



COLLEGE & CAREER BULLETIN

May 13, 2022

AP UPDATES:

* **June 20 is the deadline** for students to indicate a [free score report recipient](#). Students may indicate one college, university, or scholarship program to receive a free copy of their AP score report. To do this, students must: Sign in to My AP > Go to My AP Profile > Click the Score Send tab > Enter the college, university, or scholarship program, select it, and click Save.

CLASS UPDATES:

Seniors

- * Key an eye out for information from your college on orientation, housing, and course registration!
- * Check out this post on [How to Stay Admitted](#). Be sure to keep your grades up and think before you act & post online!
- * Build [a personal campus resources directory](#): Learn about the services available on your college campus, and keep track of them here. It will serve as an important guide as you settle in on campus in the fall.

Juniors

- * Check out [How to Create a College List \(with tracking spreadsheet\)](#). Make sure you're excited about all the schools on your list, not just the reaches. On that note, [Where You Go Is Not Who You'll Be](#) is a great read.
- * As you narrow down your list, create [a second spreadsheet](#) with deadlines for applications, and scholarships, number of required recommendations, testing policies, etc.
- * Letters of Recommendation: Juniors should request recommendations from teachers before the end of the school year. Most colleges require 2 teacher recommendations. Contact Mrs. Nicholson or your School Counselor if you have any questions.
- * Most colleges don't offer interviews – but if a school on your list does, we encourage you to take advantage of this opportunity. Some schools will be opening interviews for the Class of 2023 in the coming weeks ([WashU starting May 31](#); [Tulane in the summer](#)).
- * Review the [College Application Timeline](#) to make sure you stay on track!

UPCOMING COLLEGE/CAREER EVENTS:

May 15: *Engaging Distinctive Universities* consortium event: Join *Emory, Rice, University of Michigan and University of Washington* for a virtual information session for counselors, prospective students and their families. Register [here](#). This event will also be offered on May 17.

May 15: *Self Care 101*. A conversation on the importance of self-care throughout the college admissions process with *Carleton College, Rice University, and UChicago*. Register [here](#).

May 16: *My College Planning Team* is holding *A Parents' Guide on How to Pay for College*, hosted by Morristown and Morris Township Public Library. Register [here](#).

May 16: *Understanding Financial Aid*. An overview of the financial aid process. Simultaneous sessions (one in English, one in Spanish) will address popular terms/structures and offer tips for navigating the financial aid process. Register [here](#).

May 17: *Revolution Prep* is hosting *College Admission Through a Jewish Lens*. This moderated panel with admissions representatives from the *University of Southern California* and the *University of Miami*, will discuss what research to do and which questions to ask when creating a college list as a Jewish student. Register [here](#).

May 17: *College Essays 101*. A discussion with *UChicago* and *University of Michigan* on how essays can add an important perspective to a student's application and learn how different kinds of essays are considered in a holistic review process. Register [here](#).

May 17: *Discovering U: Joint Virtual Information Session*. Join *Columbia University*, *the University of Chicago*, *the University of Texas at Austin*, *the University of Michigan*, and *Yale University* to discover the exceptional opportunities our schools have to offer! Admissions professionals from our five schools will host a zoom webinar featuring a variety of perspectives on the academic programs, philosophies, and traditions that make our colleges a home for our students. Register [here](#). This session will also be offered on [May 26](#).

May 17: *Exploring College Options* is a special informational program sponsored by the undergraduate admissions offices of five of the country's leading universities: *Duke University*, *Georgetown University*, *Harvard University*, *the University of Pennsylvania*, and *Stanford University*. This event is also offered on other dates in May. Register and learn more [here](#).



May 18: *CGN* is hosting *College Planning Seminar: Looking Ahead – To Do and Must Do*. In this final 30-minute program this spring, we'll discuss the summer months and how to best approach your college planning. What do you need to get done before the fall? Join us and find out while getting all your questions answered. Audience: All Junior Students and Families. Register [here](#).

