

Senior Update #6



College Application Options:

Early Decision: Under this admissions program, you agree to attend this school if accepted, and you can't apply to any other college or university. It is binding. **Be careful of this option.**

Early Action: Unlike early decision, you are not bound to attend if accepted and you can apply early action to more than one university. Early deadlines.

Regular Admissions: Submit applications by a certain deadline.

Rolling Admissions: Apply at any time during their admissions period; typically, September through July.

College Information:

Costal Marine Education and Research Academy (CMERA) and Moore Marine College:

- The 2 colleges are now partnered together for a new 4-year private college experience.
- You will receive 60 days of field experience each year. For more information, go to:
www.mooremarinecollege.com

Edison State CC/Honda Internship Night 2024:

- Thursday, Dec. 12, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. at the Emerson Center, Piqua Campus
- Interested in a Manufacturing Internship at Honda? Learn more at their information night.
- To learn more, see the enclosed handout. To register, go here:
<https://www.edisonohio.edu/event/2024-12/honda-internship-night>

Oberlin Midwest Merit Scholarship:

- Oberlin will recognize the top academic and music students from our region by granting \$100,000 to all admitted students from Ohio and several other midwestern states.
- Receive \$25,000 per year. For more details, go to:
<https://www.oberlin.edu/admissions-and-aid/financial-aid/midwest-merit-scholarship>

The Ohio State University at Lima Information:

- Apply in October for FREE at
<https://lima.osu.edu/future-students/apply>
- For financial aid information go to:
<https://lima.osu.edu/future-students/financial-aid>
- For the FAFSA, use code 003090
- To visit campus, go to: <https://lima.osu.edu/future-students/visit>

University of Cincinnati First-Gen Campus Visit Day:

- For seniors who are the first to go to college in their family.
- Monday, Nov. 4, 2024 from 9 – 12:30 p.m.
- Visit will include resources and information for first-generation college students and families.
- Register at:
<https://admissions.catalyst.uc.edu/register/?id=dccb9081-89f1-44e0-80ab-dee84462f702>

University of Cincinnati Free Application Days:

- Students applying to the UC Uptown Campus via the Common App must select "Free Application Days November 1-14" in the fee waiver section.

University of Cincinnati Men in Nursing Day:

- Opportunity to tour the nursing building and meet male UC nursing alumni, students and faculty.
- Monday, Nov. 4th, from 11 – 2:00 p.m.
- Register at:
<https://admissions.catalyst.uc.edu/register/mind>

College Fairs:

Common Application

One application used at several colleges across the US. Go to:
www.commonapp.org

- Information can be found in your handouts from our 1st senior/parent meeting.

All Things Common App:

- **Great resource with helpful screenshots on each section of the Common App**
- <https://open.oregonstate.education/axscompanion/#main>

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:

Elks Most Valuable Student:

- Must be a current high school senior who will pursue a four-year degree, on a full-time basis.
- Do NOT need to be related to a member of the Elks.

- 500 four-year scholarships will be awarded ranging from \$1,000 per year to \$7,500 per year.
- Application deadline is Nov. 12, 2024 at 11:59 p.m.
- Go to:
<https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/mvs.cfm>

Employment BOOST Academic Scholarship:

- Open to HS seniors and 2 and 4-year college students with a 3.6 or higher GPA who are pursuing any major.
- 1 scholarship will be given to a student pursuing any major and a 2nd one will be given to a student pursuing a business or STEM related major.
- Deadlines are accepted year-round on a rolling basis.
- Award is \$1,000. For more info and to apply, go to:
<https://employmentboost.com/scholarship/>

Innovation in Education Scholarship:

- Open to HS seniors and college students who have designed an innovative project that makes a difference in the lives of others.
- Must have a minimum GPA of a 3.0.
- The award is \$500 and repeats monthly.
- Deadline is the 20th of each month.
- To apply, go to:
<https://www.latutors123.com/scholarships/innovation-in-education/>

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.
- There is a registration fee.
- Let Mrs. Kohler know you have registered as she needs to send your transcript.
- Their ACT/SAT code is 9999.

NCAA Webinar for Student Athletes:

- **Sunday, Nov. 3, 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.**
- Join the NCAA Eligibility Center staff for a walk through of the Div. I, II or III level process. They will answer questions live during the presentation.
- To register, use the QR code on the handout from update #4.

