

# SENIOR PARENT NIGHT

**Class of 2020**

# CONTACT INFORMATION

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# COURSE WORK

## Credit Checks

## Personalized Learning Pathway (PLP)

- Clever
- Click PLP icon
- Sign in with school email

# SCHOOL BASED INFORMATION

## Tarpon Springs HS Website

Resources  Guidance/Student Services

Scholarships, Financial Aid, Events, Resources, etc.

# SAT/ACT

- Visit ACT website to register
- Visit College Board website to register for SAT
- Can use ACT/SAT for concordant score for reading/math requirement for graduation
- Test dates can be found on Guidance/Student Services tab on TSHS website
- Khan Academy
- **School days vs non-school days**
- **March 6th, 2019 SAT**

# COLLEGE AND CAREER FAIRS

- **Tarpon Springs HS**, October 10th, During 2nd-4th period
- **Pinellas County College Fair**, October 6th, 1-3pm, at USF St. Petersburg
- **The Pinellas County College and Career Fair**, October 7th, 6-8pm, at Countryside HS

# COLLEGE PLANNING


- **SPC Apply Yourself Event**, October 21st, 9:00am-3:00pm, Media Center
- **FAFSA Night**, October 24th, 6-8:00pm, Building 41
- Initial Student Florida Financial Aid Application opens October 1st

(Documentation/Information REQUIRED for events)

# COLLEGE PLANNING

## October 16th, Campus Visit Day

SPC Tarpon Springs Campus will host a campus scavenger hunt for seniors and juniors who want to explore the campus.

Completion of event  Gives letter of attendance and will waive the 40\$ application fee for those who apply that day on campus



# COLLEGE PLANNING

- Contact Colleges to get information regarding admissions and applications. Ex). Financial Aid, admissions requirements, and deadlines
- Register for SAT/ACT (Check with college/university to see what test they require)
- Apply to college. PAY ATTENTION TO DEADLINES!
- Letters of Recommendation (**Senior Brag Sheet**)
- Apply for Financial Aid( NOW OPEN) and Scholarships

[https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/prepare-for-college/checklists/12th-grade.](https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/prepare-for-college/checklists/12th-grade)

# COLLEGE PLANNING

Visit College/University Websites

Speak with an Admissions Counselor

Florida Shines: research colleges/universities, programs, explore career fields, etc.

College Visits: Student gets form from counselor

# APPLICATIONS

Check Deadlines

Apply during Fall of Senior year

**Common Application**

**Coalition**

Transcripts: Request Official Transcript from Registration.  
Two dollars per official transcript.

# SCHOLARSHIPS

## **Pinellas Education Foundation, NOW OPEN**

One application that can match students to nearly 100 scholarships

**Deadline** to apply is January 15th at 5:00pm

Check TSHS website

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- No Essay MerryApp (4 scholarships)
- Career Goals (13 scholarships)
- Overcoming a Challenge (8 scholarships)
- Community Service (9 scholarships)
- Social Media (12 scholarships)
- Safe Driving (5 scholarships)

# SCHOLARSHIPS

## College Board

### The Scholarships

The more effort you put in, the more opportunities you have to earn a scholarship. Complete all six, and you're eligible to earn \$40,000. Scholarships will be awarded through monthly drawings to students who complete each action.

# SCHOLARSHIP COLLEGE BOARD

1. Build Your College List: \$500

Get started by [exploring colleges](#) you're interested in. [Learn More](#)

2. Practice for the SAT: \$1,000

Use [Official SAT Practice on Khan Academy®](#) to get ready for test day. [Learn More](#)

3. Improve Your Score: \$2,000

Show how practice pays off by improving your SAT score. [Learn More](#)

4. Strengthen Your College List: \$500

Make sure your college list has a mix of academic safety, match, and reach schools. [Learn More](#)

5. Complete the FAFSA: \$1,000

Fill out the free government form to apply for financial aid. [Learn More](#)

6. Apply to Colleges: \$1,000

Apply to the schools you want to attend. [Learn More](#)

Complete Your Journey: \$40,000

Complete all six scholarship steps to be eligible for a \$40,000 scholarship. [Learn More](#)

# BRIGHT FUTURES

Submit a complete FL Financial Aid Application (Directions can be found on TSHS website).

Complete required coursework by HS graduation

Achieve required grade point average in the required coursework

Complete required number of service hours by HS graduation

Achieve required college entrance exam score no later than June 30, 2020

**Visit Bright Futures Website**



# OTHER RESOURCES

LEAP Tampa BAY

College Board: BigFuture

Florida Shines

Fastweb

My Career Shine

My Next Move

Xello

College Career Life Planning

My Next Move

THANK YOU!!!

ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE SEND AN EMAIL OR CALL.