May 18: *Look Inside the Admissions Committee: a Case Study Exercise*. This is your chance to see what an application looks like and how applications are reviewed! Together, you and admissions counselors from *UChicago* and *Northwestern University* will review applications, and decide who is admitted, waitlisted, or denied admission. See you in the committee room! Register [here](#).

May 19: *Making the Most of Your Summer*. Join *Bates College*, *Colorado College*, *Emory University*, *University of Southern California*, and *UChicago* for a discussion on how to make the most of your summer to prepare yourself for the college search and application process. Register [here](#).

May 19: *Revolution Prep* is hosting *Leverage Your Summer to Get a Head Start on Fall*. Discover ways to spend your summer that will best impact upcoming applications and academic challenges. Register [here](#).

OTHER RESOURCES:

* [Be a Good Partner](#), by Georgia Tech Admissions. *Good advice for parents as they approach the college process with their children!*

* [College Admission Warning: Don't Give Up Now Seniors!](#), by Forbes

* [College Counseling in Under 500 Words](#), by Counselors' Corner

- * [College Guidance Network's FAQ on "Money"](#). Junior families, check out this resource on your CGN account for information about the CSS Profile, what an EFC is, and more!
- * [Discover Your Dream Career](#), by My College Planning Team
- * [College Visits: Do's, Don'ts for Parents](#), by US News
- * [How to become a veterinarian: What high school students should know about veterinary school](#), by University of Nevada, Reno
- * [Should You Consider a Gap Year?](#), by College Data
- * Teen Life Career Exploration Guides: [Your Future in Arts](#), [Your Future in STEM](#), and [Your Future in Business](#). Check out these links for information about career options in each industry and more!
- * [The Admissions Season in Review: Trends to Know for Fall 2022](#), IvyWise
- * [To Get Into the Ivy League, 'Extraordinary' Isn't Always Enough These Days](#), The Wall Street Journal.
- * [Transition Tips for Parents and Families](#), by Georgia Tech Admissions. Great tips for parents of seniors!

TESTING

SAT/ACT Registration: We encourage families to sign up well in advance of the registration deadlines, as seats fill quickly.

[SAT Registration](#)

[ACT Registration](#)

Free test prep resources:

[Official SAT Practice Tests - College Board](#)

[SAT Practice Tests - Khan Academy](#)

[ACT Practice Test](#)

[Online Tools That Can Support ACT, SAT Prep](#)

Testing Optional Updates

- * [NCAA Continues to Waive SAT Requirement for Class of 2023; May Drop Permanently](#)
- * [Michigan State makes SAT, ACT scores optional for admission](#)
- * [University of Texas will not be requiring SAT or ACT scores for fall 2023 applicants](#)
- * See [FairTest.org](#) for a list of test-optional colleges.

New Testing Requirements

- * The [University of Tennessee System](#) has decided that all campuses, including UT Knoxville, **will now require standardized tests** (ACT/SAT) for first-year applicants applying to attend UT in Fall 2023.

SCHOLARSHIPS:

Mountain Lakes Opportunities

MLHS Alumni Scholarship: Scholarship Amount: \$3,000. Eligibility criteria: (1) graduating senior at MLHS (regardless of hometown), (2) minimum overall GPA of 3.7, (3) demonstrable community service, and (4) compelling financial need. Complete and scan the application (available in Guidance) and send it to sandy.harrison@comcast.net by May 18. Please also submit a scanned copy of your transcript and most recent report card.

Rockaway Valley School Home and School Association is offering two \$500 scholarships to two graduating high school students. Applicants must have graduated from RVS and are seeking higher education. Submission is requested no later than May 30. Names will be chosen at the 6/7 HSA meeting by random number generator. Apply here:

<https://bit.ly/3JdTy1Z>

The League of Women Voters of Mountain Lakes is pleased to award a scholarship in the amount of \$1,500 to a graduating Mountain Lakes High School senior who demonstrates civic involvement and dedication to the League's goals of empowering voters and making democracy work. Requirements for applicants are a completed application, a 1-2 page essay, and a one-page letter of recommendation from an adult who can attest to the student's qualities of good citizenship. Please stop by the Guidance Office for a copy of the application. Applications must be dropped off/mailed to Guidance by 8am on 5/16.

