

# COLLEGE / CAREER UPDATE

10 HILLSIDE ROAD

GREENWICH CT 06830

## COLLEGE VISITS

Monday, Oct. 29	9:30	American University, DC
Monday, Oct. 29	10:26	Norwalk Community College, CT
Monday, Oct. 29	11:30	Bay Path University, MA
Monday, Oct. 29	1:52	Saint Joseph's College, ME
Tuesday, Oct. 30	9:28	Sacred Heart University, CT
Tuesday, Oct. 30	11:30	Iona College, NY
Tuesday, Oct. 30	12:54	Monmouth University, NJ
Tuesday, Oct. 30	1:52	Stonehill College, MA
Wednesday, Oct. 31	8:30	Saint Michael's College, VT
Wednesday, Oct. 31	9:28	Gettysburg College, PA
Wednesday, Oct. 31	10:26	University of Pittsburgh, PA
Wednesday, Oct. 31	11:30	Washington & Jefferson College
Wednesday, Oct. 31	1:52	Becker College, MA
Thursday, Nov. 1	9:28	University of New Haven, CT
Thursday, Nov. 1	1:52	SUNY Westchester Community College, NY
Friday, Nov. 2	8:30	College of Mount Saint Vincent, NY
Monday, Nov. 5	8:30	Husson University, ME
Monday, Nov. 5	9:28	SUNY Oneonta, NY
Wednesday, Nov. 7	1:52	Assumption College, MA
Thursday, Nov. 8	11:30	Georgian Court University, NJ
Thursday, Nov. 8	12:54	Rhode Island School of Design
Thursday, Nov. 8	1:52	School of the Art Institute of Chicago*
		<b>Art Room 717</b>
Friday, Nov. 9	10:26	Bryant University, RI
Friday, Nov. 9	12:54	University of Minnesota, Twin Cities
Monday, Nov. 12	9:28	Lynn University, FL
Tuesday, Nov. 13	8:30	University of New England, ME
Tuesday, Nov. 13	11:30	The University of Alabama
Wednesday, Nov. 14	11:30	Rochester Institute of Technology, NY
Thursday, Nov. 15	11:30	New Jersey Institute of Technology
Tuesday, Dec. 4	11:24	Hartford Art School* <b>Art Room 718</b>
Tuesday, Dec. 4	12:54	Hartford Art School* <b>Art Room 718</b>

**Most Visits will be held in the Career Center**

**\* Visits Will Be Held in the Art Wing**

\* Please check Naviance regularly for the most up-to-date list of college visits. Under "Colleges" see "Visit Schedule".

\*\*Visits with college reps in the College and Career Center (for seniors and juniors) are No Fault – they do not count toward the loss of credit limit. However, seniors and juniors must get permission from their teacher in advance of the visit in order to receive a no fault absence. In addition, juniors must also get permission and a pass from their school counselor, and will be limited to two passes for the school year. All college rep visits are posted on Naviance, so students can plan visits and obtain necessary permissions in a timely manner. Sophomores are encouraged to visit the College and Career Center, but only during their opens. They will not be granted permission to miss class.

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## OPEN HOUSES:

**Western New England University, MA** – Sunday, Nov. 4 and Saturday, Dec. 1. Visit <https://www1.wne.edu/become-a-student/visit/> or call 413-782-1321

**Greenwich Scholarship Association - GSA** is a non-profit organization that awards *need-based scholarships* from local sponsor organizations and families to students who reside in Greenwich or attend Greenwich High School who have demonstrated financial need. Awards for qualified applicants range from \$500 to multiple combined awards up to \$10,000 and are paid directly to the college or university for tuition, room, board and mandatory fees. **DEMONSTRATED FINANCIAL NEED IS A PREREQUISITE FOR CONSIDERATION OF ANY SCHOLARSHIP THROUGH GSA.** Financial need means that a student's combined financial resources (including income and savings) together with their financial package (grants, scholarships, work study and subsidized loans) from their chosen school will not cover the cost of their college or university. ***The online application will be available November 15, 2018 and the deadline for submission of ALL material is March 10, 2019 (no exceptions will be made to this deadline).*** Application to GSA includes: submission of the **online application** found at [www.greenwichscholarship.org](http://www.greenwichscholarship.org), as well as submission of the **Student Aid Report (SAR)** which is generated when the FAFSA is completed. Applicants who do not meet the financial criteria will be notified in early April. All accepted applicants must attend an **interview** with GSA at GHS on **Wednesday May 1, 2019**. Students also **MUST** submit financial aid packages from their intended school before matching with scholarship funds can be completed. For additional information, please visit our website at [www.greenwichscholarship.org](http://www.greenwichscholarship.org). Questions? [studentgsa@gmail.com](mailto:studentgsa@gmail.com).

## OTHER INFORMATION:

**Foundation for Individual Right in Education (FIRE)** – Is holding an Essay Contest for high school juniors and seniors. To enter, students must submit an essay between 800 and 1,000 words on the topic “Free Speech”. The prizes are \$10,000 for First Place, \$5,000 for Second Prize and three \$1,000 Runner Up Prizes. **Deadline is December 31, 2018.** Enter at: <https://www.thefire.org/k12/essay-contest/>

**The New School – Parsons, NYC** – Is offering a Portfolio Review Opportunity, which allows students to seek individualized feedback on the admission portfolio. No appointment is needed to visit the campus for a portfolio review. Students are seen on a first come, first served basis. Be sure to check <https://www.newschool.edu/> for holidays and weather closures. 72 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, NY (Corner of 5<sup>th</sup> Ave & 13<sup>th</sup> St.), Monday, thru Friday 4:00 – 5:00 pm.

**College Goal Sunday at Norwalk Community College** – On Sunday, Nov. 11, from 1:00 – 4:00 pm

College Goal Sunday event participants will receive free, hands-on assistance in completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) walking away with the satisfaction of knowing they have accomplished one of the biggest steps in getting ready to go to college

Register at: <https://cgs.norwalk.edu/>

Please bring the following:

- Social Security Number
- Driver’s license (if any)
- Documentation that you are a U.S. citizen, Permanent Resident, or other Eligible Non-citizen
- 2017 Federal Income Tax Return - 1040, 1040A, or 1040EZ.
- All 2017 W2 forms
- FSA ID for student and parent can be obtained at <https://fsaid.ed.gov>

## INTERVIEW WORKSHOP FOR SENIORS

November 5th at 7:45 am  
College and Career Center

Learn valuable tips on interviewing from an experienced local alumni interviewer!

## DATES TO REMEMBER

Nov. 2	Deadline to Register for 12/1 SAT
Nov. 3	SAT
Nov. 6	<b>Election Day – School Closed</b>
Nov. 10	Free ACT Practice Test at GHS
<b>Nov. 21</b>	<b>Early Release</b>
<b>Nov. 22-23</b>	<b>Thanksgiving Recess – School Closed</b>
Dec. 1	SAT
Dec. 4	Hispanic Parent Meeting – Media 7:00pm
Dec. 20	Alumni Return Day
<b>Dec. 24 – Jan 1</b>	<b>Holiday Recess – School Closed</b>