



**Thursday October 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6PM-7:00PM – Homework Center**

## **EVER WONDERED IF TAKING A GAP YEAR IS RIGHT FOR YOU?**

More and more, U.S. teens are considering their options before jumping right from high school to college. Gap Years are becoming more popular now in the US for many reasons including teens just “burned out”, lack of life skills and gaining a sense of maturity prior to going to college.

Experience has shown that 90% of students taking a Gap Year will enroll in a four year college (most have already been accepted and deferred their enrollment for a year), and be more focused, mature and ready to embrace college learning.



**Katherine Stievater**, a Gap Year Advisor and Founder of Gap Year Solutions will explain why Gap Years are growing in popularity and how any student can benefit from a Gap Year. She will explain different Gap Year options and the Gap Year planning process, including how it relates to college planning.

***“Of all 4 year colleges across US- 1/3 of students don’t return after freshman year”***

This program is especially geared to high school juniors and seniors and their parents.



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