Full Second-Year Road Map Checklist

Summer: June, July, August

Fall:
- September
- October
- November
- December

Winter: January

Spring:
- February
- March
- April
- May

June, July, August

☐ Think about what you want to get out of your second year
☐ Explore the Majors & Minors page if you're still exploring possibilities
  - Check the Degree Progress Report and Academic Planner (What-If Function) in Albert
☐ Work on things you didn't have time for during your first year
  - Set up your AdviseStream account if you're a prehealth student
  - Set up your CareerNet account and start looking for jobs and internships
☐ Recharge, Reflect and come back refreshed
☐ Browse NYU Engage and find organizations you want to join!

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September

☐ Attend Second-Year Welcome Back Kick Off Event hosted by the Second-Year Class Board
☐ Meet with your academic advisor to discuss your plan for the year, check on your Albert, and if ready declare your major!
☐ Attend Club Fest and browse NYU Engage
☐ Apply to study away in the spring semester by September 15
  - Check out funding opportunities for study away
☐ Join a Wellness Toolkit group

October

☐ Set up your CareerNet account if you haven’t already and schedule a career coaching appointment at the Wasserman Center for Career Development (don’t forget once a week Wasserman offers appointments at the Silver Center for CAS students!)
  - Begin looking into internships or jobs for the following Summer. It’s important to know that several industries (economics, finance, medical research, etc.) begin
searching for interns in the Fall. To avoid falling behind, do some research on internships or book an appointment in the Wasserman Center.

- Check out the University Learning Center and Writing Center for midterm prep and tutoring
- Visit an academic department you’re considering majoring in & declare your major if you’re ready
- Apply for a Spring DURF or FAST Grant by the deadline
- Don’t forget about the wellness resources available at NYU (mindfulness, yoga, counseling)

November

- Meet with your academic advisor to get cleared for spring registration (and then register!)
- Attend an event planned by your Cohort President
- Have dinner with your favorite professor at the Student Council’s Student-Faculty Banquet
- Check your finals schedule and check in on your pressure points coming up
- Enjoy Thanksgiving Break!

December

- Check out study sessions at the University Learning Center to help prep for finals
- Relieve your finals stress at a Stressbusters event hosted by the Second-Year Class Board, CAMS on Campus, or another on-campus organization. See all the end-of-semester stress-relieving events on NYU Engage.

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January

- Work on things you didn’t have time to during the fall semester:
  - Set up your AdviseStream account if you’re a pre-health student
  - Apply to study away this summer by the February 1 priority deadline
  - Apply to study away in the fall semester by February 15
  - Set up your CareerNet account
    - Keep an eye out for summer jobs and internships. Think about things like housing, transportation, and cost of living when taking an internship.
- Check out the Degree Progress Report and Academic Planner in Albert to see where you are and where you’re going with your academic requirements
- Start thinking about CAS leadership opportunities for next year, and apply to be a College Leader

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February

- If you haven’t yet, you need to declare your major by the end of the semester—visit your department in person and declare!
- Participate in MLK Week events
- Apply to be a College Leader for next year
Apply to study away in the fall semester by February 15
Apply to study away in the summer—if you missed the priority deadline, apply by March 1 if spaces are still available
Eat a free meal and connect with alumni at Student Council’s Alumni-Student Career Dinner
Don’t forget about the wellness resources available at NYU (mindfulness, yoga, counseling)

March

Attend department open houses and declare your major during Declare Your Major Week
Apply for a Summer/Fall DURF or FAST Grant by the deadline
Apply for other leadership positions through CAS:
  o Junior Class Board
  o Proud to be First Mentor
  o Student Council (various positions available)
Visit Wasserman for help with your summer internship search
Check out the University Learning Center and Writing Center for midterm prep and tutoring
Attend an event planned by your Cohort Presidents or the Second-Year Class Board

April

Check out the Majors and Minors Market sponsored by CAS Student Council
Meet with your academic advisor and get ready to register for fall classes
Continue to explore summer opportunities
Participate in Ally Week events
If you traveled throughout the year, submit a photo for the CAS International Photo Contest
Attend the Career Conversations mixer hosted by the Second-Year Class Board

May

Declare your major if you’ve somehow made it through the year without doing so yet
Check out study sessions at the University Learning Center to help prep for finals
Relieve your finals stress at a Stressbusters event hosted by the Second-Year Class Board, CAMS on Campus, or another on-campus organization. See all the end-of-semester stress-relieving events on NYU Engage.

End of Year

Consider: Did you meet the goals you set at the beginning of the year? Did new goals take the place of ones you originally made? How have you grown/changed as a person over the last 12 months, and how do you hope to change over the next year?