NAIA Eligibility Center:

- To participate in athletics at an NAIA school you must register at: www.playnaia.org
- Please let Mrs. Kohler know if you apply so she can send in your transcript.
- Their ACT/SAT code is 9876.
- There is a registration fee.

ACT/SAT Information:

<u>Registration:</u>	<u>Test Date:</u>
Fri., Nov. 8	Sat., Dec. 14
Fri., Jan. 3	Sat., Feb. 8
Fri., Feb. 28	Sat., Apr. 5
Fri., May 9	Sat., June 14
Fri. June 6	Sat., July 12

To register, go to: www.actstudent.org

- Cost is \$69.00
 - o With writing: \$94
- If you have not taken the ACT and plan to apply to college, you need to do so ASAP!

SAT Information: Go to: www.collegeboard.com

ACT Prep at Fort Loramie H.S.

- Preparing for the Junior ACT test in February
- Sunday, Feb. 9th: 12 – 6:00 p.m. Science/Math
- Sunday, Feb. 16th: 12 – 6:00 p.m. Reading/English
- Registration fee is \$100 for all 4 sessions, or \$30 each. See registration form in the handouts.

ACT Prep at Miami County YMCA:

- For the February National test date and the Junior ACT test in February.
- Saturday, Jan. 18th: 9:00 – 3:30 p.m. Science/Math
- Monday, Jan. 20th: 9:00 – 3:30 p.m. Reading/English
- Registration fee is \$100 for all 4 sessions, or \$30 each. See registration form in the handouts

Military Information:

Selective Service:

- All 18 years and older men must register within 30 days of your 18th birthday.
- To register go to: www.sss.gov.

Air National Guard:

- Montgomery GI Bill is available to each member.
- Benefits include: salary, health and life insurance, retirement, and travel.
- www.airforce.com.

Career Information:

GROB Apprenticeship Program:

- GROB in Bluffton, Ohio is now accepting applications for their 2025 apprenticeship class.
- They are looking for high school seniors interested in an associate's degree in Engineering Technology.
- The program is an earn-while-you-learn model where students are paid full-time and receive on-the-job training at GROB while also earning a company-paid Associates degree in Engineering Tech through Rhodes State College in Lima, Ohio.

- For more information and to apply online, go to: <https://careers.grobgroup.com/GROBSystems/go/Apprenticeship/9066955>
- Deadline to apply is March 30th, however they review applications on a rolling basis, so the sooner you apply, the better.

Workforce Partnership of Shelby County:

- Kelly Edwards spoke with you at our Senior Parent Meeting. She can help you get a full-time position here in Shelby County after graduation or summer employment. If you would like to meet with her, please let Mrs. Kohler know ASAP.

ODOT:

- To apply, go to: <http://careers.ohio.gov/>
- Search by agency, which is District 7.

Miscellaneous Information:

Personal Finance CTag College Credit:

- If you have taken Personal Finance you can apply for CTag credit (college credit) this spring with Mrs. Kipker. Please see her for more information.

Reminders from past updates:

2025 NHS Scholarship:

- Program will distribute \$2 million to 600 students nationwide with a prize of up to \$25,000.
- 3 steps to apply: 1. Create an account; 2. Get Verified; and 3. Complete and Submit your application.
- Submission deadline is Nov. 26, 2024 at 5:00 p.m.
- Must be a high school senior in good standing in the NHS (verified by the NHS chapter advisor), and plan to pursue a degree at an accredited US college/university.
- To apply and for information, go to: <https://www.nationalhonorsociety.org/>

Acker Warren Fresh Start Scholarship:

- Scholarship provides financial support to those students who dedicate their time to youth services, mentorships, and other related activities. For example, Big Brothers/Big Sisters.
- Two \$1,000 awards will be given.
- **Deadline to apply is Nov. 6, 2024.**
- For more info and to apply, go to: <https://www.ackerwarren.com/scholarship>

AIAA Lockheed Martin Marillyn Hewson Scholarship:

- Must be a female high school senior intending to pursue an aerospace STEM major in one of the following areas: Computer Engineering, Computer Science, Electrical Engineering, Industrial

Engineering, Mathematics, Mechanical Engineering, or Physics.

