

SCHOLARSHIPS & CAREER OPPORTUNITIES



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GRADES 11-12 (M-Z)



REMINDERS

SENIOR REMINDERS:

- Do you need to work on your applications, resumes, college essays or scholarships? Signup in guidance for one of the "Open Sessions". One period a day is devoted to seniors who need time to work on their career/college related materials.
- Type up your resume and have it ready for when you apply for jobs, college and scholarships. Your Career Cruising account has a great resume builder!
- **Apply!** Prepare your application carefully. Follow the instructions, and **PAY CLOSE ATTENTION TO DEADLINES!** Be sure to ask your counselor and teachers **at least two weeks** before your application deadlines to submit the necessary documents to colleges (your transcript, letters of recommendation, etc.).

- If you plan to take the May SAT you need to ask your guidance counselor to send out your scores to colleges you applied to (unless you had them sent directly from College Board).
- Let your guidance counselor know if you receive any scholarship money.
- Many of you have completed your FAFSA. You may have over looked the information that is required by the state of Pennsylvania in order to access PA State Grant money. GO to www.pheaa.org. In the middle of the page you will see a box with the words STATE GRANT PROGRAM, click on SECURE SIGN IN, Create an account, complete the few questions you will be asked, print out the signature page (this requires a parent signature and student signature) and send to the address on the signature page.
 - DO THIS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE SO YOU CAN ACCESS STATE GRANT MONEY!!!!
- If you want to participate in Division I or Division II sports in college, start the certification process. **NCAA** applications are available in guidance.
- Tell your guidance counselor if you apply to college online... your transcript needs to be sent out. TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS are completed online through the Western Wayne website. <http://www.westernwayne.org/parentsandstudents/guidance/hsguidance/Lists/Transcript%20Request/NewForm.aspx?source=http://www.westernwayne.org/parentsandstudents/guidance/hsguidance/Shared%20Documents/TranscriptThankYou.aspx>
 - Your first transcript is sent certified mail at no cost to you. If you need additional transcripts for other applications, you will be charged \$5.00 each. (Cash, check, or money order payable to Western Wayne School District).
- Visit the colleges you have been accepted to before you make your final decision to make sure it is the right fit!
- Accepted into a school? Have a job lined up after graduation? Joining the military? Bring a copy of your acceptance letter/offer to guidance. We will make a copy for you.

JUNIOR REMINDERS:

- Begin researching college and career options.
- Visit colleges you may be interested in. Check for Open Houses in the Spring!
- Set up an account on College Board (www.collegeboard.org). Do the SAT question of the day.
- Register for the SAT/ACT if you plan to attend college.
- Volunteer for activities that matter to you and reflect your personality. Volunteering looks great on a college application and adds to your quality of life

SOPHOMORE REMINDERS:

- Get involved in activities outside the classroom. Work towards leadership positions in the activities that you like best. Become involved in community service and other volunteer activities.
- Get on Career Cruising and start researching about your future plans.
- Pick classes with your future in mind.

FRESHMAN REMINDERS:

- Pick classes with your future in mind.
- Get involved with extracurricular activities!
- Career/College/Trade School researching! (It is never too early to begin thinking about your future!)

Homework/Tutor help is available
AFTER school!
See your counselor for details!



DATES TO REMEMBER

- April 11th Junior Information Night – 6-7:30pm
- April 18th Early Dismissal – Noon
- April 19-22nd School CLOSED (Easter Break)
- April 26 & 27th Musical – ANNIE! – 7pm
- April 28th Musical – ANNIE! – 3pm

MILITARY NOTES

As you prepare for an interview with a military recruiter...here are some questions to ask:

- Why should I join the military?
- Is your service branch a good fit for me?
- How long am I required to serve?
- How much pay would I receive?
- What job would I do and where would I serve?
- What are the educational benefits?
- What is boot camp; how long is it; and how do I prepare? Am I qualified to join?



COLLEGE VISITS

Representatives from colleges are coming to Western Wayne High School. They are coming to give you information about their college and what benefits you would receive by attending their college. The sign-up sheets for these assemblies are outside the guidance office. The day of the assembly, you will be asked to pick up a pass from the school counseling office and fill it out. The pass is given to the teacher who you have class with at the same time as the assembly. Ask your teacher nicely if you are able to attend the assembly and show them the pass. If they say you cannot go then you are not allowed to leave the class to attend the assembly. If there are any questions, see Mrs. Field or Ms. Lombardi in the guidance office.

Open Houses

If you are looking for an open house for a particular college, just log onto the college's website and check for an upcoming Open House.

Marywood University: April 13, 2019

Register at: <https://marywood.elluciancrmrecruit.com/Admissions/Pages/EventDetails.aspx?id=51a1fd8e-bcff-e811-80d8-0a155476a64a>

Wilkes University: April 27, 2019

Register at: <https://wilkes.edu/admissions/visit/open-house-registration.aspx>

Scranton Regional College Fair

Thursday, April 11, 2019 @ 6:00-7:30pm

Scranton High School

The fair will be open to all regional high school students from 6-7:30pm. There will also be an informative workshop at 5:15pm, prior to the fair start time presented by PHEAA on Funding Your College Education.

