

Close or Far

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It's here, It's finally here! That long-awaited diploma. The ticket out of this

city and away from parents? So do seniors stay or do they go away?

Although most seniors cannot wait to graduate and move away, some end up staying at home and attending Lansing area colleges and most come back on the weekends.

"I want to stay sort of close, because if you go too far, you never get to



see your family," said Senior Carla Anderson.

"It's a good idea to stay close because then I can go home when I want to, yet I can still be on my own," said Senior Scott Vosinet.

Others believe that it's good for them to move away, perhaps to another city or state.

"I don't like the fact that everyone here knows everything about your life," said Senior Heidi Heikkinen, who wants to move away.

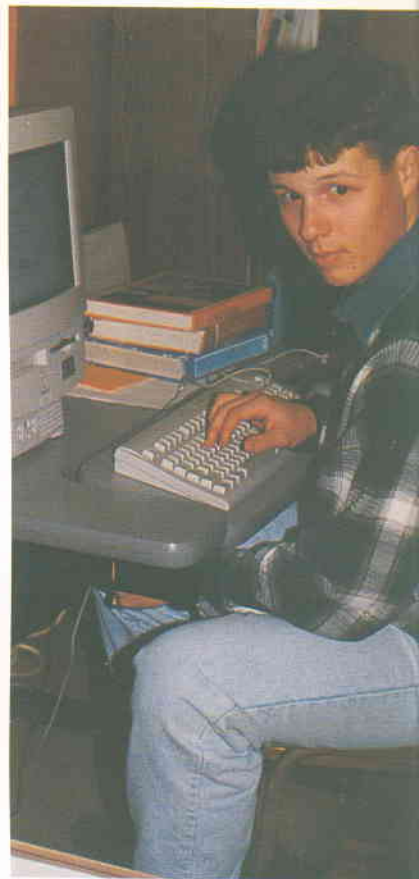
"I'll move wherever my career or schooling takes me," said Senior Rico Longoria.

Some seniors decide that the Navy or Air force is a better decision for them and they will have to make the move to wherever their training will take them.

"I will have to travel to Chicago and then to Tennessee for basic training for the navy," said Senior Dan Bowers.

Deciding where to go after high school and if a senior wants to be on their own or still dependant on parents can be one of the tuffest decisions that a senior can make.

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Making the hard decision of which college to attend next fall, Senior Jason Roberts uses the College View Program in the Guidance Office.

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