



Welcome to Junior Night

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Agenda

- ▶ What to expect Senior year?
- ▶ College/Career Pathways
- ▶ Financial Aid
- ▶ Illinois Student Assistance Commission (ISAC) Presents “Financial Aid Process Presentation”

Senior Year

- ▶ Senior Meetings
- ▶ [WEGO POST SECONDARY WEBSITE](#)
- ▶ FAFSA Workshop
- ▶ College Visits
- ▶ College Applications
- ▶ Scholarships
- ▶ Prepare for Graduation

College and Career Pathways



Financial Aid

- ▶ **Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)** is an application for college financial aid through grants and loans available to all students.
- ▶ FAFSA opens up October 1st. WEGO will offer a WORKSHOP for all of our seniors.
- ▶ Public Act 101-180 (effective 6/01/20) requires that, beginning with the 2020-2021 school year, public high school students **must complete** the FAFSA or, as eligible, the Alternative Application for Illinois Financial Aid, as a prerequisite to receiving a high school diploma.
- ▶ Students can also opt-out by signing a **FAFSA waiver form**.
- ▶ More information on this will be presented by ISAC Representative Ms. Marina Pascual

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