<i>Albright College</i>	<i>Full Sail University</i>	<i>Mansfield University</i>	<i>St. John's University</i>
<i>Alvernia University</i>	<i>Gwynedd Mercy University</i>	<i>Marywood University</i>	<i>St. Joseph's University</i>
<i>AMDA</i>	<i>Harrisburg University of Science/Technology</i>	<i>Millersville University</i>	<i>St. Luke's School of Nursing</i>
<i>Arcadia University</i>	<i>Hartwick College</i>	<i>Misericordia University</i>	<i>State University of New York</i>
<i>Binghamton University</i>	<i>Hiram G. Andrews Center</i>	<i>Moravian College</i>	<i>Susquehanna University</i>
<i>Bloomsburg University</i>	<i>Immaculata University</i>	<i>Mount Aloysius College</i>	<i>Thaddeus Stevens College</i>
<i>Cabrini University</i>	<i>Indiana University of PA</i>	<i>Mount St. Mary College</i>	<i>The University of New England</i>
<i>Cairn University</i>	<i>Jean Madeline Aveda Institute</i>	<i>NET Credit Union</i>	<i>US Army</i>
<i>Cedar Crest College</i>	<i>Johnson College</i>	<i>Neuman University</i>	<i>US Military Academy @ West Point</i>
<i>Central Penn College</i>	<i>Juniata College</i>	<i>Nova Southeastern University</i>	<i>University of New Haven</i>
<i>Citizen's Bank</i>	<i>Keuka College</i>	<i>Office of Vocational Rehab</i>	<i>University of Scranton</i>
<i>Clarkson University</i>	<i>Keystone College</i>	<i>Ohio Technical College</i>	<i>University of the Sciences</i>
	<i>King's College</i>	<i>PA College of Technology</i>	<i>Vanderbilt University</i>
<i>College of Mount St. Vincent</i>	<i>Kutztown University</i>	<i>Penn East Federal Credit Union</i>	<i>Villanova University</i>
<i>Delaware Valley University</i>	<i>Lackawanna College of Petroleum & Natural Gas</i>	<i>Penn State Scranton</i>	<i>Wells Fargo Bank</i>
<i>DeSales University</i>	<i>Lafayette College</i>	<i>PHEAA</i>	<i>West Chester University</i>
<i>East Stroudsburg University</i>	<i>Lock Haven University</i>	<i>Rosemont College</i>	<i>West Virginia University</i>
<i>Eastern University</i>	<i>Loyola University</i>	<i>Sacred Heart University</i>	<i>Widener University</i>
	<i>Luzerne CCC</i>	<i>Seton Hall University</i>	<i>Wilkes University</i>
<i>Elizabethtown College</i>	<i>Lycoming College</i>	<i>Slippery Rock University</i>	<i>Wilson College</i>
<i>Elmira College</i>		<i>St. Bonaventure University</i>	<i>York College of Pennsylvania</i>

CAREER SPOTLIGHT

Accountant

Career Areas to Explore

- ✓ Accountant
- ✓ Forensic Accountant
- ✓ Financial Analyst
- ✓ Environmental Accountant
- ✓ Personal Financial Advisor
- ✓ Actuary

Education

Most of these occupations require a 4-year bachelor's degree. Some may require an associate's; some require a master's degree.

Key Skills in Psychology Careers

Economics and Accounting Skills

Mathematic Skills

Active Listening Skills

Reading Comprehension Skills

Schools that Offer Psychology Degrees		
Albright College	Central Penn College	Grove City College
Alvernia University	Consolidated School of Business – York	Harcum College
Carlow University	DeSales University	Waynesburg University

...and many more!

Applying for Civil Service Jobs

The following steps describe the basic process required to apply for civil service employment.

Review the General Job Opportunities section the PA State Civil Service Commission www.spsc.state.pa.us website. This listing is updated daily and lists test announcements of jobs that are open for application and deadline dates for submitting an application.

Complete a civil service application for employment www.spsc.state.pa.us for each test announcement for which you are interested. The test announcement may specify what other documents to submit with the application (e.g. college transcripts, application supplements, etc.).

After applying online for some job titles, you will be automatically directed to select a date, time and location to take your civil service test. For other job titles, you will be notified, when you can select a date, time and location for testing. If you complete a paper application, you will be notified by letter of

your scheduled date, time, and location for testing. If the test consists of a rating of your training and experience, your test score will be based on the information you provide on your application and supplement if required.

The Commission will send you the results of your examination or rating. If you meet the minimum requirements and pass the test, your name is placed on the list of eligible candidates (eligible list) for that job title according to your score. Positions in the merit system are filled from this pool of eligible candidates.

When a job vacancy occurs, the hiring agency requests an eligible list from which to interview for that job title. Hiring is normally done from the highest ranking candidates on an eligible list. If you are ranked high enough on the eligible list, you will be contacted to report for a job interview

If you are interviewed and not selected for the position, your name remains on the eligible list to be considered for future vacancies for a specified period of time. Your standing on the eligible list may change as more persons are tested and added, and as appointments are made. If you are selected for the position, the agency will notify you and establish a start date.

