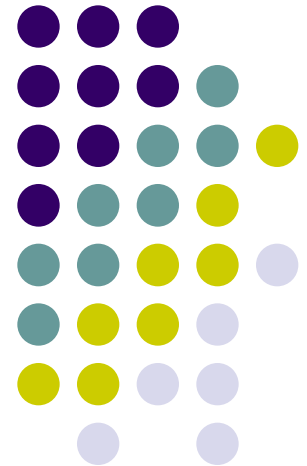
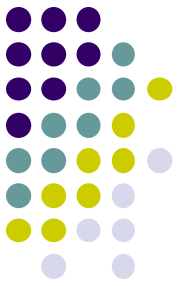


Senior/Parent Post-Secondary Planning Webinar

Guidance & Counseling Dept.
Paulina Chin & Tamara DiCesare
September 9, 2025

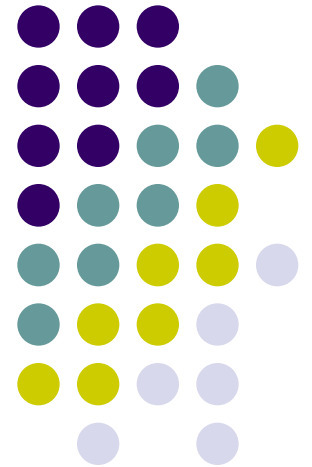


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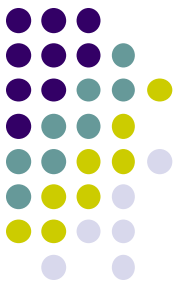


- Next Steps
- The Application Process – who sends what & changes to the CCHS transcript process
- Questions? Feel free to type them in the Q&A & we'll respond to them at the end of the program

Next Steps



Weekly Guidance Seminars



- Senior seminar classes will start in person during the week of 9/8 and will continue for 4-5 weeks through the end of October. These seminars meet during Flex blocks.
- Session topics include: the nuts and bolts of college applications, FERPA & the transcript process, recommendations and other credentials, balancing the list, ED agreements, testing and financial aid
- Sessions will also provide time for students to work on applications, supplements, etc., ask questions and/or have 1:1 conferences with their counselor

Standardized Testing



- Test optional - check each college's requirements
- If the ACT or SAT is required for admission
 - Some allow "self-report" in application
 - If official score report required, send directly from College Board or ACT



Upcoming Test Dates

The SAT:

- Saturday, October 4 (Register by 9/19)
- Saturday, November 8 (register by 10/28)

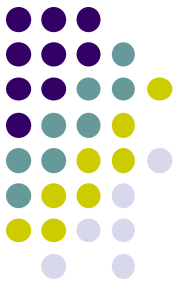
To register: www.collegeboard.com

The ACT:

- Saturday, October 18 (register by 9/12)
- Saturday, December 13 (register by 11/7)

