

# Junior Update #3



## College Information:

### Edison State Open House:

- March 19<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.
- Speak with faculty, talk to a career pathway advisor and take a tour of campus.
- They have over 40 degree programs and over 70 certificate programs.
- All attendees can enter to win a 3-credit hour tuition voucher and the first 50 people to register will be entered to win one of ten \$25 Amazon gift cards.
- Register to attend at: [www.edisonohio.edu/college](http://www.edisonohio.edu/college)

### IU Fort Wayne Spring Visit Day:

- Sunday, March 17<sup>th</sup>
- Bachelor's Degrees offered at IU Fort Wayne: Dental Hygiene, Dental Laboratory Technology ( has a pre-dent track), Health Sciences ( has 32 open electives), tailored to students interested in seeking a higher degree in medicine, Medical Imaging and Nursing
- Certificate Programs: Dental Assisting
- For more info, go to [www.iufw.edu](http://www.iufw.edu)
- Get info on admissions, financial aid, and student life, also tour campus.
- Register at: <https://www.iufw.edu/admissions/visit/spring-campus-visit.html>

### The Modern College of Design (SAA) Open House:

- Saturday, March 16<sup>th</sup> from noon - 2 p.m.
- Participate in portfolio review, attend a graphic design interactive session, connect with students, faculty and graduates, tour campus and get more info on financial aid, scholarships and housing options.
- RSVP at: [www.openhouse.rsvpify.com](http://www.openhouse.rsvpify.com)

### University of Cincinnati Tuition Guarantee:

- For new, degree-seeking first-year and transfer students starting in the fall of 2019.
- Program will set tuition, fees, and room and board at a consistent rate for up to 5 years.

- For more information, go to:

<https://admissions.uc.edu/tuition-aid/tuition-guarantee.html>

### University of Dayton/Raise Me:

- UD has partnered with Raise Me to encourage students to build the necessary skills for college.
- Students record their achievements, track your preparation for college, as well as work toward UD's merit scholarships.
- Sign in and create an account at: [www.raise.me/join/dayton](http://www.raise.me/join/dayton)

### University of Findlay VIP Day:

- UF VIP (Very Important Potential Pharmacists) Day will be held on Friday, March 29, 2019.
- Take a closer look at the UF Pharmacy program. Event will be held from 10 - 2:15 p.m.
- RSVP by calling 419-434-4450 - Debra Parker

### University of Northwestern Ohio (UNOH) Spring Preview Day:

- April 5, 2019 from 8:30 - 3:00 pm with testing at 11:30 a.m.
- For juniors and seniors - juniors can apply for free!
- Take an information technology, medical technology or general scholarship test for a chance to win up to a \$3,000 tuition scholarship.
- For more info go to: [www.unoh.edu](http://www.unoh.edu).

### Urbana University Information:

- 12:1 student/professor ratio
- NCAA Div. II athletic teams
- 64% of students receive financial aid
- For more info, go to: [www.urbana.edu](http://www.urbana.edu)

### Wright State University Spring Visit Days:

- Business with a Raider: March 19, 26, and 28<sup>th</sup>, and April 17<sup>th</sup> from 9 - noon.
- College of Engineering & Computer Science: March 13 and 25<sup>th</sup>, April 10 and 22<sup>nd</sup> from 10 - 1:00 p.m.