Penn State Honor's College



Top Ten Things to Know about the Schreyer Honors College

1. [Nationally ranked](#) and [recognized](#) as one of the best
2. [Academic scholarships awarded to EVERY incoming first-year student](#) and additional grants available
3. **Not just book smart**, Schreyer Scholars are Penn State's leaders in and outside of the classroom—including Penn State's [Blue Band Drum Major](#) and [Women's Field Hockey Captain](#)
4. [More than a number](#), we don't look at standardized test scores
5. [Explore the world](#) with research opportunities and travel grants
6. Work with leading faculty as an undergraduate student at one of the [world's top research institutions](#)
7. [Award-winning students](#) including the first American to win the [International Children's Peace Prize](#)
8. Meet and work with **industry-leading alumni** like NCIS TV producer [Donald Bellisario](#) and U.S. Olympic Committee Chief Marketing Officer [Lisa Baird](#)
9. [Interview with alumni and staff](#) to learn more about the SHC *and* increase your chance of admission
10. [September 1](#) Penn State and Schreyer Honors College applications open

Want to know more? Check out our FAQs [here](#) or email us at scholars@psu.edu

CLEP

Shorten Your Path to a College Degree. **Western Wayne High School is an ONLINE TESTING SITE for CLEP!!!!** **What is CLEP?** CLEP (College Level Examination Program) is the most widely accepted faster **credit-by-examination program** in the United States today, helping students of all ages earn college degrees faster by getting credit for what they already know. By receiving a satisfactory score, you can earn from **3 to 12 college credits** toward your college degree for each CLEP you take, depending on the exam subject. **SAVE TIME.** Get college credit for what you already know. Be rewarded for what you've learned through independent study, advanced high school courses, noncredit adult courses, or professional development. CLEP offers 33 examinations in five subject areas. The tests cover material usually taught in a two-year degree program or in the first two years of a four-year program. Exams contain mainly multiple-choice questions. College Composition and a few other exams contain other types of questions and essays. For a complete list of CLEP tests and to schedule a testing time please see Mr. Fitzsimmons in the school counseling office. More information here: <https://www.affordablecollegesonline.org/college-resource-center/clep-exam/>

SAT/ACT

Test Dates & Fees

2018-2019

Fee waivers are available for the SAT and ACT test. Students who receive free or reduced lunch may qualify. See your school counselor for details.

SAT

Register online at www.collegeboard.org

Registration fee- \$64.50 (plus Essay) or \$47.50 (no Essay)

TEST DATES	REGISTRATION DEADLINES
August 25, 2018	July 27, 2018
October 6, 2018	September 7, 2018
November 3, 2018	October 5, 2018
December 1, 2018	November 2, 2018
March 9, 2019	February 8, 2019
May 4, 2019	April 5, 2019
June 1, 2019	May 3, 2019

ACT

Register online at www.act.org

Registration fee- \$62.50 (plus Writing) or \$46 (no Writing)

TEST DATES	REGISTRATION DEADLINES
September 8, 2018	August 10, 2018
October 27, 2018*	September 28, 2018
December 8, 2018	November 2, 2018
February 9, 2019	January 11, 2019
April 13, 2019	March 8, 2019
June 8, 2019	May 3, 2019
July 13, 2019	June 14, 2019

*Western Wayne is a testing site



- ❖ **Khan Academy with your collegeboard log-in.**
- ❖ **Princeton Review – SAT Prep. Local location is University of Scranton. Log onto <http://www.princetonreview.com/college/sat-test-prep>**
- ❖ **Kaplan Testing Centers offers SAT prep classes in the Pittston, Wilkes-Barre Area. Log onto www.kaptest.com for details.**
- ❖ **SAT Practice. <https://sat.collegeboard.org/practice/>**
- ❖ **SAT prep courses are available at Penn State Worthington campus. Call 570-963-2600.**
- ❖ **SAT prep courses are available at Wilkes University. Call 570-408-5615.**

College Applications

What is early action? Early action is the early admission program in which applying early will get you an early answer. This program usually asks students to apply by November 1 and the college responds with a decision by mid-December. However, you are not required to make your decision until the regular May reply date, giving you time to compare financial aid packages between colleges. Early action is non-binding, which means you do not have to attend the college if you are accepted. The advantage of the early action program is that you find out whether you are accepted sooner rather than later, giving you time to enjoy the last few months of your senior year without having to worry about being accepted into college.

What is early decision? Early decision is similar to early action in that you can apply early (usually by November 1) and get an early answer from your college about acceptance (usually around mid-December). However, with early decision, there is a catch. Early decision plans are binding. This means that if you apply to a college via the early decision process, you must attend that college if accepted and offered an adequate financial aid package. Thus, you can only apply to **one** early decision school. You can, however, apply to other colleges under regular admission. If you are accepted by your early decision college, then you must withdraw all other applications. Keep in mind that early decision may not be your best option if you want to compare financial aid packages between colleges. Early decision colleges usually offer students a better chance of admission if they apply early. When you research schools with the early decision option, check out the acceptance rates for students who apply early decision versus regular admission. The early decision acceptance rates are usually higher.

Have you heard of 4 or more?



Have you heard about [4 or More™](#)? It is a College Board initiative designed to inspire, assist, and reward you as you encourage all students to apply to at least four colleges.

Over 5,000 of your counseling colleagues nationwide have already joined the movement and are benefiting from the tools and resources they have received.

Why should students apply to four or more colleges?

Studies show that students who apply to two colleges, rather than just one, are 40 percent more likely to enroll in college, and applying to four colleges increases the likelihood that the college they choose will be a good fit for them — academically, socially, and financially.