To register: www.actstudent.org

Refining the List

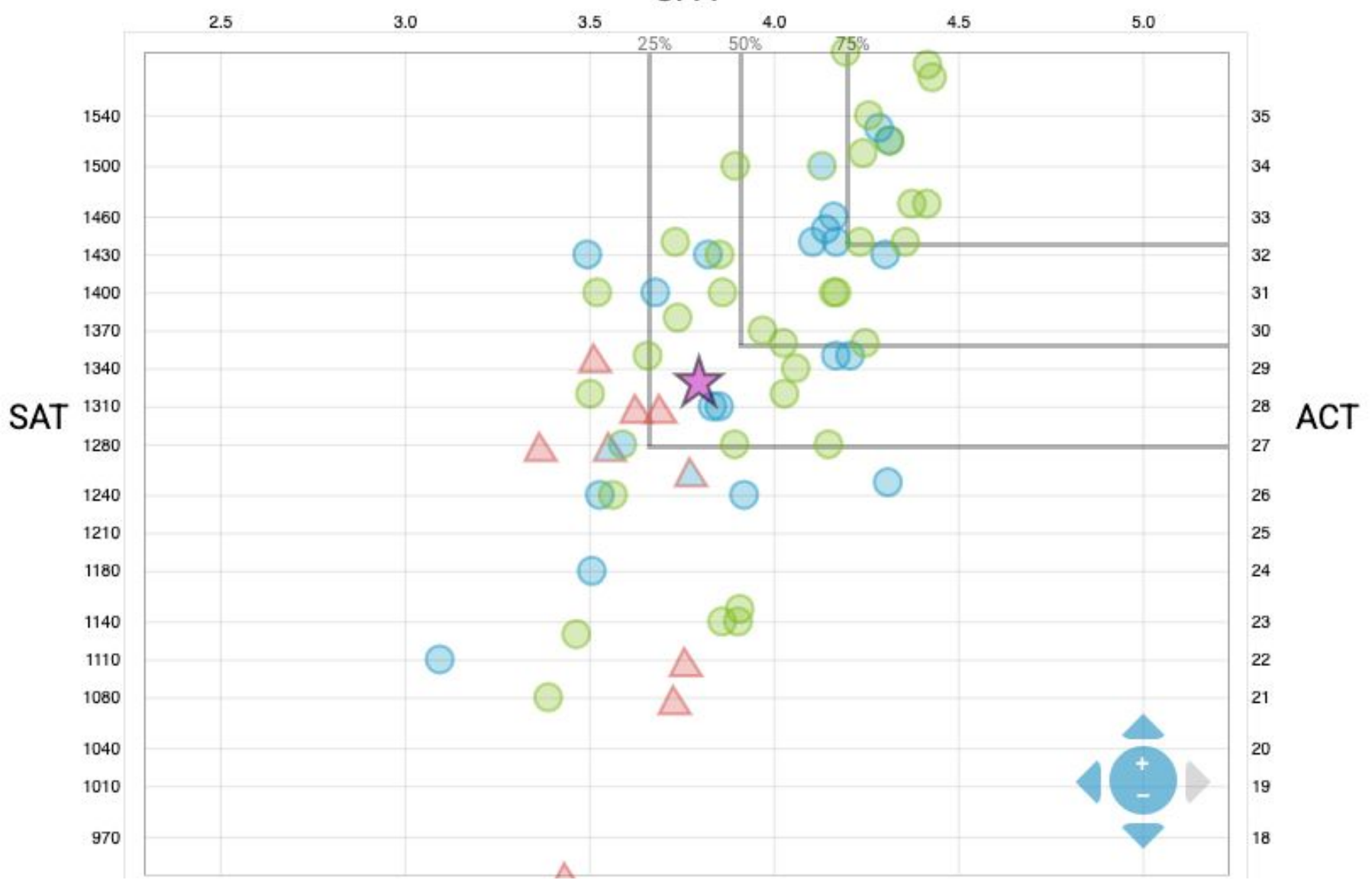


- Number of Schools
- Balance between target/possibilities, likely and statistical reaches
- Use SCOIR and other admissions data