- College of Science and Math: March 15, and April 17<sup>th</sup> from 10 - 1:00 p.m.
- Register at: <https://www.wright.edu/admissions/undergraduate/open-houses-and-events>

### **College Fairs:**

#### Mercy Health Cardiovascular Symposium:

- Thursday, April 4<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 - 4:15 p.m. at the Veterans Memorial Civic and Convention Center in Lima, Ohio.
- Register by Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup>

#### Mount Union - Mid-East Ohio College Fair:

- Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup> from 6 - 7:30 p.m.
- To see a full list of colleges that will be participating, go to: <https://www.mountunion.edu/college-fair>

#### NACAC National College Fair:

- Columbus, March 24<sup>th</sup> from 1 - 4:00 p.m.
- Greater Columbus Convention Center.
- Register at: [www.gotomyncf.com](http://www.gotomyncf.com)

#### UVCC Adult Career Technical Education Spring Gathering:

- Tuesday, April 9, 2019
- Explore programs such as: Advanced Manufacturing Maintenance, HVAC & Refrigeration, Precision Tooling and Machining, and Practical Nursing.
- Have lunch, meet with program coordinators, tour the adult center and meet with student services.
- Let Mrs. Kohler know if you are interested in attending.

### **Common Application:**

One application used at several colleges across the US. Go to: [www.commonapp.org](http://www.commonapp.org)

### **College Visits:**

- You get 2 this year, use them wisely.
- Please let Mrs. Kohler know where and when you are going. She will give you a form that needs to be signed while at the college.
- This will be used as your excused absence form for Ms. Tussing.

- No college visits may be taken during the month of May.
- Visit the college BEFORE you apply there.

### **Scholarship Information:**

#### Abbott and Fenner Scholarships:

- \$1,000 scholarships are available to high school juniors and seniors who plan to go to college.
- To apply one needs to write an essay on this topic: *Describe your educational career and life goals. Explain your plan for achieving these goals. Include your degree/major, why you selected it, and how this degree/major will help you achieve your goals.*
- Submit your essay by email at: [scholarships@abbottandfenner.com](mailto:scholarships@abbottandfenner.com)
- Deadline to apply is June 14, 2019. For more info, go to: <http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.php>

#### ACT Scholarship Giveaway:

- Eligible sophomores and juniors that register for the April, June, or July national test date.
- To learn more go to: [www.act.org/ACTScholarshipGiveaway](http://www.act.org/ACTScholarshipGiveaway)
- There will be one grand prize winner of a \$40,000 scholarship (payable over 4 years) and a \$5,000 tech package.
- There will be 3 winners (1 each national test date - April, June and July) of a \$5,000 scholarship and a \$5,000 tech package.
- To enter, go to the link listed above.

### **College Athletics:**

#### NCAA Clearinghouse - Div. I and II:

- If you are interested in possibly playing college athletics you need to go to the NCAA's Eligibility Center website to register.
- [www.eligibilitycenter.org](http://www.eligibilitycenter.org).
- There is a \$90.00 application fee.
- Let Mrs. Kohler know you have registered as she needs to send your transcript.
- Their ACT/SAT code is 9999.

#### NAIA Eligibility Center:

- To participate in athletics at an NAIA school you must register at: [www.playnaia.org](http://www.playnaia.org)

- Please let Mrs. Kohler know if you apply so she can send in your transcript.
- Their ACT/SAT code is 9876.
- Registration fee is \$80.00.

### ACT/SAT Information:

#### ACT Test Dates for 2018/19:

Registration:	Test Date:
<b>Mar. 8</b>	April 13
May 3	June 8

- If you have not taken the ACT and plan to go apply to college, you need to do so ASAP!
- You can choose to pay \$20.00 extra to get your test information released - must order when registering for the test. This provides you with detailed information about your scores, areas of weakness to focus on before the next test administration.

To register, go to: [www.actstudent.org](http://www.actstudent.org)

- Cost is \$50.50
  - o With writing: \$67
- If you have not taken the ACT and plan to go apply to college, you need to do so ASAP!

### Junior statewide testing at JCHS - March 12th.

- You do not need to register for the statewide test. Mrs. Kohler will register all juniors.
- No student fee for the March 12<sup>th</sup> test.

