

Dear Seniors and Parents/Guardians,

We are past the halfway mark of the school year. Make sure you are staying focused on your classes and coming to school for the rest of the year.

### **Attendance**

Attendance is an important part of school. Please be aware that 12 unexcused absences in a full-year course and 6 unexcused absences in a half-year course result in loss of credit for the class. Additionally, 3 tardies to class will result in 1 unexcused absence. Losing credit in classes will result in students needing to complete credit restoration. Please review our [attendance policy](#).

### **Local Scholarships**

[Local Scholarships](#) are now available. Free Money! Check back frequently. More postings will be added.

### **Scoir**

As you hear back from colleges, remember to update Scoir with all decisions. Once you decide where you are attending, please indicate that in Scoir as well. If you need to know how to do that check out this [google presentation](#) on that.

### **FAFSA**

The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is open for senior families to begin filling out. As a reminder, filling out the FAFSA or a waiver is a graduation requirement this year. Please see the [letter](#) that was sent from Juliana Scricco on November 1 for more information.

### **NCAA Night**

Due to weather, the NCAA information night has been moved to March 5 at 7 pm in the North Hunterdon theater. Information will be presented on academic eligibility and other general information.

### **Transition to College Event at RVCC**

Raritan Valley Community College's *Center for Accessibility and Inclusive Education* is hosting a **Transition To College Event** on March 11, 2025, from 10 am-12 pm.

This event is aimed towards guiding high school seniors through transitioning their IEPs or 504 plans to *Academic Accommodations* at the post-secondary level. Students will also receive information on enrollment, helpful success strategies, and take a campus tour.

You can register for the event here: [Events \(salesforce-sites.com\)](#)

### **Shadowing Opportunities at Hunterdon Healthcare**

Hunterdon Health offers shadowing opportunities for anyone age sixteen (16) or older to acquire clinical and non-clinical educational experiences.

Shadowing positions are for no more than eight (8) hours in each setting and are non-paid opportunities. During their time shadowing, shadows cannot enter isolation rooms and will be unable to provide any hands-on care. This is strictly an opportunity for observation.

For more information, please use this [link](#)

## **Tutoring**

The North Hunterdon-Voorhees district is once again offering free, 24/7 tutoring services to students. This includes tutoring for [100+ subjects](#), including AP®; a drop-off writing review; practice quizzes for math, science, and ELA; and test prep for the SAT and ACT. Go to [tutor.nhvweb.net](http://tutor.nhvweb.net) to access the service.

More information about the service and how to access it is attached below.

[NHV Tutoring Startup Guide.pdf](#)

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## **College Application Process**

As a reminder, the transcript release form needs to be handed into your counselor at least 10 school days before the deadline. If you have upcoming deadlines in the new year, make sure you hand in your transcript release form.

On September 10th and 11th, we presented the college and SCOIR information during English classes. Please ask your student about the [presentation](#) and follow up with your counselor if you have any questions.

Many colleges also require the [Self Reported Academic Record, SRAR/SSAR](#). This is an additional step in the application process. Please check your email/student portal after applying to see if this is a requirement.

Many resources can be found on the North Hunterdon Guidance Website and visit frequently - <https://www.nhvweb.net/guidance/>

If you are looking to enter **Community Service hours in Aspen** and are unsure how to enter these hours into ASPEN, visit the community service website- <https://www.nhvweb.net/nhhs/communityservice/logging-hours>

For more information on jobs, volunteer opportunities, summer programs, community information nights, and more, please follow this [link](#).

Have a great weekend!