Welcome to the
Wayne Library Alliance

Wayne County Public Library

www.waynelibraries.org

1406 Main Street

Honesdale, PA 18431

T: (570) 253-1220

F: (570) 253-1240

Email: wcpublib@waynelibraries.org

- ✓ Reserve and renew items online
- ✓ Get live homework help
- ✓ Practice skills and tests on Learning Express
- ✓ Search the countywide catalog
- ✓ Use POWER library for business, health, research, online books for kids & 24/7 chat with a librarian
- ✓ Access E-Books and E-Magazines
- ✓ Learn a language
- ✓ Use digital and financial literacy databases
- ✓ Access teen health and wellness database

HOTLINE TO REPORT UNDERAGE DRINKING

Put a stop to underage drinking, before it starts and before it leads to tragedy. Someone always knows about an underage drinking party. Callers to **888-UNDER-21** can report underage drinking parties that are planned or in progress. You can also report establishments that are selling or serving alcohol to those under 21 and people who are manufacturing and selling false identification.



Western Wayne's Procedures for Submitting College Applications



1. **ALL PAPER APPLICATIONS** must be brought to the Guidance Office **ONE WEEK** before the specific college deadline. The Guidance Department will not guarantee meeting college deadlines for applications that are submitted to the School Counseling Office late. The entire completed college application packet should be brought to Guidance. This includes the student application, essays, letters of recommendation, Secondary School Report and application fee. Students applying to a college directly **online** should notify their school counselor.
2. Some college/universities will waive the applications fee if you visit their campus. Other colleges/universities have free online college applications. Students having financial difficulties covering the application fee should see their guidance counselor.
3. **TRANSCRIPT REQUEST- CURRENT STUDENTS:** Students must complete an official Western Wayne **TRANSCRIPT REQUEST** form giving permission to send the student's transcript and test scores. Applications are not considered complete without your transcript. **TRANSCRIPT REQUEST** forms are available on the Western Wayne website (under guidance) or on the opening page under Guidance Resources.

TRANSCRIPT REQUEST FORMS

- 1) Western Wayne Website
- 2) Click on DEPARTMENTS
- 3) Click on Guidance
- 4) Click on TRANSCRIPT REQUEST FORM
- 5) Complete the form

The first request you make is **FREE**. All subsequent requests are **\$5.00**. Bring the check, money order, or cash into Mrs. Lombardi in the guidance office. Your transcript will be sent certified. Please allow one week to process transcript requests! **PLAN AHEAD.**

4. **TRANSCRIPT REQUEST- FORMER STUDENTS** Please follow the instructions above. In addition, if **YOU ARE A PREVIOUS STUDENT**, a letter requesting the transcript must be submitted with your signature. The letter can be attached electronically with this request or sent to the Western Wayne Guidance Department, 1970A Easton Turnpike, Lake Ariel, PA 18436. The request will not be processed until the letter is received.
5. Your transcript includes your SAT and ACT scores. Check to make sure guidance has your most up to date scores. A few colleges require that you have your SAT/ACT sent directly from the College Board/ACT program (Penn State is one). It is your responsibility to have the scores sent. Questions...see your guidance counselor.
6. Fee waivers are available for most colleges if you received a fee waiver for the SAT or ACT. See your guidance counselor for an application fee waiver. If you are paying an application fee by check or money order, please bring it to guidance and we will attach it to your transcript. Most colleges allow you to pay by credit card when you complete your application online. Checks and money orders must be made out to the college you are applying to. **DO NOT** pay for college application fees with cash!
7. Students requesting Counselor Letters of Recommendation must request the letter at least **TWO WEEKS** in advance.
8. In most instances **Early Decision** applications should be submitted around November 1st. This can vary so watch your dates! Regular Decision applications should be submitted as soon as possible. If you are uncertain about application deadlines see your guidance counselor.
9. **Mid-year grades** will be sent to colleges that require them. It is the student's responsibility to notify the guidance office about sending out midyear grades.
10. Final transcripts will be sent to the college that the student will attend. **FINAL TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS** will be given to seniors at the end of the school year. *Remember, college admissions representatives review all senior year grades very carefully.*

Students and parents are encouraged to contact their School Counselor with any questions or concerns.



Career Cruising is an Internet-based career exploration and planning tool used to explore career and college options and develop a career plan. Career Cruising can be accessed from school, from home, or wherever you have access to the Internet. Log onto <https://www2.careercruising.com/default/cplogin/WWSD> , enter the User name *wwhs* and the password *wildcats*. This will give you access to the most of the features in the program. If you want to save items to your portfolio you need to use the user name and password given to you in class. If you lost it, just come to guidance and we will re-issue it to you.

Email Students in grades 9, 10, 11, & 12 have opened up their “portfolio” in Career Cruising. You will be receiving announcements and information via email from the guidance department. The emails contain college information, scholarship opportunities, or anything that might interest you as a student. The emails come out as soon as the guidance office receives the information. So do not forget to **check your email**. If you forgot or lost your user name see guidance.

Financial Aid Information

Career Cruising's financial aid database includes details on thousands of scholarships, grants, awards, fellowships, and other assistance programs. Using our Financial Aid Selector, you can find financial aid programs that you qualify for based on factors such as gender, background, academic record, educational plans, and more.

