

Senior Shout Out

Date: 1/6/23

Contact Mrs. Singleton, A-C High School Jr./Sr.Counselor msingleton@amanda.k12.oh.us

Schedule a Meeting with Mrs. Singleton: Student Request for School Counseling Request Form

*IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Be sure to check your email <u>at least once per day</u> for important news from Mrs. Singleton, Ms. Feliciano, Mr. Dennis & Mrs. Richardson (Class Advisor).

Wondering which career might fit you best? Try this FREE assessment:

Holland Code Career Test

ACT/SAT

- ACT Fee Waiver Eligibility, *see Mrs. Singleton if you qualify
- ACT Registration
- ACT Superscore Explained
- SAT Practice
- SAT Registration
- What's on the SAT?

Career & Trade Programs

- Building a Resume While in High School
- Building Trades Apprenticeship Requirements
- Career One Stop, Career Search
- College Board Career Exploration
- Columbus Ohio Fire Recruitment
- Eastland-Fairfield Post-Graduation Career Programs
- Fashion Design Programs
- Hobart Institute of Welding Technology
- McWane Scholarship for Trade Programs, Jan. 31
- Ohio Fire Academy
- OhioHealth Education Benefits
- OhioHealth Nursing Fellowships
- Salon Schools

CCP

Are you wondering if your CCP credit(s) will transfer to a specific college?

Use this free tool to check: <u>Transferology</u>

College-Bound Athletes

- NCAA Guide for the College-Bound Athlete
- NCAA Registration Checklist

Common App & Sendedu

<u>Common App</u>: Navigate your college application process with this great resource.

SENDedu: A free, secure electronic document transfer service for the college application process

College Info, Planning, Preview Days & Visits

- Allegheny College
- The American Musical & Dramatic Academy
- Baldwin Wallace University
- Butler University
- Carnegie Mellon University
- Central Ohio Technical College (COTC)
- The College Tour *virtual college visits
- Columbus State Community College Admissions
- Cornell University Admissions
- Harvard College
- Hocking College Admissions
- Indiana University-Bloomington
- Malone University Admissions
- Mount Carmel College of Nursing Admissions
- Mount Vernon Nazarene University, October-March dates, *no fee with code "WHYMVNU"
- Northern Arizona University
- Ohio State University Admissions
- Ohio University Admissions
- Ohio University-Lancaster Admissions

College Info, Planning, Preview Days & Visits (cont.)

- Rice University
- Texas A & M University
- The Ultimate Guide to Applying for College
- University of Akron College Tour
- <u>University of Alabama</u>
- University of Louisville OUTLook Day, Jan. 20
- University of Michigan
- <u>University of Pittsburgh</u>
- The University of Texas at Dallas
- Ursuline College Nursing Program



FAFSA & Financial Aid Resources

The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) qualifies you for need-based financial aid: grants, loans, and work-study programs that help make college affordable and accessible.

Students and families can take the following steps to prepare for filing the FAFSA:

- Students should create a FAFSA account at https://studentaid.gov.
 Using a PERSONAL EMAIL ADDRESS, not your school account.
- Students and families can begin gathering information from their most recent tax returns. Schools use information collected on the FAFSA to determine each student's personalized financial aid offer, which shares the full cost of your education. ALL students are encouraged to file the FAFSA as early as possible. You will begin receiving financial aid offers via mail in January from most schools.
- <u>FAFSA</u> Now is an important time to begin preparing to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). All students planning to attend any form of college or technical school training should file this form. Even if you believe you might not qualify, most schools require this form to award scholarships and other aid.
- 23-24 Financial Aid Process Slideshow * use passcode: cK!5i2#e
- Finish the FAFSA in 5 Steps
- A Guide to College Student Finances
- 11 Common FAFSA Mistakes
- Quick College Cost Estimator
- Sallie Mae Financial Aid for First Generation College Students

Jobs

 <u>Job Shadowing/Internships:</u> School breaks and weekends are a great time to request a job shadowing experience with someone in a field of interest. Reach out to an individual or organization to make an arrangement and experience the job or career of your dreams before you make plans to pursue an education or training.

Military & Academies

Army National Guard

Miscellaneous

- Writing the Personal Essay, Tips, templates & examples
- Ursuline Writing Contest, \$ prizes, due Jan. 9

PE Waivers

• If you qualify for a PE waiver from school-sanctioned athletics or marching band, be sure to mark the appropriate box in Final Forms or complete this **PE Waiver**.

