

COLLEGE / CAREER UPDATE

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COLLEGE VISITS

NOVEMBER 16, 2018

Monday, Nov. 191:52SUNY at Purchase College, NY
 Tuesday, Nov. 208:30Saint Leo University, FL
 Tuesday, Nov. 2011:30West Point Military Academy
 Tuesday, Nov. 202:30U. S. Naval Academy
 Tuesday, Dec. 411:24Hartford Art School* **Art Room 718**
 Tuesday, Dec. 412:54Hartford Art School* **Art Room 718**

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.**

Eastern CT State University

Will be offering interviews at GHS during the school day on November 28.

If you are applying to Eastern CT State, we encourage you to sign up for a short interview with the admissions counselor.

Sign up for a time slot in the college and career center! Spaces are limited.

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, 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. Questions? studentgsa@gmail.com.

SCHOLARSHIPS:

College Board Opportunity Scholarships - These scholarships are not merit-based. They will be awarded to students for completing key steps that research shows increase college participation, such as completing a FAFSA form, compiling a college list, participating in Khan Academy, and more, beginning with the class of 2020. No application is necessary, and [students can sign up](#) to get information via text about the scholarship.

OTHER INFORMATION:

The Boys & Girls Club of Greenwich – Is hosting a College Night on Tuesday, December 18 at 6:30 for graduating seniors. Please RSVP to Don Palmer (dpalmer@bgcg.org) or Ryan Accurso (raccurso@bgcg.org)
By **Thursday, December 13.**

The Boys & Girls Club of Greenwich also has a Scholarship available at <http://bgcg.org/college-scholarship-2/>. A requirement to apply is that students must have been a member of the Boys & Girls Club for two years.



DATES TO REMEMBER

Nov. 21	Early Release
Nov. 22-23	Thanksgiving Recess – School Closed
Dec. 1	SAT
Dec. 4	Hispanic Parent Meeting – Media 7:00pm
Dec. 20	Alumni Return Day
Dec. 24 – Jan 1	Holiday Recess – School Closed
Jan. 3, 8 & 9	College Kickoff – 7pm PAC
Jan. 7 – 25	AP Exam Registration
Jan. 14	Financial Aid Presentation – 7pm Media
Jan. 21	MLK, Jr. Day – School Closed
Jan. 30	Professional Learning – School Closed