Scholarship profiles include:

- Award and donor/sponsor descriptions
- Award criteria
- Application process and requirements
- Contact information

College Data

The undergraduate school profiles in the *Explore Schools* section now include some new data on financial aid, entrance exam scores, and graduation and retention rates to help students make informed college choices.

♦ ***Undergraduate Institutional Financial Aid:*** Data has been added on the kinds of financial aid students can receive at a given institution and the average amount that is awarded for each type of aid. This data can be found in the "Expenses & Financial Aid" section of the undergraduate school profiles.

♦ ***Entrance Exams Data:*** In the “Enrollment” section of school profiles, there is a new graph and score information for the writing portion of the SAT exam. Also added is the mean score, 25th percentile score, and 75th percentile score for all sections of the SAT as well as the ACT exam.

♦ ***Academic Information:*** Graduation and retention rates have been added to the "Academic Information” section.

Career Cruising offers:

Interest and Skills Assessment - a world-renowned career assessment tool to help people identify suitable career options based on their interests and skills

Career Profiles - thorough and up-to-date information about hundreds of different occupations, including direct links between careers and related college programs

Multimedia Interviews - interviews with real people in each occupation, which add depth and realism to career profiles

College and Financial Aid Information - comprehensive college and financial aid information with a number of useful search tools to help you find the right college and the right scholarships.

Electronic Career Portfolio - available online, so you can develop your education and career plans from wherever you access Career Cruising

Resume Builder - integrated with the portfolio to help you format and print professional-looking resumes quickly and easily.

Log onto <https://www2.careercruising.com/default/cplogin/WWSD>

User name: wwhs

Password: wildcats



Many parents see college as a necessity for their children, and starting early and saving regularly can make all the difference. Upromise is a college savings network sponsored by America's leading companies. Simply, when you buy a product or service from a participating company, they contribute a portion of your spending into an Upromise account for your loved one. Best off all, it's absolutely FREE! Just register at www.upromise.com

Need Help?

The **Wayne County Public Assistance** provides services to eligible clients. Anyone residing in Wayne County meeting eligibility may apply for Medical Assistance, Food Stamps, Cash Assistance, and Home Energy Assistance. Call 570-253-7100. Application can also be processed on the Internet at www.compass.state.pa.us

Job Applicants interested in applying for **PA State Civil Service Jobs** should log onto

Information & Referral County-Wide System Now residents can call WINFO Line at 253-5986 or 866-253-5986 (for those out of the local calling area) for any human service referrals. This free, confidential line is available for assistance Monday-Friday from 9:00am-4:00pm. Email information requests can be sent to iandr@co.wayne.pa.us Since 1998, the Wayne County Human Services Agency has worked on the development of a computer program capable of storing and retrieving information concerning services, eligibility, access, etc., so it may be quickly retrieved by topic in response to a caller's question on what human services are available. To date, over 700 agencies with thousands of services have been entered into this system.



Summer Learning Institutes at Susquehanna University

Susquehanna University has weeklong workshops this summer for students who want to develop their skills in an academic area while living on a college campus. All of the programs are taught by Susquehanna faculty and limited in size to ensure the best experience for every student. **Discounts are available prior to May 1.**

[Registration is open](#) now!

Leadership Institute for Entrepreneurship (LIFE): June 23-29 or July 7-13, 2019

Explore Legal Careers: June 23-29, 2019

Publishing & Editing Institute: June 23-29, 2019

Wall Street Susquehanna: June 23-29, 2019

Wind Ensemble Institute: June 23-29, 2019

Choral Institute: July 7-13, 2019

#GOMedia: July 7-13, 2019

Steam Ecology Institute: July 7-13, 2019

Strings & Keyboard Institute: July 7-13, 2019

Actor's Institute: July 21-27, 2019

i-Engineer: July 21-27, 2019

Writer's Workshop: July 21-27, 2019

Sustainability 101: Building a Resilient World: July 21-27, 2019

Wayne County Drug & Alcohol Commission



The Wayne County Drug & Alcohol Commission is a public non-profit agency. The Commission is fully licensed by the Pennsylvania Department of Health, and the Bureau of Drug & Alcohol Programs. The Wayne County Drug and Alcohol Commission is committed to providing prevention, early intervention, and comprehensive drug-free treatment services to the Wayne County area.

Contact Information: (570) 253-6022

Open Sessions

Open sessions are for students who need help with SAT/ACT sign-ups, college applications, or anything you need help with to continue on your path after you graduate. There is one period a day devoted to open sessions so there will always be a time when you can sign up. The sign-ups are in the guidance office on Mrs. Gribble's door. Make sure, when you sign up you take a pass from the envelope next to the sign-up sheet.

High School Support Groups

Western Wayne High School's Student Assistance Program is again offering support groups in the following areas: GRIEF, DIVORCE, ALCOHOL & DRUG EDUCATION, SELF ESTEEM, TOBACCO CESSATION, HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS, STUDY SKILLS, and ANGER MANAGEMENT. Most support groups run on an eight-week cycle and are offered during the school day. Trained faculty and community agency personnel are available to facilitate the groups. One group is the Drug and Alcohol Insight Group, which offers students an opportunity to get information you may not have and to talk about drugs and alcohol in a confidential setting. This is not for students who are already dependent, although there is certainly help for those who are interested in stopping their use and we encourage you to talk to us if you are interested in getting that help. Another group is the Concerned Persons Group for students concerned about or affected by the chemical dependency of family members. For detailed information, please call the guidance office and speak to a guidance counselor (800-321-9973)

Are You Looking for a Job? Try out...



