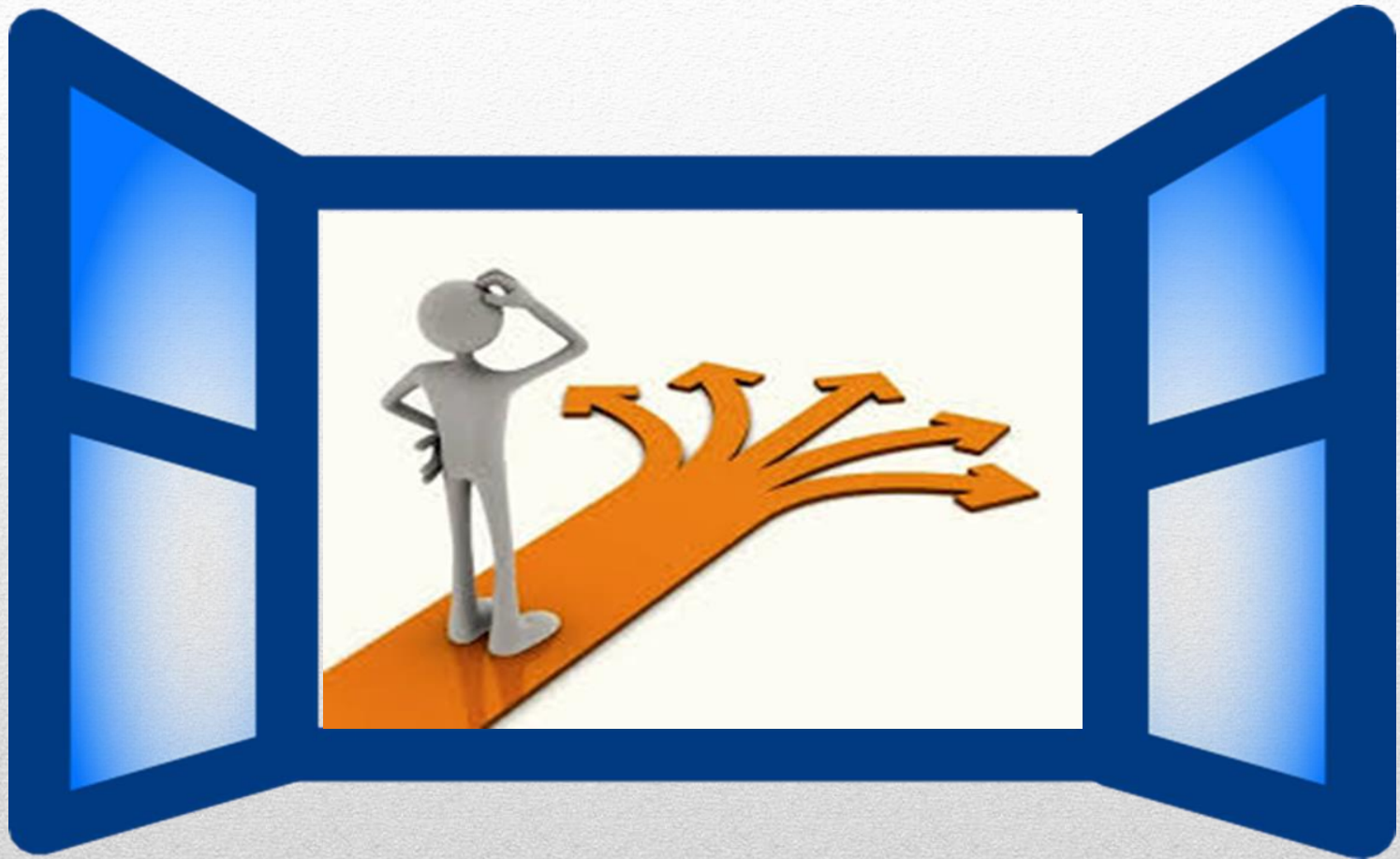




Senior Class Parent Meeting

A Snapshot of the Year



Senior Parents...

A year of transitions...

- “Am I ready for life after high school?”
- “I want the easiest schedule possible; it doesn’t matter anyway.”
- “I don’t really know what I want to do with my life but everyone else seems to have it figured out.”

Senior Parents...



- Senior Year **COUNTS!**

Finish Strong!!

Senior Parents...

