



# CCHS COLLEGE CONNECTION

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## **PLEASE UPDATE YOUR MAIA LEARNING with Admissions Decisions!!**

Once you've received your notification letters from your applications, it's important that you update your Maia Learning 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.

## **Seniors planning to attend St. Petersburg College**

If your college plans are to attend St. Petersburg College (SPC), then, we've got an important upcoming event that you should plan to attend! **On Monday, March 23rd**--- SPC representatives will be hosting an event at CCHS just for you: *"Next Stop, SPC!"*

This event is for students who...

### **1--- Have applied and been accepted to SPC**

if you haven't yet applied-- this is your reminder to do so NOW ([CLICK HERE](#)), so you're accepted prior to this event. (Don't forget to request your transcript in Maia to go to SPC after you've applied).

\*\* Note that if you are currently enrolled in SPC Dual Credit classes you do not have to apply now but should attend this event to do a "change of status" form.

OR

**2-- Are currently enrolled in dual credit courses through SPC** and need to complete the "Change of Status" form to change from dual credit/high school student to SPC/college student.

*\*\*If this is you, see the event registration link below to be sure you bring the proper documents with you so you can complete this form at the event!*

During the event, SPC reps will cover enrollment next steps with you, walk students through the change of status form (see registration for required forms), and *celebrate you* and your enrollment to SPC!

## **EVENT DETAILS:**

- **WHEN:** Monday, March 23, 7th & 8th periods
- **WHERE:** Cafe One:22
- Registration is required and will be pre-recorded. This is an excused absence but please don't miss class if you have a test during this event. [REGISTER HERE!!!!](#)



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## **Spring Scholarship Digest**

Spring Break is a great time to apply for scholarships! [CLICK HERE](#) to access the latest Scholarship Digest, including scholarships open between March-June.

## **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, 2026.
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**

**\*\* You can stop by the college counseling offices to pick your mid-year evaluation form for Bright Futures to assure you are on track!\*\***

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

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

Mrs. Gelbaugh- <https://calendly.com/gelbaugh-stacie> (Seniors H-O)

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

## **Informational Resources:**

ACT/SAT/CLT Information- [CLICK HERE](#)

Community Service- [CLICK HERE](#)

CCHS College Application Guidebook- [CLICK HERE](#)

CCHS Scholarship Resources- [CLICK HERE](#)

How to Excuse College Visit Days - [CLICK HERE](#)

Maia Learning Log-In- [CLICK HERE](#)

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



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**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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