- Must demonstrate financial need and have at least a 2.5 GPA.
- 2 - \$10,000 awards will be given.
- Deadline to apply is Dec. 31, 2024.
- To apply, go to: <https://www.aiaa.org/get-involved/k-12-students/scholarships/aiaa-lockheed-martin-marillyn-hewson-scholarship>

Burger King Foundation Scholarship:

- The BK Scholars Program honors deserving high school seniors and Burger King employees (and families) with scholarships ranging from \$1,000 - \$60,000.
- Criteria include: GPA, work experience, extracurricular activities, financial need and community service.
- Applications are now open and will close on Dec. 16, 2024. To apply, go to: <https://burgerking.scholarsapply.org/>

Easterday Poetry Scholarship:

- \$500 scholarship for an unpublished poem.
- Deadline is quarterly, Dec. 31st, March 31st, and June 30th.
- One entry per person. For more info, go to: <https://www.highschoolpoetrycontest.com/to-enter.html>

Elevate Mental Health Awareness Scholarship:

- Open to students of any age and educational level who have been personally impacted by the challenge of mental health or know someone who has.
- Award is \$500. Deadline is Nov. 30, 2024.
- Go to: <https://bold.org/scholarships/elevate-mental-health-awareness-scholarship/>

Elevate Women in Technology Scholarship:

- Open to women of any educational level who aspire to work with or in technology fields.
- Award is \$1,000.
- Deadline to apply is Nov. 30, 2024.
- <https://bold.org/scholarships/elevate-women-in-technology-scholarship/>

Extreme Terrain Scholarship:

- Scholarship is open to high school seniors planning to pursue environmental studies, ecology, earth and atmospheric science, etc.
- Deadline to apply is June 15th.
- Award is \$2,500. For more information and to apply, go to: <https://www.extremeterrain.com/scholarships.html>

Fastweb.com Scholarship Search Engine:

- Free scholarship search engine. www.fastweb.com

Jack Kent Cooke Foundation Award:

- **Arts Awards:**
- To learn more about the program and to apply, go to: <https://fromthetop.org/about-us/awards/jack-kent-cooke-young-artist-award/>
- **Deadline is Nov. 15, 2024.**
- **Academic Achievement:**
- To learn more, go to: <https://www.jkcf.org/our-scholarships/college-scholarship-program/how-to-apply/>

Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarships:

- Must be a high school minority senior who has an excellent academic record, evidence of financial need, and have a good record of school and community service.
- 50 - \$30,000 awards will be given.
- Deadline is Jan. 9, 2025.
- To apply and to get more information, go to: <https://jackierobinson.org/apply/>

McDaniel College Educator's Legacy Scholarship:

- If you qualify, apply to the university first (<https://www.mcdaniel.edu/admissions-cost/undergraduate-admissions>) and be admitted, then you will fill out the scholarship application at: www.mcdaniel.edu/EduLegacyScholarship

McDonald's Tuition Assistance- Archways to Opportunity:

- For more information about the program and to request financial assistance, go to: https://www.archwaystoopportunity.com/tuition_assistance.html

Marching Band Scholarships:

- To get more info and to apply, go to:
- <https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/16824/marching-band-scholarships>

Military Child of the Year Award:

- Award recognizes young people ages 13 to 18 who are legal military dependents.
- For more information and to apply, go to: <https://operationhomefront.org/military-child-of-the-year/>
- Deadline is Dec. 2, 2024.

Ohio Living Dorothy Love VolunTeen Scholarship:

- Applications for the scholarship will be available in Feb. for Volunteers.
- To Volunteer, call Tara Schulze at: 937-497-6529 or email her at: tschulze@ohioliving.org

Scholarship for Tomorrow's Entrepreneur – GreenPal Small Business Owner Scholarship:

- **Deadline to apply is Nov 15, 2024.**
- For more info and to apply, go to: <https://www.yourgreenpal.com/scholarship>

The Eugene McDermott Scholars Program at UT, Dallas:

- Must first submit an application to the University of Texas at Dallas, then complete the McDermott application.
- Deadline for application is Dec. 1, 2024.
- Learn more at: <https://provost.utdallas.edu/mcdermott-programs/emsp-overview/>