Senior Project...

- Proposal, mentor agreement and parent form due **October 11**
 - Checkpoint #1 is **January 17**
 - Checkpoint #2 is **February 21**
 - Checkpoint #3 is **March 28**
 - Completed project is due **April 25**
 - E-Portfolio due **May 23**
 - Senior Boards- **June 4, 5, 6**

Senior Parents...

- **On Target Tuesdays**
- **National College Fair- October 28th in *Portland***
 - Register at:
<https://www.gotomyncf.com/Registration/EventSelectForState?stateName=oregon>
- **College and Career Options Event- February 6 @ CHS**
 - Fair begins at 5:30; Workshops begin at 6:00

Senior Parents...

- Managing deadlines- application, scholarships, housing, etc.
- Letters of recommendation
- SAT & SAT Subject Tests- www.collegeboard.com
ACT- www.act.org
- Official vs. Unofficial Transcripts- order online through CSD website
www.camas.wednet.edu
- Apprenticeships
<http://www.lni.wa.gov/TradesLicensing/Apprenticeship/>

Senior Parents...



- ROTC Scholarships
- Military Academies- October 6- 10:00-Noon. RSVP's are needed cory.doane@mail.house.gov
- Military recruiters
- ASVAB- career interest and aptitude exam- October 19; register in Career Center

Senior Parents...

- Gap Year Opportunities:

- ✓ National Security Language Initiative for Youth- sponsored by the U.S. Department of State, provides merit based scholarships for US students to study and serve abroad

www.NSLIforYouth.org

- ✓ U.S. Department of State- large database to study and serve abroad

<http://exchanges.state.gov>

Senior Parents...

- NCAA Clearinghouse & transcript

http://web3.ncaa.org/ECWR2/NCAA_EMS/NCAA.jsp

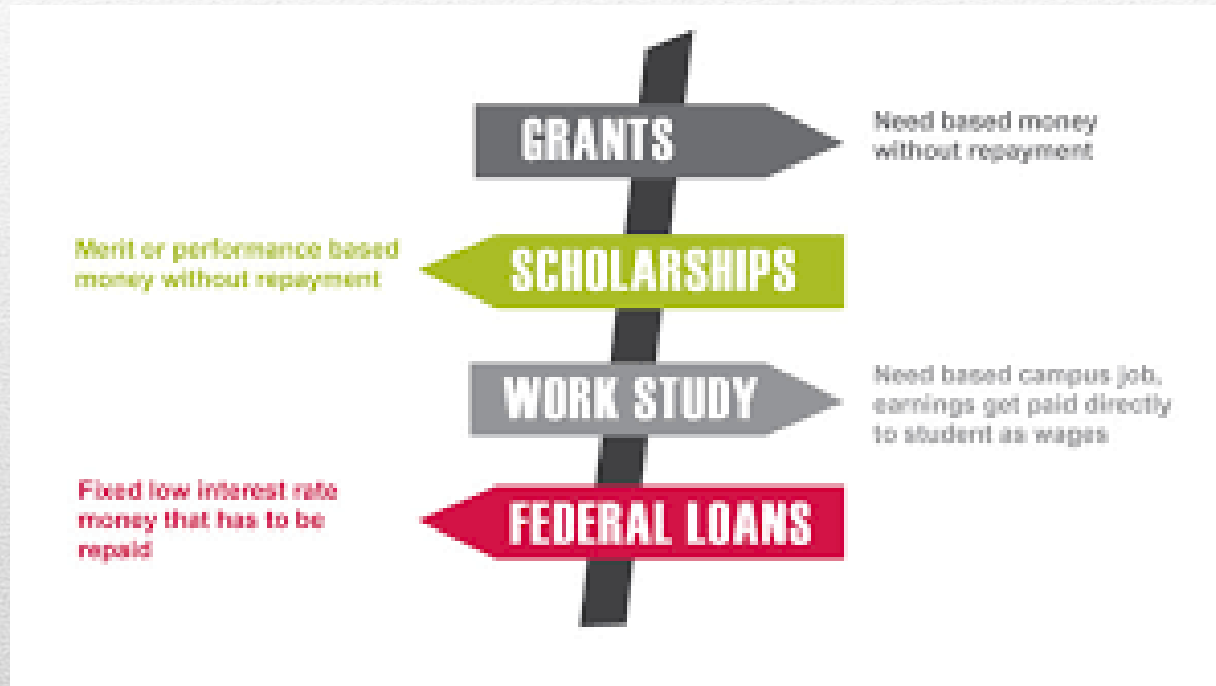
- College coaches

- College offers- questions to ask

- ✓ Year-round or only during season?
- ✓ Injury- now what?
- ✓ Amount fixed or flexible?
- ✓ All costs or only tuition
- ✓ Is there a campus work-study component assigned as well?