Sample Target using SCOIR

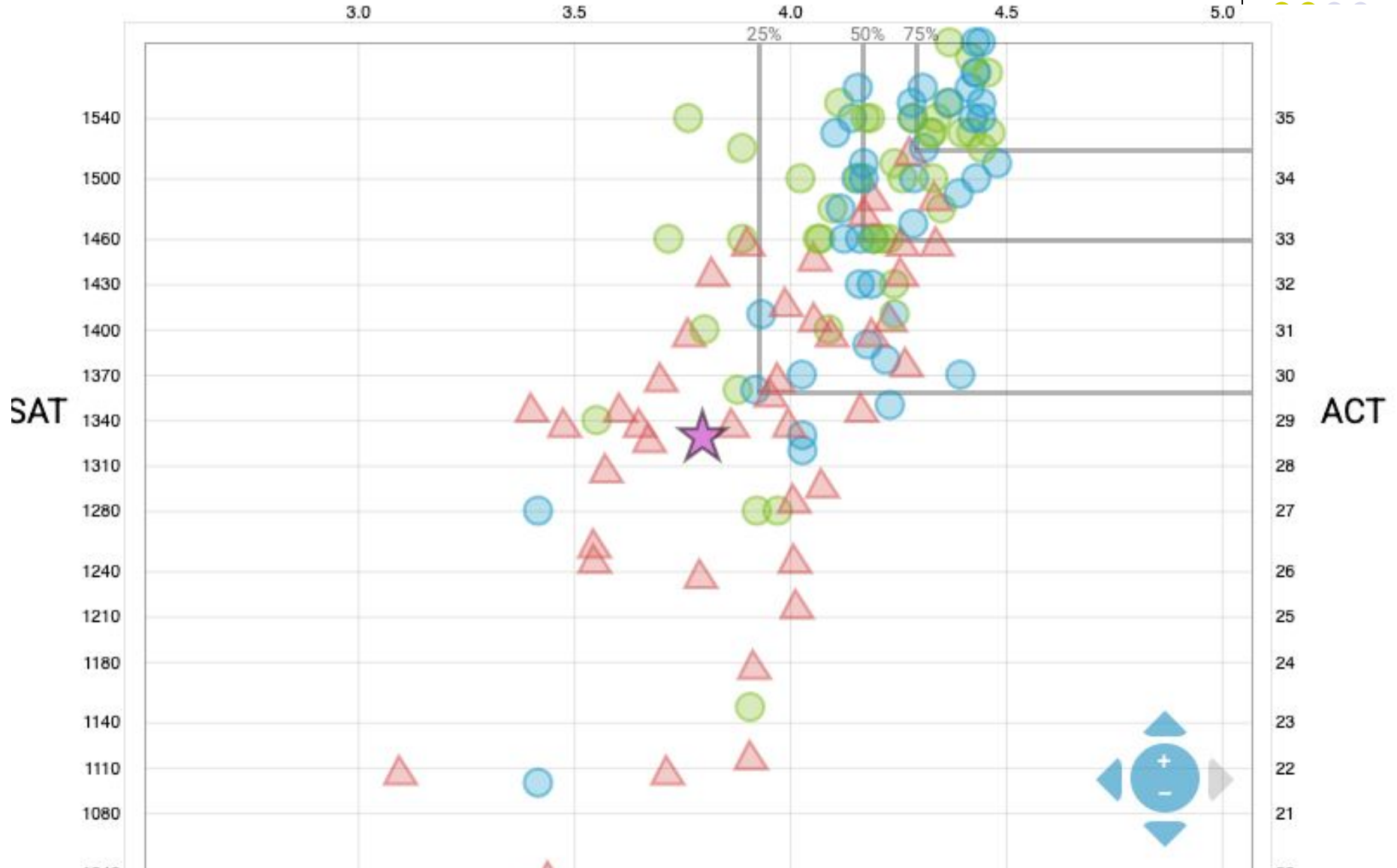
