

FALL SENIOR MEETING AGENDA

With Mrs. Barnhart

Where to get info:

- **My website:** Google Site located on the CR webpage

<https://sites.google.com/cory-rawson.org/counselor/home>

- **Bulletin board:** the “Counselor Corner”, outside my office on the wall.
- **My office:** My office is on the 2nd floor in the high school, across from the old MS library. I can answer your questions about career interest inventories, career planning information, ACT practice tests/registration information, college information, graduation requirements, honors diploma requirement, job interview tips, military information, financial aid information, and a host of MANY other resources available.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:

- *Mrs. Hosler and I will meet with each of you individually to check graduation readiness and discuss future plans!*
- You are responsible for knowing your graduation credits.
- Honors Diploma requirements are in the handbook and can be found on-line.

TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS:

- Please email me if you would like your transcript sent to a college/university

CAREER INTEREST INFORMATION:

· Unsure what you want to do for a career? Lost in the whole “college vs. job vs. tech school vs. apprenticeship program” discussion?? COME SEE MRS. HOSLER AND !! We’ll investigate options!!

ACT/SAT:

- ACT/SAT information and registration is all done online. Our school code is: 364-350.
- www.actstudent.org to register for the ACT (*make sure to answer EVERY question on the test!!*)
- www.collegeboard.com to register for the SAT (*skip question’s if you can’t select an educated answer!!*)
- Fee waivers are available with Mrs. Barnhart. To qualify, you have to be receiving free/reduced lunch.

COLLEGE VISITS:

- Form is on the wall of the Main Office, or on my website- turn in to Mrs. Welch, at least one day prior to your college visit day. You are allowed 2 college visit days. The form can also be found on my Google Site

COLLEGE/MILITARY/EMPLOYMENT VISITORS:-

- Throughout the school year (particularly the Fall), representatives from area colleges, universities, companies and military branches will visit C-R. Currently visits will be done in person. Please visit Mrs. Barnhart's Google Site for dates, times, and signing up.

COLLEGE APPLICATIONS:

- When you apply online, email me so that I know to send your transcript!

RECOMMENDATION LETTERS:

- Give 2 weeks' notice to a staff member for a letter. No same day requests!

FAFSA:

- NOW, you & your parent can go online to www.FAFSA.gov (or www.FAFSA.ed.gov) and apply for ID
- Official FAFSA filing begins online on Oct. 1st
- Do NOT file online with other "FAFSA" websites. They charge a fee, and some are not legitimate!

SCHOLARSHIPS:

- Available from November - May on my Google Site.
- www.fastweb.com is a great site to find scholarships.
- Do NOT use sites that charge a fee!

Scholarship Search Engines

There are several scholarship search engines available for seniors to begin applying for scholarships. Below are just a few.

College Board Scholarship:

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search>

FastWEB

<https://www.fastweb.com/>

Scholarships.com:

<https://www.scholarships.com/>

Supercollege.com:

<http://www.supercollege.com/>

NCAA:

- For athletes who plan to compete in college athletics.
- Register online www.eligibilitycenter.org and request for your transcript to be sent there.
- You have to register first, then I can do a fee waiver if you qualify (Free/Reduced Lunch participant)

Make it a great year Seniors!!