

Ready, Set, Go!

Senior Orientation Tuesday, August 11, 2020

Senior Planning Guide

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- ▶ Pages 3 4 (Awards)

SAT/ACT

- See page 8 for dates and deadlines
- Registration/Fees
- Fee Waivers
- Testing Tips
- Sending Scores

www.collegeboard.org www.actstudent.org

Advanced Placement

- Enroll in the course(s)!
- Register for the exam in the fall semester
- Exams in May
- Scores sent in July
 - You will indicate which institution you want your scores to be sent to in an AP exam pre-administration session.

Senior Honors

- ▶ Latin Honors System Pg. 3 4
- NC Academic Scholars
 - 3.5 unweighted GPA
 - Determined after 3rd quarter ranking
 - page 4 specific course criteria

Presidential Awards

- Page 4
- Educational Excellence
 - 3.5 weighted GPA & certain SAT/ACT score
- Educational Achievement

The College Wall

- Heritage Tradition
- Make the wall grow!
- Send a picture of your acceptance notice to Ms.
 Faison in Student Services (lafaison@wcpss.net)

Show Me the Money!

- ▶ Page 15–17
- Financial Aid Night, September 23, 2020
- Financial Aid Counselor (Tuesdays, by appt.)
- ▶ FAFSA early as October 1, 2020
- FAFSA Day February 2021

Financial Aid Forms

- October 1, 2020 FAFSA opens for school year 2021-22.
- fafsa.ed.gov
- Schedule time with our Financial Aid counselor (Ms. Waldrum) for assistance.

Scholarships

- Year-long possibilities
- Search, Prep, Apply, Share the Good News!
- Make it manageable
- http://hhsseniors.weebly.com
- www.scholarshipplus.com/wake
- www.cfnc.org
- Check Scholarship Bulletin
- We are required to report all scholarship offers for class totals
 - Complete the notice form (Student Services)
 - Attach the documentation

Being scholarship application ready....

- Keep recommendation letters handy for quick notice scholarships
- Keep resume updated
- Keep a general resume to "tweak"
- Stay alert to new opportunities
- Adhere to deadlines

Need more help?

- Read the Senior Planning Guide
- Ask questions
- Use your resources

Best Wishes!