



College Corner

**Warrior Newsletter
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IMPORTANT DATES

12/12—12/15: Mid-Terms; Dismissal @ 10:15am

12/18—1/2: Winter Break

1/3: 2nd Semester Begins

WHAT SHOULD I BE DOING?

- Seniors**
- Complete Financial Aid Application. (www.fafsa.ed.gov)
 - Verify college applications and scholarship deadlines.
 - Ask Academy Counselor to send transcripts to your college of choice. Be mindful, you are responsible for sending ACT/SAT scores.
 - Visit room 106 during One Lunch. School Counselors and Ms. Jordan are always available to assist with college questions and anything related to your success after high school.
 - We understand this can be an overwhelming process. We are here to help!
- Junior**
- Request a transcript review with your Academy Counselor. Maintain a 3.0 GPA!
 - Continue to prepare for the upcoming ACT in the spring. Your goal should be a 21 or higher!
 - Prepare for mid-terms.
- Sophomores**
- Stay on track with your grades..
 - Determine careers that interest you.
 - Study for mid-terms.
 - Focus on ways to improve your GPA!
- Freshmen**
- Continue working with your counselor Ms. Morales. She is here to help!
 - Study and Prepare for mid-terms.
 - Work with teachers regarding any missing assignments. At the end of this semester you will be gaining your first high school credits. Start off strong!

COUNSELORS

Academy of Health & Human Services
International Baccalaureate
Sharika Starks

Griffin Academy of Design & Technology
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College Counselor
Ms. Jordan

Academy of Marketing and Business
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Pamela Williams

Freshmen Academy
Alejandra Morales

School Counselor
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TESTS

• ACT- Test Date	Sign up Deadline
Dec. 9	Nov. 3
Feb. 10	Jan. 12
April 14	March 9

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APPLICATION TYPES

When applying to colleges you will experience a whole new vocabulary and that is just the application types. To help you out here are the definitions of these application types.

Rolling Admissions: No real due date, however scholarships and enrollment in popular programs are usually granted to first come first serve.

Regular Admissions: Due date for most first time freshmen to submit completed application. Almost always associated with school based scholarships.

Early Action: Due date for applications for which you will hear back by the end of February. These applications are non-binding, meaning you can still decide to go somewhere else for college.

Early Decision: Due date for applications to schools that you will definitely go to if you are accepted. These are binding, meaning that if you are accepted you must attend the school or pay a fee. Please review the Early Decision conditions if you are considering doing this type of application.

TN PROMISE

Beginning with the Class of 2014, Tennessee Promise has provided Tennessee high school graduates the opportunity to attend a community or technical college **free of tuition and fees**. TN Promise is available to all students who graduate from a TN High School and complete all requirements of the program each year.

THE WARRIOR VISION

THE FACULTY, STAFF, AND STUDENTS OF HUNTERS LANE HIGH SCHOOL WILL PROVIDE A NURTURING ENVIRONMENT WHERE GROWTH AND RESPONSIBILITY ARE VALUED, AND ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE IS A DAILY PURSUIT.

HELPFUL WEBSITES FOR COLLEGE AND SCHOLARSHIPS

This year we are featuring our own College & Career Website for more up to date information about College Visits, Scholarship Opportunities, & Transcript Requests. Please check it out at:

www.HLCollegeReady.weebly.com

Other sites that are useful in your college planning are:

www.CollegeforTN.org

www.Fasfa.ed.gov

www.Petersons.com

www.TNPromise.gov

www.Fastweb.com

www.NashvilleScholarships.com

www.TNTransferPathway.org

www.CollegeData.com

www.BigFuture.CollegeBoard.com

www.Finanaid.com

www.eCampusTours.com

www.WiredScholarships.com

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