ZipRecruiter™

Students like that ZipRecruiter provides transparency for them to keep them in control of searching and applying for jobs. If a hiring manager views a resume -- we let them know.

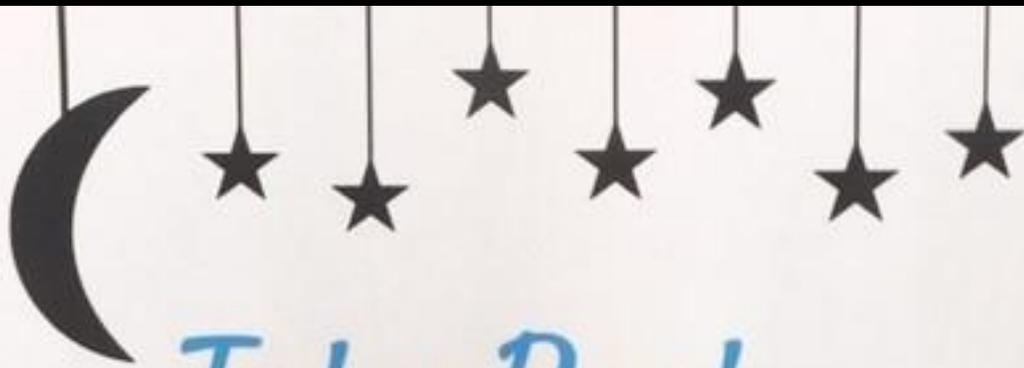
Here is a little bit more about why students like ZipRecruiter:

- **We are free to use**
- **Students can apply with one-click**
- **#1 Job Search App on Android and iPhone**
- **[Connect to 100+ job boards](#)**

Also, we have a few [resources](#) for students to get starting including blog articles such as this one: [Job Application Tips for High School Students](#)

We also have a scholarship, which only requires a one-page submission about a student's past or current job and how that has affected their career aspirations.

<https://www.ziprecruiter.com/scholarship>



Take Back the Night

Take Back the Night is a public event that empowers victims in their healing process by educating the public on the serious effects of sexual violence. The night unifies individuals to stand against sexual assault in their community and envision a world free of violence

Wednesday, April 24 2019

The Cooperage Project
1030 Main St.
Honesdale, PA

Victims' Intervention
Program



EDUCATE EMPOWER ENVISION

Doors open at 5:30 p.m.



VOLUNTEER / SERVICE HOURS AVAILABLE!

We'd like to invite you to be a part of our 25th Annual Fred Ciotti Memorial 5K Race on Saturday, May 11th. This year, we are hosting a color run – *for Autism Awareness*.

Here's where we need your help...in order to make the color run a success, we need volunteers to stand along the race route and spray the color powder. We'd like you to consider providing volunteers for one of our many stations.

To register your group, please contact James Wiggins, Program Director, at (570) 282-2210 or jwcary@echoes.net.

Thank You!!

**25th Annual Fred Ciotti Memorial
COLOR RUN/WALK FOR AUTISM AWARENESS
COLOR RUN**

**Saturday, May 11th
9:30am**

5K RUN/WALK ****NO TIMING****
Top 3 Male and Female receive trophies!

COLOR FUN RUN/WALK - 3mi, 2mi, or 1mi
First 300 participants receive a shirt, color packet and sunglasses!

GREATER CARBONDALE YMCA
82 N Main St., Carbondale
www.greatercarbondaileyymca.org

Basket Raffle to be held during trophy ceremony

\$20 for all participants
Family discounts for over 3 family members participating

All proceeds benefit the YMCA Autism Support Groups

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College Board Opportunity Scholarships

A Clearer Path to College



The College Board Opportunity Scholarships guide you through the college planning process and offer you a chance to earn money for college for each action you complete. Complete each action for a chance to earn scholarships:



1. Build Your College List: \$500

Get started by exploring colleges you're interested in.



2. Practice for the SAT: \$1,000

Use Official SAT[®] Practice on Khan Academy[®] to get ready for test day.



3. Improve Your Score: \$2,000

Show how practice pays off by improving your SAT score.



4. Strengthen Your College List: \$500

Make sure your college list has a mix of academic safety, fit, and reach schools.



5. Complete the FAFSA: \$1,000

Fill out the free government form to apply for financial aid.



6. Apply to College: \$1,000

Apply to the schools you want to attend.



Complete Your Journey: \$40,000

Complete all six scholarship steps to be eligible for a \$40,000 scholarship.

Learn more about your scholarship eligibility at [cb.org/opportunity](https://collegeboard.org/opportunity).

Scholarship Websites

Career Cruising: www.careercruising.com - Log in and complete the profile. Save scholarships in your profile.

