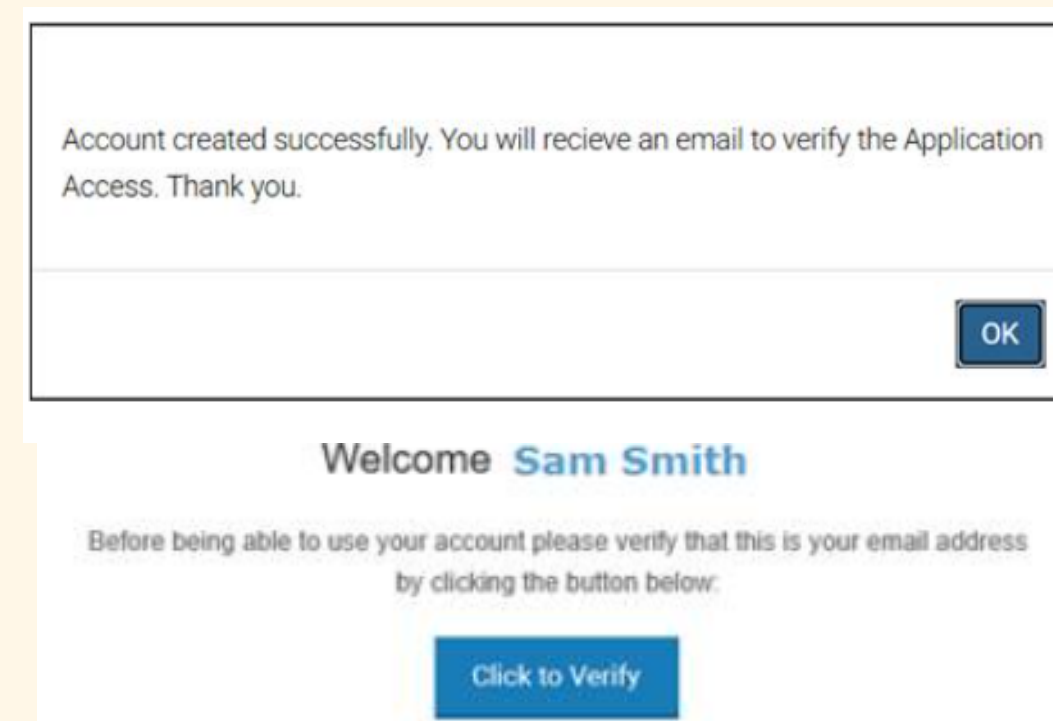
Creating Your GAfutures Account

Once all steps are finished
Click Create Account

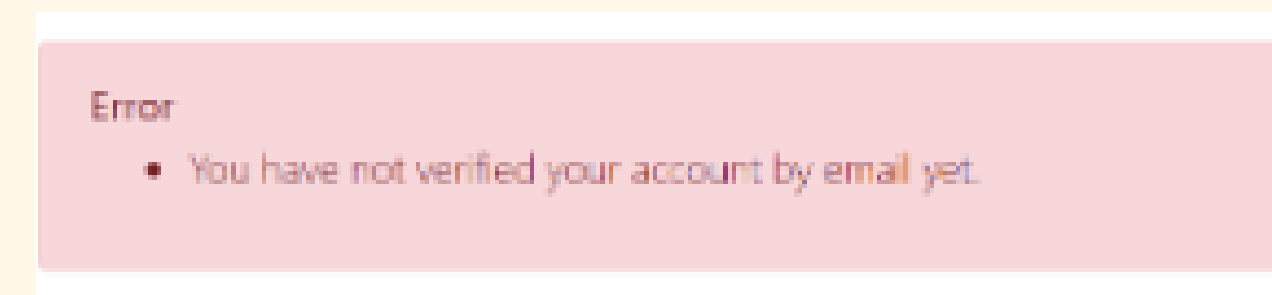


You will now see a message to **VERIFY THE APPLICATION.**

A verification email will be sent to you. You will click the link sent to you in the email. You have 24 hours to verify the account.

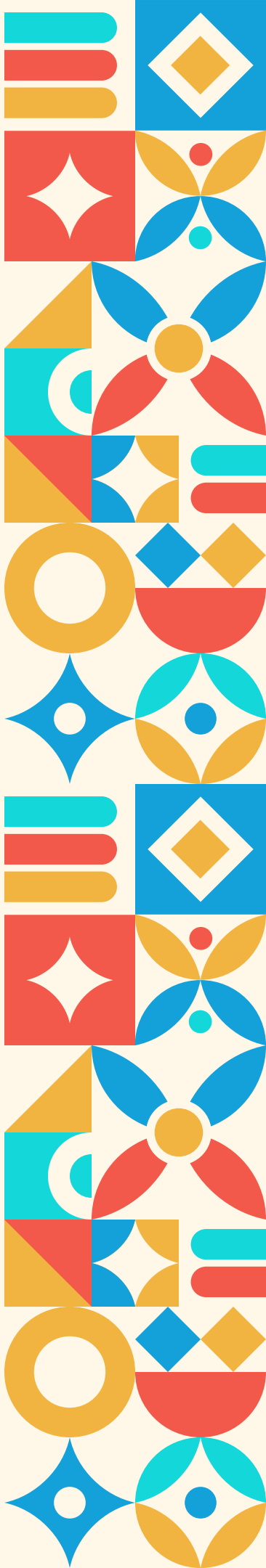


IF YOU DO NOT CLICK ON THE VERIFICATION LINK SENT TO YOU, YOU WILL SEE AN ERROR MESSAGE WHEN YOU ATTEMPT TO SIGN IN. ONLY AFTER YOU VERIFY YOUR EMAIL, WILL YOU BE ABLE TO SIGN IN TO YOUR ACCOUNT!



Now You Can Track Your HOPE GPA!

**Remember, you can also use GAfutures
to explore different types of
financial aid, career exploration,
college planning and more.**



**Thank
You**

