UPCOMING EVENTS

January 6th: Welcome Back!

January 11th: Scholarship Workshop
CCRC—3-4:30 pm

January 12th: SAT Boot Camp #1 (Wednesday’s Session)
A216/A218—5-7 pm

January 15th: SAT Boot Camp #1 (Saturday’s Session)
A216/A218—9-11 am

January 18th: College & Career Fair
Red/Vet Field Houses/Main Gym—9-11 am

January 19th: SAT Boot Camp #2 (Wednesday’s Session)
A216/A218—5-7 pm

January 22nd: SAT Boot Camp #2 (Saturday’s Session)
A216/A218—9-11 am

January 26th: SAT Boot Camp #3 (Wednesday’s Session)
A216/A218—5-7 pm

January 29th: SAT Boot Camp #3 (Saturday’s Session)
A216/A218—9-11 am

Career Exploration

Career Planning with Naviance
Career Planning Reference Guide
ISBE Career Guide
Getting Started in an Apprenticeship Program

ACCESS Testing for all EL’s will begin in late January. Details will be shared with students after the winter break.

PSAT/SAT School Day Testing will be April 13 for freshmen, sophomores, and juniors. The SAT School Day Test is an Illinois graduation requirement for all juniors. Be sure to setup your online College Board account at www.collegeboard.org, so that you have access to your scores. See Mrs. Munson-Rodriguez in the Nexus for assistance.

Our first Blackhawk Ready Day was successful! Students were engaged in learning about all of the opportunities we have here at West to prepare them to be college, career and life ready. Conversations and dialogue between staff and students were had all over the building between students about which courses to take, what they learned etc. We took a huge step forward in helping the students to become more informed in order to advocate for their own education and prepare for life after high school.
Welcome back, Blackhawks. The counseling department hopes you had a restful break and have spent time taking care of yourself and recharging for 2nd semester. Course selection begins this month and postcards were mailed home with your appointment date and time. Have a great start to the semester!

Virtual and In-Person College and Career Events

College & Career Fair at West Aurora High School
Register Here.

College and Career Readiness Resources

Naviance Student: What is Naviance?
A comprehensive web-based tool for college, career & success planning.
*Every student in grades 6-12 has a Naviance account.

How to log in (Click Here)
How to Locate Scholarships (Click Here)

ISAC Student Portal has everything you need to know about financial aid information, college & career planning, and scholarships!

Check-out the part-time job opportunities at the link below:

Part-Time Job Opportunities