

The College Office Friday Flyer December 6, 2019

SENIORS: Please come to the College Office to schedule an appointment ASAP with Mrs. Walsh if you have not yet applied to college or are unsure about your future plans. You are entitled to 5 college visitation days to be considered as excused absences. Permission slips may be obtained in the College Office.

Please be mindful of the upcoming college application deadlines and the deadlines to return your Records Release Forms (15 school days before the deadline):

Application Deadline

RRF to the College Office

January 15, 2020 February 1, 2020 December 13, 2019 January 10, 2020

*****All "Rolling" admission applications should be submitted as soon as possible****

JUNIORS: You are entitled to 2 college visitation days to be considered as excused absences. Permission slips may be obtained in the College Office.

UPCOMING STANDARDIZED TESTS

SAT and Subject Tests Test Dates (Registration Deadlines)

March 14th register by February 14th (2/25 with late fee)

***SAT Subject Tests NOT offered

May 2nd register by April 3rd (4/14 with late fee)
June 6th register by May 8th (5/19 with late fee)

To register: www.collegeboard.org

ACT Test Dates (Registration Deadlines)

February 8th January 10th (1/17 with late fee)
April 4th February 28th (3/13 with late fee)
June 13th May 8th (5/22 with late fee)
July 18th June 19th (6/26 with late fee)
***No NY testing in July

To register: www.actstudent.org

OPEN HOUSES

> St. John Fisher College

Saturdays

January 25

For additional information visit https://www.sjfc.edu/admissions-aid/freshman-admissions/visit-opportunities/

> Virginia Military Institute

February 7 – 8

February 28 – 29

March 27 – 28

For additional information call 800-767-4207

> Seton Hall University

February 16

April 19

Register at www.shu.edu/visiting

Lawrence Technological University

Many different visit opportunities

For additional information visit www.admissions@ltu.edu or call 800-225-5588

COLLEGE FAIRS/SPECIAL PROGRAMS

➤ Project Excel – 6 Week Intensive SAT Prep Class

Attendance in all classes is mandatory and classes are open to all residents of the township of Huntington

Space is limited

John Flanagan Village Green Center

423 Park Avenue, 3rd Floor

Mondays (Verbal) - 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

December 9, 16

January 6, 13, 27

Wednesdays (Math) – 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm

December 11, 18

January 8, 15, 22

For additional information and to register call 631-271-5499

> FAFSA Walk Through – Project Excel

December 17 – Bilingual Services Available

All programs to be held at Project Excel, Village Green Center, Park Avenue, Huntington To register call 631-271-5499

Project Excel SAT Prep

Thursdays – **Huntington Library Station Branch** 4:30 pm – 6:00 pm

December 12, 19

January 9, 16, 23, 30

February 6 To register call 631-421-5053

> Project Excel's Fall 2019 College Tour Trips for Juniors and Seniors

<u>Suffolk County Community College</u>: Friday, December 6 8:00 am – 2:00 pm <u>Farmingdale College</u>: Friday, December 13 8:00 am – 2:00 pm Space is limited. Sign up today! Permission slip in the Guidance/Career office.

Call Project Excel for more information at 621-271-5499

▶ The Cooper Union – Pre College Art

Saturday Outreach October 19 – December 14 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Portfolio Review 10:00 am – 2:00 pm 41 Cooper Square Room 101 New York, NY For additional information call 212-353-4202

> The University of Tampa

Music Auditions and Scholarship Dates
December 8
January 20
February 16
For additional information visit www.ut.edu/music/prospective

> Hartwick College

<u>Saturday Visits</u> – most Saturdays <u>Financial Aid Days</u>: January 18 February 15 March 7

For more information and to register visit www.hartwick.edu/visit

→ Hofstra University – Discover Music

Audition Dates for Fall 2020 Admission Saturday, February 8, 22 For additional information call 516-463-5490 or visit www.hofstra.edu/discovermusic

➤ Western Suffolk Counselors' Association College Fairs

Sunday, April 26 12:00 noon – 3:00 pm – Radisson Hotel, Hauppauge For additional information visit www.wsuffolkcounselors.org

Carnegie Mellon University - Virtual Admission Counseling Session

Admission counseling session with the Office of Admission allows rising/current high school seniors to seek guidance or ask questions of the Office of Admission. The intent assist students who have questions about Carnegie Mellon's unique colleges/programs, as well as the admission process. Only students with specific questions about Carnegie Mellon or the admission process should register for an admission counseling session. Admission counseling sessions last about 20-30 minutes and will be conducted via video conference. A phone option is also available.

Note that all times are Eastern Standard Time (EST).

To register visit https://admission.cmu.edu/portal/adm_counseling_session_videocon

FINANCIAL AID/SCHOLARSHIPS

CSS PROFILE (AVAILABLE 10/1/19)

➤ If one of your colleges requires the CSS Profile, you must complete the profile online via www.collegeboard.org. The Profile assists colleges in awarding private scholarships and grants. The Profile can only be accessed online.

FAFSA Free Application for Federal Student Aid- (AVAILABLE 10/1/19)

- ➤ The FAFSA is the form used by all two- and four-year colleges, universities and career schools for the awarding of federal student aid and most state and college aid. Students should apply as soon as possible online via www.fafsa.gov.
- ➤ Sign up for your Federal Student Aid ID # NOW! Both Students and Parents need to have an FSA ID. Visit www.fsaid.ed.gov to do so.

> NYS Tuition Assistance Program (TAP)

Helps eligible NY residents pay tuition at approved schools in NYS. Annual TAP awards can be up to \$5,165.00. Because TAP is a grant – it does not have to be paid back. For additional information visit www.hesc.ny.gov

> NYS Excelsior Scholarship

The program covers tuition for eligible SUNY and CUNY students whose families make less than \$125,000 AGI on 2018 tax return. For additional information visit www.hesc.ny.gov

> NYS Enhanced Tuition Award

This program enables NY students attending private not-for-profit colleges in NY to receive financial assistance to complete their college degree. The program provides a maximum award of \$6,000, requires private colleges to provide a match and freeze student tuition for the duration of the award – maximizing the financial benefit to the student. For additional information visit www.hesc.ny.gov.

> NYS STEM Incentive Program

Provides full SUNY or CUNY tuition scholarship for top 10 percent of NYS high school students if pursuing STEM degree and work in a STEM field in NYS for 5 years. For additional information visit www.hesc.ny.gov

> NYS Math & Science Teaching Incentive Scholarship

Offered for students to pursue careers in secondary math and science teachers. For more information visit www.hesc.ny.gov

NYS Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Grants up to \$4,000.00 per year to students in exchange for service at public or private elementary or secondary schools that serve students from low-income families. For more information visit www.hesc.ny.gov

> Scholarships.com

Register today at www.scholarships.com to receive FREE scholarship information

> Fastweb.com

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➣ My College Dollars

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> Scholarships

Visit the websites below for scholarship opportunities:

www.connections101.com

www.scholarships4students.com

www.fastweb.com

www.scholarships.com

www.finaid.org

SUMMER PROGRAMS

➤ MICA – Maryland Institute College of Art

June 20 – July 25 (5 week)

July 5 – July 25 (3 week)

June 20 – July 4 (2 week)

Study at MICA this summer: Animation, Architecture, Ceramics, Drawing, Fashion, Fiber, Film & Video, Game Design, Graphic Design, Illustration, Interdisciplinary Art, Painting, Photography,

Printmaking, Product Design

For additional information visit www.mica.edu/precollege