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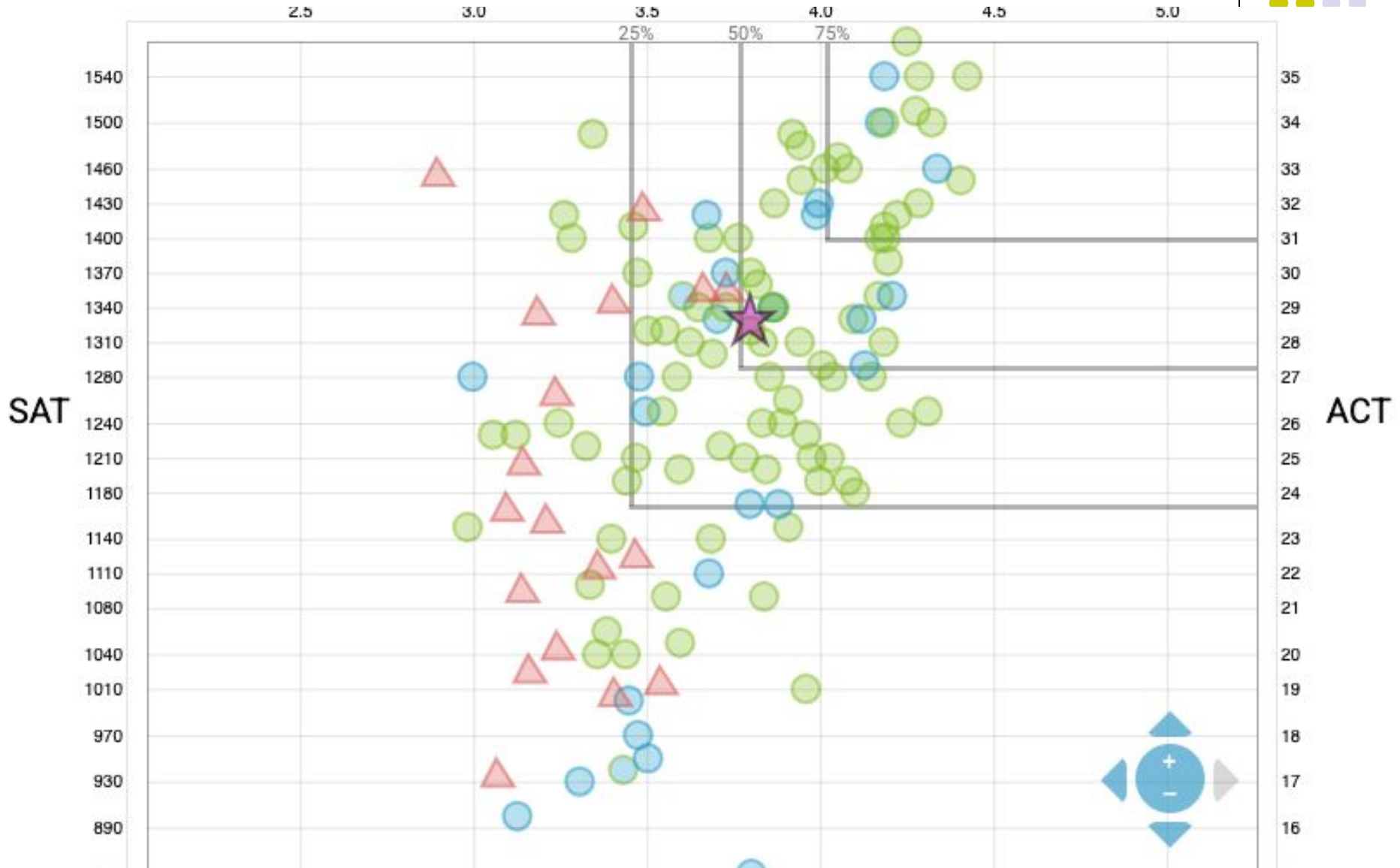
Sample Reach using SCOIR

