



WHS Counseling Department Newsletter

IMPORTANT NEWS AND REMINDERS

ADVISEMENT: Counselors will meet with **Freshmen February 25th-March 1st** in order to select courses for the 2019-2020 school year. Students will select 3 electives and 2 alternate courses. **Sophomores** will meet with counselors March 11th-15th; **Junior** meetings will be held March 5th-8th. If a student is absent on the day his/her class comes to the Counseling Office, he/she will be met with at a later time. Use this link to review electives: <https://sites.google.com/a/mail.fcboe.org/whs-registar/>

DUAL ENROLLMENT: Students interested in Dual Enrollment for 2019-2020 should complete their SAT/ACT testing and college application prior to March 2019. A parent and student must attend one of the mandatory informational meetings (this includes students currently participating in the dual enrollment program). **The meetings begin at 6:30pm.**

March 7, 2019: Fayette County High School

March 12, 2019: Center of Innovation - 440 Hood Avenue Fayetteville, GA

The following are additional steps required once you have decided to pursue dual enrollment:

- *1) Complete the online application to be accepted as a Dual Enrollment student for the school(s) of choice through their websites.
- *2) Order your official transcript(s) and deliver or mail them to the college(s) (See Ms. Lyle in the Counseling Department \$3 charge).
- *3) Log on to Collegeboard or ACT to send your SAT / ACT scores if they are not being sent automatically.
- 4) Continue checking email used in application for the college's response.
- 5) Once accepted make an appointment to see your counselor and discuss classes. Bring your chromebook when we meet if you need help completing the DE Funding application on GAFutures.
- 6) Take the class list pages developed in step (5) back to the college and turn them in to get registered.

All steps must be completed by May 1, 2019!

HBCU College Tour: [Click here for the link.](#)

SENIORS - remember to order cap/gown for graduation! www.gabalfour.com

GRIEF SUPPORT: Students interested in participating in the grief/loss small counseling group, please see Ms. Hubbard for information. Groups forming now!

CALENDAR & HELPFUL LINKS

CALENDAR:

- March 23rd: Prom - The Foundry at Puritan Mill
- April 1st-5th: Spring Break
- April 24th-May 1st: EOC/Milestones tests
- April 24th: Cap & Gowns delivered - picture in the stadium after school
- April 29th: Senior Honors Night
- May 6th-17th: Advanced Placement Testing
- May 9th: Underclassman Honors Night
- May 16th: Senior picnic/last day/Drum Out
- May 24th: Class of 2019 Graduation

[READ MORE ON OUR WEBSITE](#)

HELPFUL LINKS:

- College scholarships: <https://www.fcboe.org/domain/1108>
- ACT/SAT test dates and registration: www.act.org & www.sat.org
- 17 programs of study for which FREE tuition is available: <https://tcsg.edu/free-tuition/>
- Kaplan's free SAT and ACT study guide:
https://www.kaptest.com/college-prep/free/sat-act-study-guide?utm_source=pc-advisor&utm_medium=offline&utm_term=003C000002HoBpjlAF&utm_content=email&utm_campaign=sat-act-study-guide#share

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