

Guidance

SOCIAL EMOTIONAL LEARNING UPDATES

- In an effort to support the safety and well-being of our students, we have prevention programs happening over the course of this semester. Our topics include suicide prevention in September and bullying prevention in October. In November, we will partner with Sheltering Wings and Susie's Place which promote healthy relationships and work to prevent sexual abuse.
- We will also be administering surveys asking students about their own mindsets and approaches to learning as well as their perspectives on school climate. If you have any questions, please contact Stephanie Bode, assistant principal for the Guidance Department.



UPCOMING PSAT AND PreACT TESTING FOR UNDERCLASSMEN

- The PSAT will be administered to sophomores and juniors at Avon High school on the morning of Thursday, October 29, in SRT. Students will receive the *Official PSAT Student Guide* during their class meetings. The booklet has useful test information, test-taking tips, and practice questions.
- The PreACT will be administered to freshmen on Thursday, October 29, in SRT. This exam by the ACT offers an excellent career and interest inventory component for students.
- Click on the pictures below for more information.



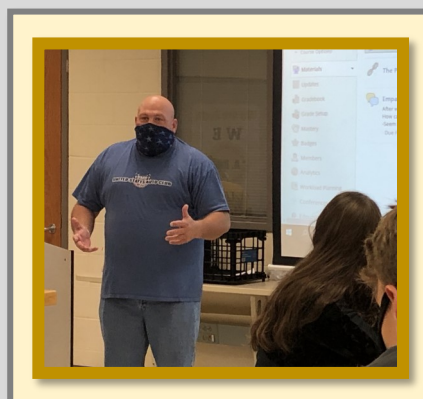
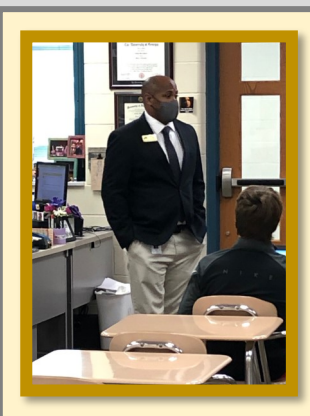
AP EXAM REGISTRATION

- Students in AP courses were given information about online test sign-up using Total Registration for AP exams in late August. Online registration opened on September 8 and will continue until October 30. Please click on the picture for more information.



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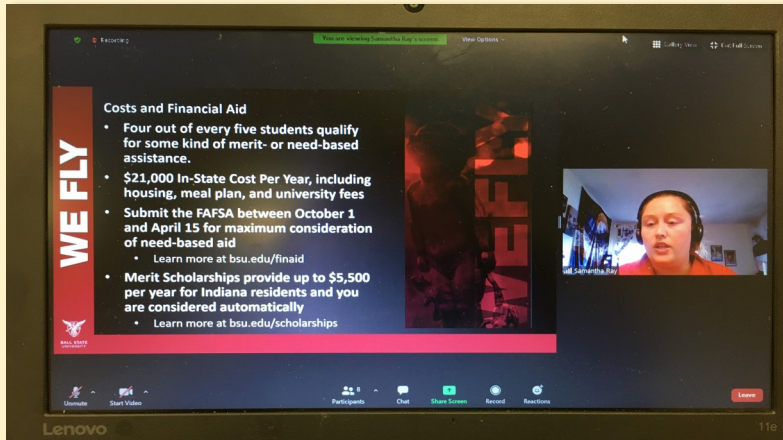
- Our Guidance Counselors have been busy visiting freshman and sophomore SRTs and Prep for College and Career classes. During the SRT meetings, counselors have been discussing their roles and introducing themselves. In the PCC classes, students were given information about post-secondary options.



Guidance —College and Career Information

SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER VIRTUAL COLLEGE FAIRS FOR JUNIORS AND SENIORS

- Click on the picture to the right to see upcoming Virtual College Fairs during SRT at Avon High School.



- Juniors and seniors can sign up in Naviance to engage virtually with college representatives during SRT.
- Questions are answered and information is given about admission requirements, financial aid, campus life, and more!

ON-CAMPUS COLLEGE VISIT INFORMATION:

- Students are allowed two College Visit days per school year, but due to this year's environment, Avon High School is being flexible for on-campus visits. Please contact your child's assistant principal for more information if needed.

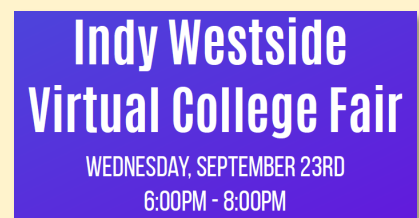
HENDRICKS COUNTY VIRTUAL APPRENTICESHIP & TRADES FAIR

- You are invited! Not sure if "traditional" college is for you? Considering a skilled trade? Love working with your hands...or managing a team of crafts-people? A career in the skilled trades or an apprenticeship might be right for you!
- For more information about this incredible opportunity to learn more about local apprenticeships and trades, please click the picture to the right.



INDY WESTSIDE COLLEGE FAIR

- Don't miss this virtual event to learn more about almost 100 colleges! There will be four 30-minute blocks with over 20 colleges per session.
- Click on the picture to the right for more details about this informative and beneficial event.



UPCOMING FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION DATES

- VIRTUAL FINANCIAL AID NIGHT will be presented on October 6th at 6:30 by INvestED. Information and a link to the presentation will be sent to senior parents soon!
- FAFSA DAY will be November 12th. Time and format will be determined soon. Check back for more info.

PLEASE VISIT THE GUIDANCE WEBPAGE OFTEN FOR LOTS OF STUDENT AND PARENT RESOURCES AVAILABLE ALL IN ONE PLACE! Click on the picture to go straight to our webpage...

