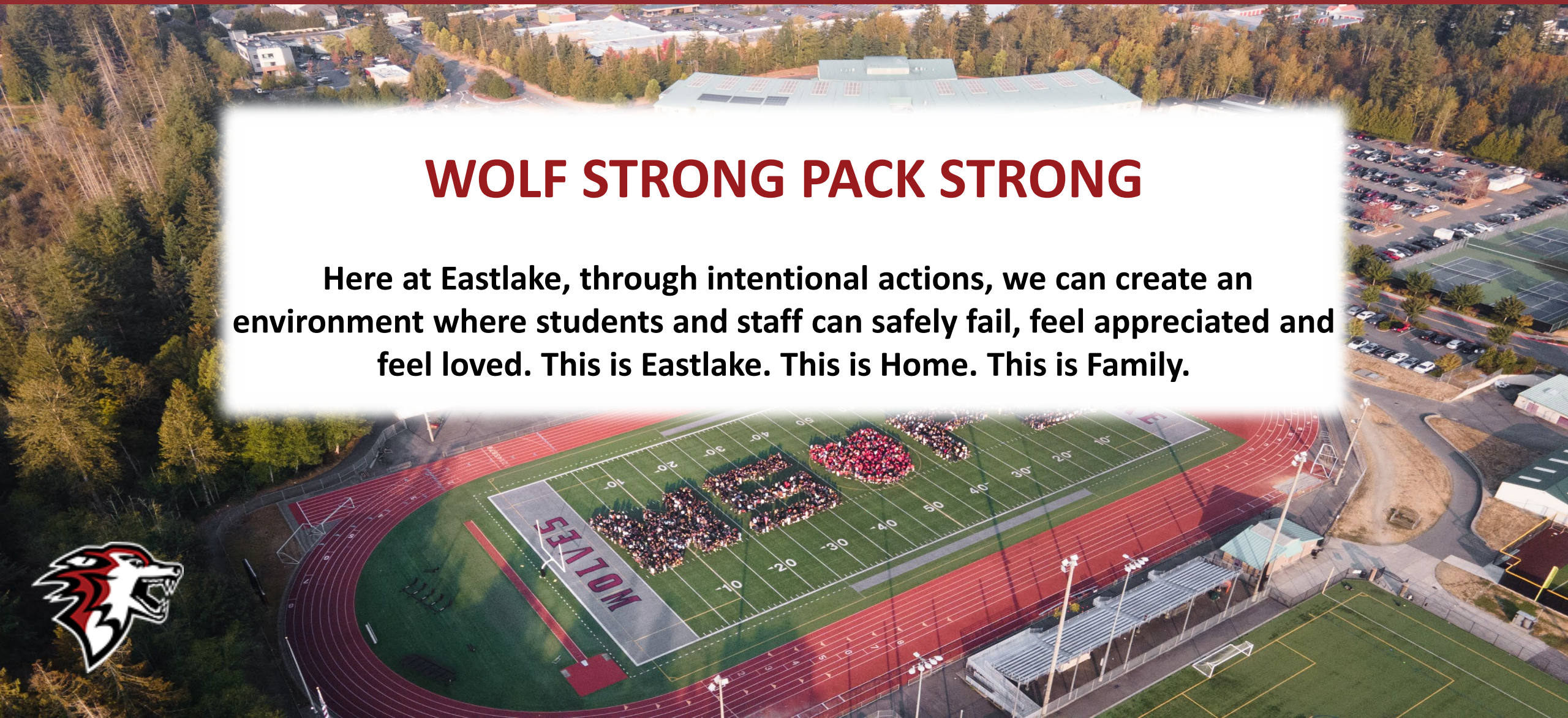


JUNIOR PARENT NIGHT

Hosted by: Tessa Hinn, Amber Owen-Clifford, & Jennifer Fichamba

WELCOME TO EASTLAKE HIGH SCHOOL!



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Here at Eastlake, through intentional actions, we can create an environment where students and staff can safely fail, feel appreciated and feel loved. This is Eastlake. This is Home. This is Family.

What are Junior Meetings?

