



WHS Counseling Department Newsletter

IMPORTANT NEWS AND REMINDERS

- **Seniors:** Your School Counselor will meet individually with you between late August-October to discuss the path to graduation, post-secondary plans, and how to use Naviance to send required application materials to colleges/universities. If a recommendation letter is needed for a college application and/or scholarship, students are required to complete the Brag Sheet located on Schoology and share it with his/her counselor. As a courtesy, students should ask teachers and counselors for recommendation letters at least 3 weeks prior to the application deadline.

- **Seniors:** Please see this [website](#) for financial aid webinars and information. The Georgia Finance Commission is one of your go to resources for financial aid information.

- **Seniors,** College Application Team (CAT) will be held after school in the Counseling Office from 3:45-4:30 on Wednesdays September 7th-October 26th. This is the perfect opportunity to get one on one help with college applications.

- **Peachstate College Tour** (University of Georgia, Georgia Tech, Augusta University, and Georgia State University) register [here](#) . There are virtual and in-person sessions this year. Advanced registration is required! Sessions scheduled for August 16th-September 20th.

Click [here](#) for a college visit checklist that may be helpful when comparing different colleges!

- **9th graders:** School counselors will be visiting your Health or Personal Fitness class to facilitate the Signs of Suicide lesson in September. Students will receive an opt out letter (going out week of September 12) that a parent/guardian must sign and the letter must be returned to the teacher for the student to be excused from the lesson.

CALENDAR & HELPFUL LINKS

CALENDAR

- September 8, 2022: 11th/12th grade parent night with counselors @ WHS Auditorium @6:30pm
- September 14, 2022: Underclassmen pictures

[READ MORE ON OUR WEBSITE](#)

HELPFUL LINKS:

- ACT/SAT test dates and registration: www.act.org & www.sat.org
- 17 programs of study for which FREE tuition is available: <https://tcsq.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=003C000002HoBpjIAF&utm_content=email&utm_campaign=sat-act-study-guide#share

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