Senior Parents...

Financial Aid



Senior Parents...

FAFSA vs. WASFA

❖ FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)- completed by US Citizens and legal residents only

➤ <https://fafsa.ed.gov>

❖ WASFA (Washington Application for State Financial Aid)- completed by non US Citizens with no SS ID#, must be WA Resident for 3+ years and plan to attend college in WA

➤ www.readysetgrad.org/

Senior Parents...

- **FAFSA**- <https://fafsa.ed.gov> (October 1-31)

Using 2017 tax info

- **FAFSA ID**- replaces “PIN”



Senior Parents...

Why should I fill out the FAFSA?

- ✓ It only takes approximately 60 minutes
- ✓ You do not have to accept the financial aid package offered but if family circumstances change, you will have access to funds
- ✓ Some merit based, institutional scholarships (grade based- not income based) will only be offered to students with completed FAFSAs



Senior Parents...



**YOU CAN'T GET FINANCIAL AID
IF YOU DON'T APPLY.**

**FIND CASH FOR COLLEGE.
GET FREE ON-SITE HELP
FILING A FAFSA OR WASFA.**

COLLEGE GOAL WASHINGTON

WSU Vancouver Campus

October 2, 10, 18, 24 and 30-~5-7 p.m.

www.vancouver.wsu.edu/cgw

Senior Parents...

Resources for Funding Your Education

- A-Z Paying for College- WSU-V Dengerink Hall, room 110

- 6 – 7 p.m. Monday, Oct. 15
- 7:30 – 8:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 8
- Noon – 1 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 8*

□ <https://studentaffairs.vancouver.wsu.edu/financial-aid>

All the ways to pay for college
—grants, loans, savings, scholarships, work
Which money is free and which must be paid back
Scholarship strategies

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Scholarships

Sept.- Dec. 2015 / January 2016 / February 2016
 March 2016 / April 2016 / May/June 2016

Calendar

September 2015

M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5
7	8	9	10	11	12
14	15	16	17	18	19
21	22	23	24	25	26
28	29	30			

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Programs

- Career Cruising
- Workforce Explorer
- Onet Online

DEADLINE	SCHOLARSHIP	CRITERIA & DEADLINE
9/15/15	Wheel Chair Scholarship Fund	3.0 GPA, Juniors and Seniors, Write an essay about overcoming obstacles

Financial Award Letters can consist of grants, loans, scholarships & work study

- Is this institutional aid guaranteed for all four years?
 - Will the amount change from year to year?
 - Are there any renewal requirements?
- If you change your major, will you lose the scholarship?
- Will outside/private scholarships effect this aid amount?

Senior Parents...



Senior Parents...



Senior Transitions...

Comfort...

- familiar living situation
 - familiar people
 - familiar surroundings
 - familiar food
 - familiar sleeping pattern
- limited freedom & responsibility

Senior Transitions...

Recommended Topics of Discussion

- ✓ Car expenses- gas, insurance, maintenance
 - ✓ Phone bill
- ✓ Logistics of doing laundry
 - ✓ Medical & insurance
 - ✓ Social events
- ✓ Books/school supplies

Senior Transitions...

Recommended Topics of Discussion

- ✓ How to address a boss, military superior and professor
 - ✓ Share how to manage deadlines and multi-tasking
 - ✓ The principles of budgeting and banking
 - ✓ How to self advocate
 - ✓ Allowance
 - ✓ Clothing budget

Senior Transitions...



- Kirin Casteel- last names A-Com
- Bre-Ann Richardson- Con-Gn
- Leontina Liebe- Go-Jo plus all MST Magnet
 - Miranda Lincoln- Jp-Mc
- Elizabeth Rollman- Md-On plus all IAA
 - Sarah Warta-Oo-Sl
 - Brian Witherspoon- Sm-Z

Senior Parents...