- Junior Meetings offer students the opportunity to check-in individually with their counselor to discuss:
  - Post-high school plans
  - Senior year
  - Remaining grad reqs
  - Offer resources
  - Answer questions

Junior Meeting Prep

- Review transcript in Xello
- Check grad reqs in Skyward
- Talk with your student about their post-high school plans
- Prepare any questions you might have

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS



CLASSES	REQUIRED CREDITS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
ENGLISH	4.0 CREDITS	
MATHMATICS	3.0 CREDITS	Algebra 1, Geometry & Algebra 2
SCIENCE	3.0 CREDITS	Must be 2.0 Lab Sciences
SOCIAL STUDIES	3.0 CREDITS	1.0 World History 2 + 1.0 US History + .5 Civics & .5 Social Studies Elective
ART	2.0 CREDITS	Performing or Visual Arts
HEALTH & FITNESS	2.0 CREDITS	.5 Credit of Health & 1.5 Credits of Fitness
CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION	1.0 CREDIT	
WORLD LANGUAGE	2 CREDITS	2 sequential years of the same language
ELECTIVES	4.0 CREDITS	
**TOTAL REQUIRED CREDITS	24 CREDITS	

Additional Requirements:

*Washington State History

*High School & Beyond Plan

*Smarter Balanced Test- English and Math

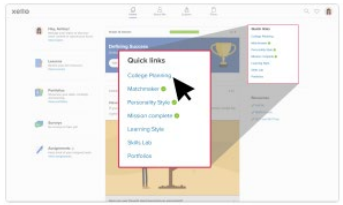
TRANSCRIPTS



How students view their transcript

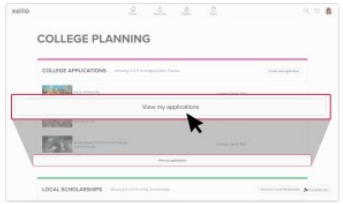
How students view their unofficial transcript in Xello:

1. From their dashboard, under **Quick links**, they click **College Planning**.



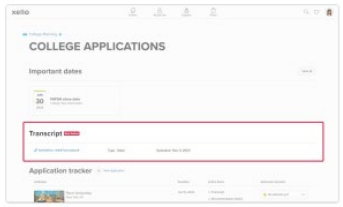
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2. Under **College applications**, they click **View my applications**.



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3. On the **College applications** page, under **Transcript**, they click the filename of their transcript to open the PDF in a viewer.



Where can I learn more about Running Start?

- The Running Start page found on the EHS counseling page has all the information you need!
- The website includes:
  - Running Start presentation
  - Enrollment steps
  - Running Start student expectations
  - Links to the local Runnning Start colleges
  - FAQs

- Counselors will meet with students who attended the information sessions AND have begun the enrollment process at a local Running Start school

Does anyone review college essays?

- Multiple opportunities for students to work on and receive feedback from teachers during Senior English, Wolf Times, and outside resources (LW Schools Foundation)
- This fall counselors and the College and Career Center will post the specific Wolf Time supports and will communicate resources to Seniors and their families



What is the Guaranteed Admission Program (GAP)?

The Guaranteed Admission Program (GAP) guarantees admission to some 4-year public colleges and universities in Washington State (not UW) with the following criteria:

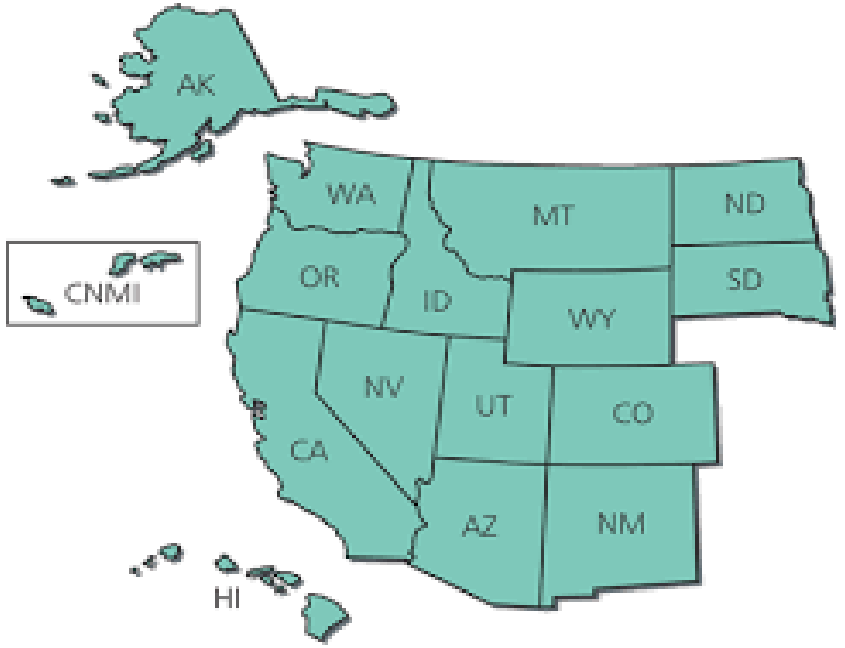
- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- By Fall 2025, must have completed or are on track to complete all CADRs (College Academic Distribution Requirements)
- More information found HERE



