



Countryside High School

Counseling Newsletter

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WELCOME TO THE 2023-24 SCHOOL YEAR!



sandyhookpromise.org/take-action/promise/



Sept. 18-23, 2023!

Scholarships

SAT / ACT Waivers

Are you eligible for a test waiver? Complete a lunch application to find out:
www.applyforlunch.com

You can link your PSAT score with Khan Academy through
www.SATpractice.org/k12.

Need \$ to help pay for college? Scholarships are posted regularly on our CHS website, guidance bulletin, & binder in Mrs. DeGarmo's office. Stop by L1 to meet with Mrs. Blalock a.k.a. Money Michelle, to get some assistance. Check out:

www.fastweb.com
www.collegeboard.com
www.raise.me

For Seniors Only!

The Gates - Due 9/15 Full Tuition
Quest Bridge - Due 9/26 Full Tuition
Coca-Cola: Due 10/2 \$20K

Counselors by last names: A-G: Ms. Harris, H-O: Ms. Parsley, P-Z: Ms. Santiago, ISTEM: Mrs. DeGarmo

Important Dates:

- 9/11-13 Senior Seminars
- 9/14 Senior Night 6pm
- 10/2 College & Career Expo. 6pm
- 10/11 PSAT & SAT
- 10/13 Q1 Ends
- 10/18 ACT-NCR
- 11/1 SPC FREE Day
- TBD ASVAB

ALL STUDENTS!

Each semester, students are assigned a series of tasks within Naviance to help assist in post-secondary planning. Log into **Naviance** via Clever to find your required tasks for the 23-24 school year. Senior Seminars taking place in Sept. will help seniors with requesting transcripts using e-Docs for college, scholarship, military, etc. and to link their CommonApp account to Naviance!



Everyone intending to go to college needs to apply for financial aid! FAFSA will open Dec. 2023! Visit www.fafsa.gov to complete your application. Utilize your parents' 2022 income and tax information. CHS will host a FAFSA Session this Fall/Winter!

Bright Futures

All students must submit volunteer / work site proposals for review & approval on **Profferfish** via Clever. Once approved, then students may upload their completed hours & reflection. The Bright Futures Scholarship application opens on Dec. 1, 2023 for our seniors!



Military Reps. are on campus during lunch time 1st & 3rd Wednesdays

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