Fastweb: <http://www.fastweb.com/>

Finaid: <http://www.finaid.org/>

I'm First: <http://www.imfirst.org/>

My College Dollars:

<https://getschooled.com/dashboard/tool/2540-nhs-scholar-dollars>

Unigo: <https://www.unigo.com/>

College Xpress: www.collegexpress.com/



Scholarship	Criteria	Application Online	Due Date
Wayne Conservation District Scholarship	Eligible to graduating seniors in Wayne County entering an agricultural, conservation, or environmentally oriented curriculum.	See Guidance for details.	April 5, 2019
Wayne Pike Building Industry Association Scholarship	Scholarship program for seniors that will be going to a secondary school in the Building Trades. (Examples are Architecture, Plumbing, Engineer, or Building a House).	See Guidance for details	April 5, 2019

The Lackawaxen River Conservancy Scholarship	APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Completed student application 2. Essay discussing an environmental issue of concern to applicant and why. 3. School report completed by counselor 4. Official transcript including GPA 5. Recommendation from a science teacher 	See Guidance for details.	April 8, 2019
Munley Law \$5000 Scholarship	Eligible to students currently enrolled as a high school senior, undergraduate, graduate, or law school student in good standing with their college, university, or law school.	https://munley.com/munley-law-scholarship/	April 8, 2019
Penn State University Wayne/Pike PSU Alumni Association	Eligible to high school graduating seniors of Wayne or Pike Counties and will be a full-time student at any PSU campus during the 2019-2020 academic year. -At least 3.0 GPA -2 letters of recommendation mailed directly to scholarship committee	See Guidance for details.	April 12, 2019
COAL Foundation Scholarship	Criteria for application: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Community involvement. 2. Having engaged in leadership activities on and off the sports field throughout high school. 3. Having played a PIAA recognized high school sport (unless unable to do so due to illness, injury, disability, etc.). 	See Guidance for details.	April 15, 2019

	<p>4. Anticipating playing a sponsored collegiate sport at the post-secondary level (unless unable to do so due to illness, injury, disability, etc.).</p>		
Jeremy Hiller Scholarship	See application for details.	https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeNdw0hCrO7Ypiarcz54SxuUSAPTJdHRI3yaqier9m1AhU_rw/viewform	April 15, 2019
RDW Parent-Teacher Association	Two scholarships to former RDW students (must have attended 2 years). Students should look to continue his/her education after high school at a college, junior college, trade or business school.	See Guidance for details	April 15, 2019
Scott A. Black/Christopher Taylor Memorial Scholarship	Open to Western Wayne seniors who will be pursuing their education.	See Guidance for details	April 15, 2019

<p>The Kids' Chance of PA 2019 Scholarship</p>	<p>Eligible to graduating seniors planning to receive an undergraduate bachelor or associate's degree who has a custodial parent or step-parent who has been seriously injured or killed in a work-related accident that has been documented by the parent's employer.</p>	<p>https://www.kidschanceofpa.org/scholarships/scholarship_applications.php</p>	<p>April 15, 2019</p>
<p>The 109th INFANTRY REGIMENT ASSOCIATION LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP</p>	<p>ELIGIBILITY: Child/children or legally adopted child/children of a spouse by a prior marriage or dependent child as defined by the United States Armed Services for active duty personnel of the United States military and those guardsmen who are present or past members of the 109th INFANTRY BATTALIONS. Must be a high school senior or high school graduate to apply for this scholarship.</p>	<p>http://www.109thinfantry.org/includes/109th%20Inf%20Reg%20Assoc%20Legacy%20Scholarship%20Program.pdf</p>	<p>April 15, 2019</p>
<p>Western Wayne Education Association Aid for Continuing Education (WWEA – ACE Scholarship)</p>	<p>Respond to the following: schools applied and accepted, intended major, any honors received, activity involvement, community activities/jobs, honors and AP courses, two written letters that address your character.</p>	<p>See Guidance for details</p>	<p>April 17, 2019 (by 2:30 pm)</p>
<p>Northeasters Barbershop Chorus Scholarship</p>	<p>The Northeasters Barbershop Chorus, Honesdale Chapter, will be presenting a \$350 graduation award to a student who will be pursuing further education in the field of music at college, junior college or special arts school.</p>	<p>See Guidance for details.</p>	<p>April 18, 2019</p>
<p>Upper Delaware River Basin Citizens Scholarship</p>	<p>Who may apply? If you have demonstrated a commitment to farming and are presently a high school senior living in the Upper Delaware River Basin, we would like to hear from you! Instructions</p>	<p>See Guidance for details</p>	<p>April 23, 2019</p>

	<p>1. Application may be printed or handwritten.</p> <p>2. The following should be attached to the application submittal:</p> <p>a. Letter of recommendation(s) (i.e. principal, teacher, mentor, etc.) – limit to two (2) please.</p> <p>b. Transcript of agricultural courses completed; any agriculture classes in progress also please submit.</p> <p>c. A biographical statement; please tell us about yourself, accomplishments and reasons for applying for this scholarship. Include participation in related organizations such as 4-H, Future Farmers of America (FFA), or similar clubs.</p>		
Collins Memorial Scholarship	Open to seniors who will be pursuing their education, with an emphasis on community service.	See Guidance for details	April 26, 2019
Disabled American Veterans (DAV) Chapter 114 Scholarship	<p>Need a 3" x 5" card with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Senior's name - Name of their parent / grandparent that is a Disabled veteran (and what branch of service), - High school's name - Name of intended college, university, trade school, etc. the student plans to attend (and major/focus of study) <p>We were forced by a new regulation that the parent/grandparent must have been disabled (military service connected) in some way.</p>	See Guidance for details.	April 26, 2019
Jake Burkhardt Memorial Scholarship	<p>Jake was a former Western Wayne student who loved photography. Construct a photo essay consisting of 3 or more pictures depicting aspects of your life that mean the most to you.</p> <p>Include a physical copy of each picture and at least 250 words per picture explaining</p>	See Guidance for details	April 26, 2019