WASHINGTON Guaranteed Admissions Program

What is the WUE?

- WUE (Western Undergraduate Exchange) provides greater access to college with reduced tuition at participating schools
- More information here



What should Juniors do now to plan for college?

- Create their college list
- They should pick 6-10 colleges
- Within that list it should include 2 reach, 2 target & 2 safety
- Students should also consider the following
  - Size
  - Location
  - Is what they want to study available
  - Campus life



Red Square – Western Washington University

Quick Note: Building a College List



- Trying to break down the student statement of: “I want to go to a good college.”
- Activity of Company CEO’s
- Relative Importance to Employers
  - Internships
  - Employment during college
  - College major
  - Volunteer, Extracurricular
  - College GPA
  - College reputation

What should Juniors do now continued…

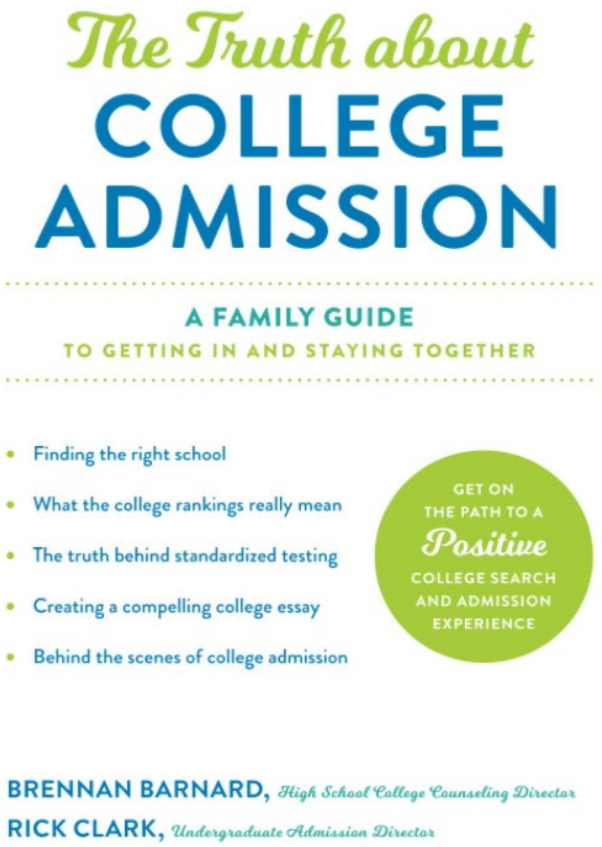


- Start writing their personal statements!!
- Many deadlines come fast at the beginning of senior year

What can I do as a parent?

- Follow up with them after their Junior Meeting
- Explore post high schools plans together
- Provide encouragement for whatever path they are interested in
- Offer to help with research and utilize the Post High School Guidebook
- Offer to review essays, resumes, and applications
- Discuss the budget; determine cost of program or college with net price calculator
- Complete the FAFSA or WAFSA starting in December for college applications (attend a virtual session!)
- Help them network for internships, volunteer, or work opportunities (schools and programs value ALL of these and can be found on the College and Career page under Student Opportunities)
- Encourage balance in life during the summer before and during Senior year!

Resources:



- EHS Counseling
- EHS College + Career Website
- Big Future
- 12th Year Campaign, Junior/Senior Workbook
- WANIC