THE COUNSELOR UPDATE

Official newsletter of Farmington High School Counseling Center



SENIOR UPDATES

College Application Week

Click Here for information. ALL APPLICATION FEES WAIVED for in-state public schools this week only! Seniors should plan to come to the Commons during MAPS all week to work on their applications.

Student Going on Mission?

Students planning on going on a mission before starting college should still complete college applications and secure scholarships their senior year.

Students will then defer acceptance for when they return.

Deadlines

Remember, students MUST have all components of their application submitted by the deadline. This means ACT scores, transcripts, and letters of recommendation if applicable. Your student should request transcripts and/or ACT scores AT LEAST 2 weeks prior to deadline to ensure the school has the needed documentation in time. Click here for application deadlines.

TRANSCRIPTS
REQUESTED DURING
UCAW WILL BE FREE!
(FOR UTAH SCHOOLS
ONLY) CLICK HERE!

IMPORTANT DATES!

October 3-7 | College Application Week October 12 | PSAT October 31 | End of Term

SCHOLARSHIP CORNER

All seniors should attend a Thirsty Thursday presentation held the first Thursday of each month.

Click Here for more information and resources

NEED HELP COMPLETING THE FAFSA?

Come to FAFSA Completion Night on December 5th!

GO VISIT COLLEGES!

A great way to find the best fit college is to go visit! Click Here for links to all Utah college tours and college admissions advisor contact information.

ACT PREP CLASS

Students have access to a virtual ACT Prep class by going to shmoop.com and entering passcode: ASPEN

2ND SEMESTER CLASS CHANGES

Counselors will be making 2nd semester class changes after Christmas Break during MAPS, lunch or late start. Information will be forthcoming. Students should check their schedules for holes and errors.

HOPE SQUAD EVENT

The hope squad is putting on a 5k to raise awareness for mental health. Click below for more information.

HALLOWEEN 5K



Juniors and sophomores can take the PSAT on:

October 12th 7:30–12 (School Excused)

To sign up, pay the PSAT fee on myDSD under 'optional fees'.



JUNIOR UPDATES

CCR Meetings

Counselors will send out
College and Career Readiness
information to Junior
students and parents during
2nd term. Parents/students
will have the opportunity to
schedule an appointment
with their counselor if they
have follow up questions or
need further help planning.

Click Course Listing Below to View Current Class Offerings and Course Descriptions!





SOPHOMORE UPDATES

Coping Skill of the Month

Just like adults, kids have a hard time when things don't go their way. Helping your student identify what is in their control can often help them feel empowered to make changes and control their reactions in many situations.



HELP YOUR STUDENT EXPLORE CAREERS THAT FIT THEIR PERSONALITY

UtahFutures has been moved over to the Keys to Success app. Your student can download the app and take assessments that will help them explore career fields that match with their personality and preference. Click Here

SIGN UP FOR ONLINE CLASSES

If your student needs to sign up for an online class, the sign-up form is now online, found under 'Sign-Up for Online Classes'. Requests made after midterm will be added at the beginning of 2nd term.