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Underclassmen Edition | April 9, 2026

Course Selections Due TOMORROW

Course selection time for the 2026-27 school year closes tomorrow. **College Counseling will host one final "Drop-in" Lunch Time Course Advising session during both Lunch A & B tomorrow in Cafe One:22.** Plan to stop by if you have any final questions! Course Selections are due in FACTS/RenWeb tomorrow at 11:59PM.

You Can finalize your course selection by utilizing these resources:

1. Review Course Planning Guidelines
2. Begin building or updating your 4- Year Course Planner in Notability
3. Review the Course Description Catalog

Community Service Reminder | Graduation Requirement

It is a CCHS graduation requirement to have 100 hours of community service completed by the first day of senior year. If you have questions about earning your 100 hours of community service for graduation and the Bright Futures scholarship, **CLICK HERE** to review information from Mrs. Doucette. She can assist you with any community service related questions, doucette.bonnie@cchs.us.

Upcoming: Junior Group #4 in US History Classes

The College Counselors will meet with Juniors in their US History Classes on **Wednesday, April 29th** for their final group lesson of the year. This session will be very important, as the counselors will share important information on preparing for the college application process.

Registering for ACT and SAT

All juniors should plan to have all of their SAT/ACT retesting completed by November in preparation for the November 1 college application priority deadlines. **See the links below for more details and registration*

Sophomores on an advanced math track *(completed Alg. I, Geom., and in Alg. II or completed Alg. I, Alg. II, and are in Geom.)* should also consider testing in the summer of sophomore year.

Upcoming ACT and SAT Test Dates

ACT/SAT Tutoring/Test Prep

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Summer Enrichment Programs for High School Students

Many colleges and universities offer summer enrichment and pre-college camps and programs for underclassmen students. They have traditionally been offered in-person on the college campuses. We continue to see virtual options be available. If you are looking for summer enrichment opportunities from colleges across the US, the college counseling office maintains a database of opportunities that are advertised to us. You can access this database **HERE** or in your Maia Learning account under *Resource Documents.*

This list will continue to update throughout the spring and summer as we receive more information from colleges about summer offerings. We hope this is a helpful resource for you as you seek to build your college resume and gain valuable experiences in preparation for college.

US Service Academies' Summer Programs for Current Juniors

Students considering application to the US Service Academies should give serious thought to applying to attend their summer seminar programs for juniors entering their senior year. These programs allow you to experience the life of a cadet, on-campus and attendance will improve your chances in the Academy application process.

- US Military Academy (Army/West Point) The Summer Leaders Experience (SLE): Applications for SLE Summer 2026 will close on April 15th.

Virtual College Essay Session for Juniors

Attention juniors! Believe it or not, it's time to start working on your personal essay for your college applications! CLICK HERE to watch a recorded session regarding your personal essay.

Athletic Recruitment Information

If you are interested in being athletically recruited to play college sports, we highly encourage you to review the following resources! *These resources are also available on our CCHS website:*

Guide for the College-Bound Student-Athlete
Student-Athlete Transcript Request (return via email to Ms. Smith)
Student-Athlete Virtual Information Session (Hosted for CCHS, February 2026)
NCAA Eligibility Link
NAIA Eligibility Link

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Informational Resources:

PSAT- CLICK HERE
ACT/SAT/CLT- CLICK HERE
ACT/SAT Tutoring- CLICK HERE
Summer Enrichment - CLICK HERE
Community Service- CLICK HERE
Maia Learning Log-In- CLICK HERE
How to Excuse College Visit Days - CLICK HERE

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

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