



CRUSADER College Connection

SEPTEMBER 2023 • WWW.STDOMINICHS.ORG/COLLEGE

EVENT *Info*



College Fair Night: **September 6, 2023**

College Fair 6 pm -7 pm Fallon Family Center | College Information Presentation 7 pm -8 pm PAC

In-state Programs:

Drury University
IEC of Greater St. Louis
Lindenwood
Maryville University
Missouri University of Science and Technology
Missouri State
Quincy University
Ranken
Rockhurst University
Saint Louis University
Southeast Missouri State University
St. Charles Community College
State Technical College of Missouri
Truman State University
UMSL
University of Missouri
University of Missouri Kansas City UMKC
Webster University
William Woods

Out of State Programs:

Benedictine College
Bradley University
Kansas State
McKendree University
Murray State University
Savannah College of Art and Design
University of Arkansas
University of Illinois
University of Iowa
University of Kansas
University of Memphis
University of Mississippi (Ole Miss)
Wichita State University
Xavier University

SCHOLARSHIP *Update*

A+ Scholarship Program!

The A+ Scholarship Program provides scholarship funds to eligible graduates of A+ designated high schools who attend a participating public community college or vocational/technical school, or certain private two-year vocational/technical schools. In addition, there are several four-year universities who also award funds if the student has the A+ designation. It is recommended that ALL students fill out the A+ agreement.

It is better to have it and not need it, than to need it and not have it!

www.stdominichs.org/academics/college/a-program

SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINES

September 1 Magellan TV Woman in STEM | Be Bold Scholarship

September 8 Cameron Impact Scholarship

September 30 Cirkled in Scholarship | Don't Text and Drive Scholarship

2023-24
[Scholarship Information](#)

Report Earned Scholarships [HERE.](#)

THIS MONTH'S COLLEGE REPS

College Reps are available at 11:10 during Empower Hour, located in the Learning Commons Classroom.

SEPTEMBER 13



Quincy University
Quincy, IL

• App. Deadline:
Rolling Admission

<https://www.quincy.edu/admissions/admissions/>

• Scholarship Information:
<https://www.quincy.edu/search/scholarships>



United States
Marine Corps

<https://www.marines.mil/>

SEPTEMBER 14



University of Dayton
Dayton, OH

• Early Action: Nov. 1
Regular Decision: Feb. 1

<https://udayton.edu/>

• Scholarship Information:
<https://udayton.edu/affordability/undergraduate/>

SEPTEMBER 19



University of Central MO
Warrensburg, MO

• App. Deadline:
Rolling Admission/

Application fee waived until Dec. 1
<https://www.ucmo.edu/future-students/admissions/incoming-freshman/index.php>

• Scholarship Information: Jan. 15
<https://www.ucmo.edu/future-students/financing-your-education/>



LOOKING Ahead

Fall 2023

Sept. 6

College Fair 6pm -7pm
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Sept. 12

Senior A+ Agreements due

Sept.22

ACT registration deadline for October 28 test

Sept.22

AP payment \$105 due
use RegFox link for payment

Oct. 6

ACT Late Registration
deadline for October 28 test

Oct. 28

National ACT Test

Dual Credit Registration Period

Drury 8/22 - 9/1

UMSL 8/21-9/12

MO State 8/15-9/18

SLU 8/14-10/2

HELPFUL Links

COLLEGE GUIDANCE
www.stdominichs.org/college

SCOIR
www.scoir.com

SCHOLARSHIPS
www.fastweb.com | myscholly.com

FAFSA
www.studentaid.ed.gov/fafsa

COMMON APP
www.commonapp.org

NCAA ELIGIBILITY
web3.ncaa.org/ecwr3

ACT
www.act.org

SAT
www.sat.org

Alumni Spotlight

Madison Ballard '18

Columbia College

BS in Nursing

Registered Nurse in the NICU at Women's Hospital
at University of Missouri Healthcare



Madison Ballard is a 2018 graduate of St. Dominic High School where she excelled in Soccer, Basketball and Cross Country. In addition to her success in athletics, she was also very involved in CRU and Peer Ministry. While at St. Dominic High School, Maddie prepared for a challenging path as a student-athlete in college but one she felt prepared for from her time at SDHS.

"St. Dominic offered me many opportunities to excel in college before I even stepped foot on campus. The dual enrollment classes enabled me to have enough credit hours to not have to take gen-ed classes my first year. Instead, I could focus on my pre-nursing classes required before starting nursing school. Playing soccer at St. Dominic also prepared me to continue my athletic career at Columbia College. St. Dominic helped me greatly in preparing with college but also for life after college. "

While a member of the Columbia College Women's Soccer team, Maddie said, ***"going through nursing school and playing soccer may have been one of the hardest things to get through but the friends I made in college are ones I will never forget. Having them made the long nights of studying after practices or games so much easier. "***

Maddie graduated in 2022 from Columbia College with a Bachelors of Science in Nursing. She currently is a Registered Nurse in the NICU at Women's Hospital at University of Missouri Healthcare. ***"I remember wanting to be a nurse ever since I was little. In the NICU, advocating for patients who can't speak for themselves and their families was always something that drew me to that population. "***

Monthly Wellness

Amy Bauer | Wellness Counselor
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Managing Anxiety and Stress Tips:

1. Practice yoga
2. Listen to your favorite music
3. Meditate
4. Get more sleep
5. Make an effort to replace negative thoughts with positive
6. Accept what you can't control
7. Talk to someone

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