ACT Prep: [https://www.kaptest.com/college-prep/free/national-practice-test-weekend?utm\\_source=pc-advisor&utm\\_medium=offline&utm\\_term=32983083&utm\\_content=email&utm\\_campaign=national-practice-test-weekend](https://www.kaptest.com/college-prep/free/national-practice-test-weekend?utm_source=pc-advisor&utm_medium=offline&utm_term=32983083&utm_content=email&utm_campaign=national-practice-test-weekend)

- Quick-tip prep guide and Method Test Prep info - see handouts

SAT Information: Go to: [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com)

### Military Information:

#### *Service Academy Nominations -*

- For those interested in the military academies, keep in mind that you will need to apply by mid to late Sept.
- Resources: [www.serviceacademyforums.com](http://www.serviceacademyforums.com)

### *Selective Service:*

- All 18 years and older men must register within 30 days of your 18<sup>th</sup> birthday.
- To register go to: [www.sss.gov](http://www.sss.gov).

### Unites States Service Academies Information Night for Students and Parents:

- March 12, 2019 from 5:30 - 8:00 p.m. at Amos Memorial Public Library Community Room at 230 East North Street, Sidney, Ohio.
- Earn a bachelor degree and a commission as an officer in the Air Force, Army, Navy, or Marine Corps.
- RSVP to: [Suzanne\\_cox@portman.senate.gov](mailto:Suzanne_cox@portman.senate.gov) or [sue\\_klein@brown.senate.gov](mailto:sue_klein@brown.senate.gov)
- See handout for further information.

### Career Websites:

<http://yourcareerconnect.com/>  
<https://hometownopportunity.com/>  
[https://jobs.ohiomeansjobs.monster.com/Search.aspx?pg=1&rad=20&rad\\_units=miles&sid=68](https://jobs.ohiomeansjobs.monster.com/Search.aspx?pg=1&rad=20&rad_units=miles&sid=68)  
<http://shelbycountyjfs.org/>

### Reminders:

#### College Board Opportunity Scholarships:

- The College Board Scholarship program is designed to help students plan for college and possibly be awarded scholarships ranging from \$500 - \$40,000.
- For more information about the program, go to: <https://opportunity.collegeboard.org/>

#### Honors Grad U Scholarship- Design a Better Future:

- Submit your final design project application by April 28, 2019.
- For information about the program, go to: <http://honorsgradu.com/scholarship/scholarship-faqs/>. See handout for further information.

### Miscellaneous Information:

#### Ohio Living Dorothy Love VolunTeen Program:

- To Volunteer, call Betsy Naseman at: 937-497-6529 or email her at: [bnaseman@ohioliving.org](mailto:bnaseman@ohioliving.org)
- See Mrs. Kohler for an application.

### Buckeye Boys and Girls State:

- Sponsored by the Ohio American Legion.
- 8 day hands on experience in the operation of the Democratic form of government, the organization of political parties, and the relationship of one to the other in shaping Ohio Government.
- Learn through doing - young men and women learn about city, county, and state government through a non-partisan objective education approach.
- The guys program will be held on the campus Miami University in Oxford, Ohio, typically in June. I am not sure where girl's state will be held or when.

### Useful Websites

College resources for students with disabilities:

#### **College Planning for Students with Disabilities -**

<https://www.bestcolleges.com/resources/students-with-disabilities/>

#### **College Planning for Students with Physically Disabilities -**

<https://www.bestcolleges.com/resources/college-planning-with-physical-disabilities/>

#### **College Planning for Students with Visually Disabilities -**

<https://www.bestcolleges.com/resources/college-planning-with-visual-impairments/>

#### **College Planning for Students with Psychiatrically Disabilities -**

<https://www.bestcolleges.com/resources/college-planning-with-psychiatric-disabilities/>

#### **College Planning for Students with Hearing Disabilities -**

<https://www.bestcolleges.com/resources/college-planning-for-deaf-and-hard-of-hearing-students/>

#### **College Planning for Students with Learning Disabilities -**

<https://www.bestcolleges.com/resources/college-planning-with-learning-disabilities/>