



# CCHS COLLEGE CONNECTION

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**Senior Edition | February 5, 2025**

## **Bright Futures Scholarship Reminders**

Are you planning to earn the Bright Futures scholarship? Double check to make sure you've accomplished all of your student responsibilities:

1. Completed the FFAA- [ACCESS THE FFAA HERE](#).
2. Have sent your most up-to-date SAT/ACT scores to a Florida PUBLIC university. (Even if you plan on attending a Florida PRIVATE university, you must send your scores to one of the 12 Florida Public universities, so they are entered into the Florida repository of scores)
  - a. Scores will be accepted until August 31, 2025.
3. Logged 75-100 hours of community service with CCHS.
4. Committed to finishing your final semester with the best grades possible to obtain the GPA requirements for the scholarship.

[Bright Futures Scholarship Qualifying Criteria](#)

## **\$\$ FAFSA is Now Open \$\$**

The FAFSA is now open! Please refer to the email from Ms. Amy Smith, sent on December 3rd for more information. [ACCESS THE FAFSA HERE](#)

## **Need Help or Experience Technical Issues?**

**Call:** 1-800-433-3243

**Email:** [studentaid@ed.gov](mailto:studentaid@ed.gov)

**NOTE: the FAFSA is a federal program, and CCHS College Counseling is unable to assist with any questions or technical issues.**

## **February Scholarship Highlights**

[CLICK HERE](#) to review information on the external scholarships due between **February and April**. Many amazing scholarship opportunities exist but you must put in the work to be considered. You have a four-day weekend ahead to work on these! :-)



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## **Receiving Acceptance Letters and Emails**

Once you've received your notification letters from your applications, it's important that you update your Naviance account with your admissions decision, so the college counselors know where to send your end-of-year information. Watch this [QUICK video](#) that shows you how.

## **Need a Mid-Year Transcript?**

Seniors, If you were waitlisted/deferred or if your college/university is requesting a mid-year transcript [CLICK HERE TO WATCH](#) a video on how to request a mid-year transcript.

## **College Representative Visits**

College representative sessions will be hosted in-person in **HS 203** at CCHS. Registration is required for these sessions which are open to students in 10th-12th grade. Register for college representative visits in **Maia Learning** (*click on the "Events" tab, then view "Visits"*). The list is updated weekly, so please check back every week for new colleges added to the visit schedule. Please reference the "College Rep Visit" attendance policy in the Parent/Student Handbook in regards to your responsibility for your class attendance.

## **Upcoming Visits:**

February 6- Palm Beach Atlantic University

February 12- Monmouth College (IL)

## **Schedule a Meeting with your College Counselor**

**Mr. Cave-** <https://calendly.com/cave-matthew> (Seniors A - G)

**Mrs. Graves-** <https://calendly.com/graves-kristin> (Seniors H - O)

**Ms. Troutman-** <https://calendly.com/troutman-dana> (Seniors P - Z)



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## **Informational Resources:**

PSAT- [CLICK HERE](#)

ACT, SAT and CLT Test Dates - [CLICK HERE](#)

ACT/SAT Tutoring- [CLICK HERE](#)

Desmos Digital SAT Calculator Training- [CLICK HERE](#)

Community Service- [CLICK HERE](#)

Naviance Student Log-In: [CLICK HERE](#)

\$\$Spring Scholarships\$\$: [CLICK HERE](#)

**If you have any other questions, do not hesitate to reach out to your primary college counselor.**

**-- Your CCHS College Counseling Team**



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