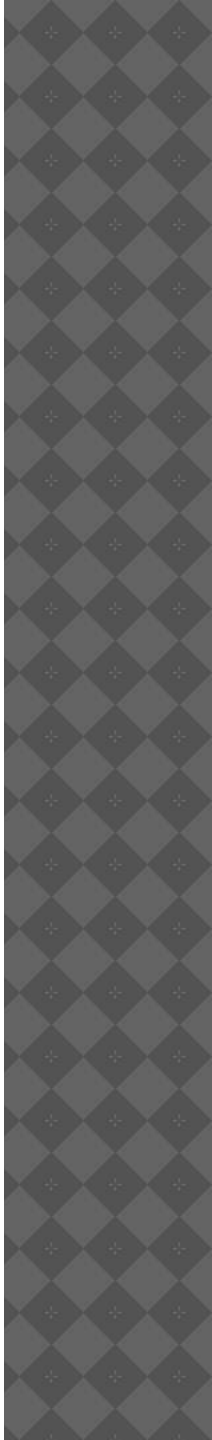


SENIOR SUCCESS

THE SENIOR YEAR

A MONTH BY MONTH VIEW



WHAT WILL THE COUNSELORS DO IN AUGUST?

- ⦿ Counselors will meet with seniors to:
 - Distribute Brag Sheets
 - Distribute release form to provide the state with SSN and diploma for financial aid purposes
 - Talk about the college application process

Counselors will meet with seniors to complete a “Senior Check.”

WHAT SENIORS DO IN AUGUST?

- ⦿ Plan to take an SAT or ACT, if needed
- ⦿ Organize a calendar or folder with all important application deadlines
- ⦿ Begin completing college applications
- ⦿ Meeting DEADLINES is paramount!

SEPTEMBER

- ⦿ Fill out a college application during College Go Week
- ⦿ Scholarships will begin to be posted on the Student Services website and announced on Facebook/Twitter
- ⦿ May take ASVAB career exploration program
Wednesday, September 26
7:45 Tiger Den

OCTOBER

- ⦿ Continue to work on college applications
 - Applications may be completed online
 - Once an application is completed, request a transcript via Parchment.com.
 - To request a transcript electronically, visit Parchment.com.
 - Completing a college application is a three step process:
 - Step 1: Complete and submit the application to the college or university
 - Step 2: Request a transcript be sent to the college or university
 - Step 3: Send scores from the testing agency to the college or university

OCT. CONTINUED

- ⦿ Complete the FAFSA.

FAFSA Completion Evening

October 10 in the Learning Commons (Library)

5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

**IUK will be on-hand to answer any questions.

College Goal Sunday

Oct 28, 2018

IUK, Hunt Hall Rooms 201 & 204

You and your student will need a FSA ID to digitally sign the FASFA. You may complete this prior to October 10 at studentaid.gov

NOVEMBER

- ⦿ Check college deadlines for selective programs and scholarships. Many deadlines are in November.
- ⦿ If a college asks to see 7th semester grades, they are still considering your student for admission.
- ⦿ Read letters and emails from colleges carefully and thoroughly.

DECEMBER

- ⦿ Study for first semester final exams
- ⦿ Update any changes or additions to the Senior Brag Sheet
- ⦿ Keep the counselor informed about college admission status.

JANUARY

- ⦿ Know the FAFSA deadline for your students specific college. The college deadline may be different from the Federal Government or State deadline.
- ⦿ Use the cost estimator for the colleges they have been admitted to.

FEBRUARY

- ⦿ Attend College Goal Sunday if FASFA not completed.
Sunday, February 24, 2019.
2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
- ⦿ Work on scholarships

MARCH

- ⦿ Students may file a release at the campus to let parents receive information (Process may vary from campus to campus)
- ⦿ Continue to work on scholarships.

APRIL

- ⦿ Work hard to finish strong
- ⦿ Continue to work on scholarships
- ⦿ FASFA State Deadline is April 15, 2019

MAY

- ⦿ Housing deposits are often due (Know your college deadlines and requirements)
- ⦿ Attend the senior awards program
- ⦿ Fill out the form for your counselors to send you final transcript to the college of your choice

IN THE FUTURE

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