

October 2020 Newsletter

IMPORTANT SCHOOL DATES (SEMESTER I):

- 🐾 OCTOBER 9: REMOTE PLANNING DAY (NO STUDENTS)
- 🐾 OCTOBER 12: NO SCHOOL; COLUMBUS DAY
- 🐾 OCTOBER 29: PSAT/NMSQT (REGISTERED STUDENTS)
- 🐾 NOVEMBER 3: NO SCHOOL; ELECTION DAY
- 🐾 NOVEMBER 11: NO SCHOOL; VETERANS DAY
- 🐾 NOVEMBER 23-27: NO SCHOOL; FALL BREAK
- 🐾 DECEMBER 18: END OF 1ST SEMESTER (NO STUDENTS)
- 🐾 DECEMBER 21- JANUARY 1: NO SCHOOL; HOLIDAY BREAK
- 🐾 JANUARY 4: SCHOOL RESUMES; HALF-DAY



UPCOMING COLLEGE/CAREER VISITS AT CCHS:

**** SIGN UP IN [NAVIANCE](#) **** THE LIST IS UPDATED DAILY, SO CHECK OFTEN!

DIRECTIONS: STUDENT / 62902 / CCHS / STUDENT / CLEVER / CARBONDALE
COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL / LOG IN WITH GOOGLE / USE YOUR SCHOOL EMAIL &
PASSWORD



COLLEGE	DATE	TIME
☆ UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI-ST LOUIS	FRI OCTOBER 2, 2020	9:05 AM
☆ UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA-LINCOLN	FRI OCTOBER 2, 2020	9:50 AM
☆ MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY	FRI OCTOBER 2, 2020	10:35 AM
☆ BELOIT COLLEGE	FRI OCTOBER 2, 2020	12:05 PM
☆ WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY IN ST LOUIS	MON OCTOBER 5, 2020	9:05 AM
☆ SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY-CARBONDALE	MON OCTOBER 5, 2020	10:35 AM
☆ MONMOUTH COLLEGE	THU OCTOBER 8, 2020	8:20 AM
☆ KENYON COLLEGE	THU OCTOBER 8, 2020	9:50 AM
☆ SOUTHEAST MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY	THU OCTOBER 8, 2020	10:35 AM
☆ MCKENDREE UNIVERSITY	THU OCTOBER 8, 2020	2:00 PM
☆ UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA IN HUNTSVILLE	TUE OCTOBER 13, 2020	12:05 PM
☆ SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY EDWARDSVILLE	TUE OCTOBER 13, 2020	1:00 PM
☆ UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH ALABAMA	THU OCTOBER 15, 2020	9:05 AM
☆ HAMPSHIRE COLLEGE	THU OCTOBER 15, 2020	10:35 AM
☆ BRANDEIS UNIVERSITY	THU OCTOBER 15, 2020	11:20 AM
☆ UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS	FRI OCTOBER 16, 2020	9:50 AM

☆ IOWA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY	FRI OCTOBER 16, 2020	10:35 AM
☆ TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY-COLLEGE STATION	TUE OCTOBER 20, 2020	12:05 PM
☆ EUREKA COLLEGE	TUE OCTOBER 20, 2020	1:00 PM
☆ UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS	THU OCTOBER 22, 2020	9:50 AM
☆ UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI-MAIN CAMPUS	MON NOVEMBER 9, 2020	10:35 AM
☆ LINDENWOOD UNIVERSITY	MON NOVEMBER 16, 2020	2:00 PM

GPA & SAT GOALS:

Please Fill out [this form](#) now if you haven't already. Ask your student about their goals and their plans to reach their goals!

** GPA is one highly noted indicator linked to postsecondary success in addition to attendance and test scores. **



IF YOU ARE REGISTERED TO TAKE THE PSAT/NMSQT ON OCTOBER 29 [click here](#) for more information.



MINUTE MEETING SURVEY

Please complete Ms. Murphy's quick [minute meeting survey](#) today if you haven't already! This survey will help us learn about your ideas, goals and questions related to life after high school. This way we can better support your planning and progress.

UPCOMING QUARTER 2 VISITS

Mrs. Krutsinger and Mrs. Murphy will be visiting students in their English 3 classes in the 2nd quarter to explore college options and create plans for post-secondary endeavors. The goal is for EVERY STUDENT to have AT LEAST THREE COLLEGES he/she plans to apply OR POST-SECONDARY OPTIONS by the END OF JUNIOR YEAR.

How can you help at home?

- o Have conversations with your student about his/her plans; provide support and encourage exploration. Support student's interests, skills, and values as they explore—making sure the

goals & personality of the student are well matched with those of the college; this helps in finding the right fit for college.

- o Encourage your student to sign up for college visits, fairs, etc.
- o Be aware of college admissions requirements (HS courses, GPA, SAT scores).
- o Help your student stay organized (follow College Planning: 11th Grade handout provided in students' red folder) and set goals for the year.
- o Urge your student to study for the SAT in April (utilize Naviance, College Board, & Khan Academy).
- o Search together colleges that meet your child's needs (check out this website).

OTHER WAYS TO STAY IN THE LOOP JUNIOR YEAR

1. VIRTUAL OFFICE: [Check it out](#) for useful links and important junior information.
2. GOOGLE CLASSROOM: Mrs. Murphy's classroom has college, career, and other updates added all of the time. [Be sure to check often!](#)
3. WEBSITE: Another great way to stay in the loop is to follow my webpage, visit: CCHS Website/Students & Parents/[Class of 2022](#)
4. NEWSLETTERS: sent to students & parents via email. Please be sure that the email you have on the Parent Portal is up-to-date and accurate in order to receive these updates.