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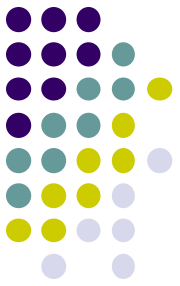


Sample Likely using SCOIR

Student Profile: 3.8 GPA, 27 ACT, 1330 SAT



Counselor Appointments



As always, counselors are available to meet with students as needed.

Family college conferences are also encouraged.

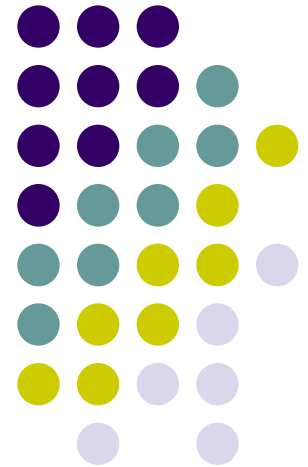
Appointments can be scheduled via the counselor's Google calendar, which has been shared with students via email & Google Classroom.



Helpful Tools

- SCOIR
 - If you have forgotten your password or have questions, please contact your student's counselor
- CC Counseling website <http://www.concordcarlisle.org>
- Google Classroom
 - Your student's resource for information from previous seminar meetings, as well as other helpful announcements, links & resources
- College Guidance Network
 - <https://www.collegeguidancenetwork.com/>

The Application Process





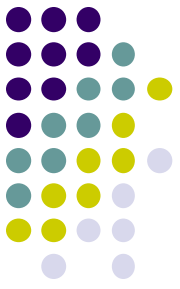
What the Student Sends...

- Students are responsible for sending their completed applications, essays, fees, and SAT and/or ACT scores (if applicable)

Send SAT scores via <https://www.collegeboard.org/>

Send ACT scores via www.actstudent.org

- Students may also send a resume, and/or portfolio (art, photo, etc.) if appropriate.

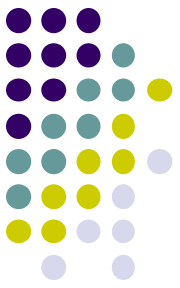


What CCHS Sends...

- Official CCHS transcript
- Report Card – Q1 (for early applicants) & Semester (for all applicants)
- Student Senior Schedule (colleges care about the courses students take senior year)
- Teacher Recommendation(s)
- Counselor Recommendation
- Fee Waiver (if applicable)
- CCHS School Profile
- Early Decision Agreement (if applicable)

****ALL RECORDS ARE SENT VIA SCOIR****

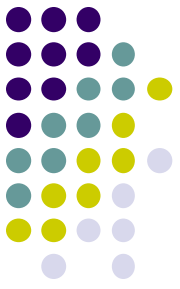
How to Send a Transcript Package SCOIR & Common App Integration



NEW THIS YEAR: COMMON APP & SCOIR LINKED!

- Students create their Common App (CA) Account
- Add CCHS to the Education section
- Add at least 1 college to Common App
- Complete FERPA Release in Common App
- Connect SCOIR & Common App via Profile section of Student's SCOIR account
- Student selects Start Term & Application Method for each college in their Common App
- Student requests Teacher Recommendation(s) in SCOIR via Documents tab
- AFTER teacher recs are uploaded into SCOIR, Student assigns Teacher Rec(s) to all schools in SCOIR

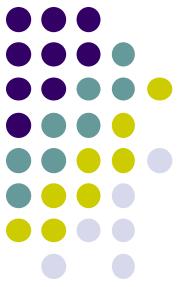
More on SCOIR & COMMON APP Integration...



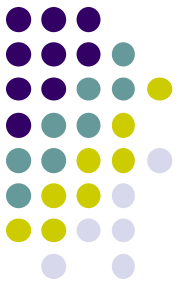
- Updates made to the Common App will filter over to SCOIR
- HOWEVER, updates made in SCOIR WILL NOT update the student's Common App!
- So, if your student added colleges to SCOIR first, they will need to add them to the Common App!

****ALL STEPS MUST BE COMPLETE 1 MONTH PRIOR TO THE EARLIEST APPLICATION DEADLINE**

How to Send a Transcript Package for non-Common App Colleges

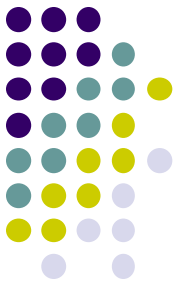


- Student adds Colleges to “Applying” List in SCOIR
- Student requests Teacher Recommendation(s) in SCOIR via Documents tab
- AFTER teacher recs are uploaded into SCOIR, Student assigns Teacher Rec(s) to all schools in SCOIR
- Student moves Colleges from “Applying” to “Applied” column after they submit their application to the college



Question & Answer Session

Thank you for coming!



Tonight's PowerPoint presentation will be available on the Guidance & Counseling webpage at [Concord-Carlisle Regional High School](#)