Other Opportunities

Jack Killion Entrepreneurial Scholarship: a one-time, \$4,000 award for high school seniors. The family and friends of Jack Killion, a consummate entrepreneur, have created the scholarship to encourage future entrepreneurs. Target Candidate: High school senior entrepreneurs who have demonstrated an ability to make a positive impact by using their entrepreneurial abilities. Qualifications: High school senior who is applying to a U.S. based college or university, GPA of 3.6 or higher on a 4.0 system, Demonstrated entrepreneurial skills through the creation of a business/venture, or enhancement of an existing business/venture. Required: Minimum of two references, a written response to questions regarding the students' entrepreneurial experiences. [Applications](#) must be submitted no later than July 1. Submit application to: jackkillionscholarship@gswoman.com or at www.gswoman.com/jack-killion-scholarship

NBCUniversal Tony Coelho Media Scholarship offers eight scholarships to be used in the fall semester of 2022 to incoming and undergraduate students and graduate students with disabilities who are pursuing careers in media, communications, or entertainment industries that will be enrolled in college or a university during Fall 2022 are eligible. Each recipient will receive \$5,625 to help cover the cost of education at their college or university. [Apply by](#) May 19.

PixelPlex Bi-Annual STEM Scholarship: was established to help support and inspire students to pursue further education in the fields of science, technology, engineering and math (STEM), as well as economics and business. One student will be chosen from the applicant pool and will be awarded based on the strength of their written essay. The selected student will receive \$2,000 to help cover education-related expenses. [Apply by](#) June 5.

Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity is excited to offer the **Balanced Man Scholarship** to high-performing students. We are offering over \$300,000 in scholarships for students attending over 140 colleges this Fall. To see all scholarship opportunities, visit this [site](#). Applicants have no obligation to join or affiliate with or join SigEp to be eligible. This resource is intended to assist with college affordability, while introducing students to campus life opportunities.

Previously Shared – See Past Bulletins for Descriptions

Cameron Impact Scholarship: [Apply by](#) May 20.

The Warrior's Legacy Scholarship Fund: [Apply](#) by May 31.

More scholarships are available at Fastweb.com!

SUMMER PROGRAMS & JOB OPPORTUNITIES:

A list of summer programs is available on our website [HERE](#).

P/T Technology Summer Internships (Open to MLSD Students Only): Student Internship -Duties will include but not be limited to: Installing and Upgrading Hardware and Software, Maintaining and Update Classroom Technology, Troubleshoot Hardware, Software, and Networking Issues, Troubleshoot Printers: Both Local and Network, Update Inventory Database, Configure and Deploy New Computers. Required Skills (Will train if applicable): Computer Setup and Configuration, Hardware & Software Installation, Microsoft Office 2016, Mac OS X, Windows 10, Chrome OS. Other Requirements: Must be able to lift 40 lbs. Must provide their own transportation. Interested applicants must apply via AppliTrack: <https://www.applitrack.com/mlschools/onlineapp/>. Deadline: May 20, 2022.

Summer Technology Intern: The Boonton Township School District/Rockaway Valley School is in search of a summer intern to assist with technology tasks. Various projects may include: Collect and distribute devices to classrooms, Inventory and assign new devices, Updating and maintaining the Technology Recycling list, Assisting with 1 to 1 Chromebook summer maintenance, Maintain and assist with Chromebook and MacBook carts, Ability to follow directions and work independently. Work with the Coordinator of Technology to create a schedule not to exceed 80 hours in total. Hourly salary: \$14.00 per hour. Interested candidates please email personnel@btrvs.org. Be sure to include your name and grade in school. The successful candidate will need completed working papers (if younger than 18) and fingerprinting for education employment. Deadline to apply: May 18.

Deer Lake Club:



Hiring Lifeguards

Requirements

- American Red Cross Lifeguard Certification
- Water Front Certification
- CPR/First Aid/AED Certification

Questions please email deer.lake.aquatics@gmail.com

APPLY NOW!



DEER LAKE CLUB