Scholarships

- AAA School Safety Patrol Scholarship, Feb. 24
- Alfred University Scholarships
- Builders Exchange Scholarship, *construction-related fields
- Charles Kilburger Scholarship (OU-L),, Jan. 21 *Mrs. Singleton needs prior notice to assist
- Children of Warriors, March 1
- Christian Connector Scholarships
- Citizens Scholarship, June 30
- Coast Guard Exchange Scholarship, *dep. of Coast Guard member, Feb. 28
- DAR Scholarships, Jan. 31
- <u>Dr. Meme Heineman Scholarship</u>, *psychology /applied behavior majors
- National Jewish Committee Eagle Scouts Scholarship, March 31
- Engineers Foundation Scholarship, must be engineer major, Jan. 15
- ExploraVision Project Award, Jan 31
- Fairfield County Foundation, Dec. 1-March 10
- Fallen Patriots Scholarships
- FastWeb Scholarship Finder
- Franklin University Scholarships
- Foundation for Fraternal Excellence, males only April 15
- Go Merry Scholarship Search
- Horatio Alger Scholarships
- Humanity Video Scholarship, May 31
- James Beard Scholarship, culinary & hospitality fields

Scholarships (cont.)

- <u>Jet Future Business Leaders Scholarships</u>, Jan. 31
- Liv Mas Scholarship, Jan. 11
- Mary Lou Johnson Scholarship, April 1
- Malone University Full Tuition Scholarship *email Mrs. Singleton for nomination
- McWane Skilled Trades Scholarship, Jan. 31
- Mensa Foundation Scholarship, Jan. 15
- Miami University of Ohio
- Mount Vernon Nazarene University Art Scholarships, Jan. 31
- Mount Vernon Nazarene University Music Scholarships, Oct 31-Jan. 30 *must reg. for audition
- National DAR Scholarships, Nov. 1-Jan. 31
- Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps Scholarship
- NPC Centennial Scholarships, March 15
- NextLevel Student Scholarship *studying law, compliance, or public policy, March 30
- Nitro Scholarship Search
- Ohio Wesleyan University Visit Award, May 1
- OHCA Scholarship
- Ohio Oil and Gas Energy Education Program (OOGEEP) *Oil & Natural Gas Industry, March 1
- Ohio University-Lancaster Charles Kilburger Scholarship, Jan. 21
- Ohio University Regional Campuses Scholarships *apply for admission by Jan. 15
- Premier Truck Accident Lawyers Scholarship, July 1
- Profile in Courage Scholarship, Jan. 13
- SAE International Scholarships, *engineering students, Jan. 6- March 1
- Sallie Mae Scholarship Search
- Scholarship America
- Shred Nations Scholarship Program, Jan. 31
- South Central Power Company Scholarships, Feb. 1
- Sport Injury Scholarship, Feb. 28
- Texting & Driving Scholarship, Feb. 10
- Thiel Fellowship, *building & design
- <u>Tiffin University</u>
- United Negro College Fund Scholarships
- University of Arizona Scholarships, May 1
- University of Mount Union Scholarships
- University of Virginia
- United States JCI Senate Foundation Scholarship, Jan. 13

Scholarships (cont.)

- <u>Ursuline College</u> *merit-based scholarships
- Washington Crossing Foundation Scholarship, Jan. 15
- Wedge Guys Golf Scholarship, July 1
- Wright State University, Feb. 1
- Zonta Outstanding Young Women Award/Scholarship, Jan. 9 *applications due to HS office (see Mrs. Singleton for local guidelines)

Self-Care



Transcripts

• Be sure to request ALL transcripts through <u>PARCHMENT</u>. You can have your records sent anywhere you like, simply by completing the form. You can also request to see your transcript by selecting "Self-View" at any time. Just be sure to refresh it if you want the most recent records.

Volunteer Opportunities

• The Village of Amanda is seeking volunteers. Call the village office at 740-969-4771 and ask for Mayor Char Fisher. This opportunity can count toward community service hours.

Check with the following organizations who might also need your help:

A Community Cares (A-C Local) Fairfield Medical Center

Chelsea's Christmas for Kids Fairhope Hospice

Foundation Dinners United Way

Meals on Wheels The Salvation Army
Fairfield County District Library Humane Society

Google Form to Document Volunteer Hours; https://docs.google.com/forms/d/
 e/1FAIpQLSddOLsa2Y4GnXtZBXKzfnCwoNFYBWOmBCGt3AIDb3bH_v-RMw/viewform