

THIS WEEK IN GUIDANCE

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SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The third 9 weeks ends on Friday, March 11th.
- Spring Open House is on Tuesday, March 15th from 3 PM until 6 PM.
- Students and parents can learn more about dual credit opportunities while at Spring Open House. There will be a dual credit meeting at 5 PM in the library.
- Spring break is April 4th – April 8th.
- Prom is on April 30th. Prom is an event for CCHS juniors and seniors only. Juniors who are in 10th grade homerooms (due to lack of credits at the beginning of the school year) can attend prom if they have earned at least 11 credits.
- Students order yearbooks in the library. The deadline to order personalized yearbooks has passed.
- All students at CCHS choose a pathway (area of interest). After earning 2 credits, students test in the pathway. Career and Technical Education End-of-Program (CTE EOP) testing will take place on March 21st through March 31st.

ACT PREP

-GEAR UP staff is offering another ACT prep session on March 24th from 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM. Sign up in room 19.

JUNIORS – DUAL CREDIT MEETINGS (Preparing for Senior Year)

If you are a junior who plans to leave school early senior year to take college classes, you need to attend the planned dual credit meetings in April. Staff from Somerset Community College (SCC) will be at CCHS on Friday, April 1st to talk to interested students during homeroom. Staff from Eastern Kentucky University (EKU) will be at CCHS on Friday, April 15th during homeroom.

SOPHOMORES INTERESTED IN TAKING CLASSES AT ECU MANCHESTER IN AUGUST

Students who are interested in taking classes at ECU – Manchester next school year need to attend the meeting with ECU staff at CCHS on Friday, April 15th during homeroom.

EASTERN KY STEM GOES RED SCHOLARSHIP – Any Grade/Females Only

- **Three \$10,000 Scholarships and Three \$2,500 Scholarships**
- Qualification Requirements: female, 9th-12th grade student currently attending a school in one of the 54 Eastern Kentucky counties served by SOAR (Shaping our Appalachian Region), minimum 3.0 GPA, U.S. citizen/permanent resident of the U.S., plans to major in a STEM (science, technology, engineering, and math) field
- Here is the link to the scholarship application: https://www.heart.org/-/media/Files/Affiliates/MWA/Kentucky/Lexington/2021_2022_Carol_Barr_STEM_Scholarship_Application.pdf
- **The deadline to apply is March 12, 2022.**

FIFTH THIRD SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST – Any Grade

- All students in the building are required to complete financial literacy lessons. The Fifth Third Bank Scholarship Contest is open to students in grades 9-12 at schools who have completed at least one lesson of a Finance Academy digital course (EVERFI - Financial Literacy or Venture - Entrepreneurial Expedition) during the 2021-2022 school year. Spring semester entries must be received by May 27, 2022. Apply at <https://financeacademy.53.com/scholarship/> for the opportunity to win a \$2,500 college savings gift card.

SENIOR SCHOLARSHIPS

- The most valuable scholarships generally come from colleges. Study college websites and contact admissions counselors at the colleges.
- Scholarship applications and deadlines are emailed to seniors.
- The Woman's Club of Manchester is awarding a \$500 scholarship. The deadline to apply is Friday, April 29th.

Clay County High School students and parents/guardians are encouraged to sign up for text messages from the guidance.

Freshmen

- To receive messages via text, text @2025clay to 81010.

Sophomores

- To receive messages via text, text @2024clay to 81010.

Juniors

- To receive messages via text, text @2023clay to 81010.

Seniors

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