	why you chose it. \$500 award.		
Kelly Sledzinski Memorial Scholarship	Open to seniors who will be pursuing their education	See Guidance for details	April 26, 2019
Lake Ariel Lions Club Scholarship	Open to seniors who will be pursuing their education	See Guidance for details	April 26, 2019
Laurel Chapter – Order of the Eastern Star Educational Scholarship	Awarding three \$500 scholarships to high school seniors in the local communities who exemplify good citizenship and high moral character; one student from Western Wayne, one from Wayne Highlands and one from Forest City.	See Guidance for details	April 26, 2019
LHTC Broadband Scholarship	Open to seniors who will be pursuing their education	See Guidance for details	April 26, 2019
Sydney Fahrenbach Memorial Scholarship	The 2019 Sydney Fahrenbach Memorial Scholarship is a scholarship worth \$1,000 awarded by Sydney's family to a senior female athlete of good academic standing, and who upon high school graduation will continue her education.	See Guidance for details	April 26, 2019
Wayne County Grown Members of the Pennsylvania Association for Sustainable Agriculture	This scholarship (a minimum amount of \$500) will be awarded to students who plan to study for careers related to sustainability in Agriculture, Conservation, Renewable Natural Resources, Environmental Education, and Environmental Science occupations, for example but not limited to: plant scientist, soil scientist, watershed scientist, etc. Preference given to Agriculture and Conservation.	See Guidance for details	April 27, 2019
Waymart Lodge 542 – Masonic Scholarship	Open to seniors furthering their education after graduation.	See Guidance for details	April 26, 2019
Feel Good Charities Scholarship	Honor one graduating senior student, who exemplifies the concept of "Paying It Forward" by being kind to others and making others in the community "feel good" about life. Student must attend a 2 or 4 year college or vocational/tech school or enlist in the military. \$500 will be awarded.	See Guidance for details.	April 30, 2019

Northeast Pennsylvania Audubon Society	Must be a graduating senior who wishes to major in an environmental field such as Forestry, Natural Resources, Environmental Planning, Environmental Engineering, Fish, Game, or Wildlife Management, Ecology and/or Environmental Science at an accredited two or four year college. This is a \$4000 scholarship that will be awarded in increments of \$1000 per year for each year of the degree program.	http://www.nepaaudubon.org/about/scholarships/	April 30, 2019
Pleasant Valley Grange #1074 Scholarship	Must be a graduating senior and residing in Wayne County. Preference will be given to applicants that are planning on a future in agriculture or some related field such as, but not limited to: Forestry, Environmental science, Veterinary medicine, Veterinary Tech, Technology program, Natural gas industry.	See Guidance for details.	April 30, 2019
PPL Future Environmental Leaders Scholarship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Who: High school seniors looking to attend two- or four-year schools are eligible. •What: PPL is providing \$14,000 for the scholarship program in 2019. One winner will be picked from each of seven geographical regions to receive \$2,000. Applications will be judged by an internal PPL committee. •When: Submit an application between March 1 and April 30. Applications will be judged by an internal PPL committee and winners will be announced in early June. •Where: Our service territory in eastern and central Pennsylvania. 	https://www.pplelectric.com/safety-and-community/environment/future-environmental-leaders-scholarship/application.aspx	April 30, 2019
Wayne County Business and Professional Women	Eligible to a graduating senior who plans on attending college or trade school.	See Guidance for details.	April 30, 2019
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	parent/grandparent who was/is a member of the military. Use the same application as the scholarship above.		
Blair E. Caboot Memorial Scholarship	The applicant should excel in mathematics in high school and have future plans in a mathematics-related field. \$750 Scholarship open from October 15 th to May 1 st .	www.npctm.org	May 1, 2019
Bill & Caye von Ahnen Memorial Scholarship	What is required: -Completion of the attached application. Return to your Guidance Department by 5/1. -Completion of the FAFSA. Attach a copy of your SAR (Student Aid Report) to confirm EFC (Estimated Family Contribution). Black out any sensitive information (SSN, etc). -Minimum senior-year GPA of 2.0 -Demonstrated financial need (as reflected on your SAR). Scholarships/grants are not to exceed the amount of tuition/books. -Enrollment at PSU-Scranton as a full-time student. What is awarded: -One non-renewable one-year scholarship for \$2,000 for attendance at PSU Scranton.	See Guidance for details.	May 1, 2019
Jaycees Jennifer Killam Scholarship	The scholarship will be for \$1,500 for the chosen recipient	https://honesdalejaycees.org/scholarship-application/	May 1, 2019
John P. & Elizabeth Knash Memorial Scholarship	Eligible to graduating seniors in Wayne County interested in pursuing a field in horticulture/floral design, or a related field such as agriculture, agribusiness, etc.	See Guidance for details.	May 1, 2019
Fraternal Order of Police - Northeast Lodge #63 Memorial Scholarship	Any high school senior within NEPA (except within the City of Scranton or the Borough of Dunmore) in good standing within their respective community.	See Guidance for details.	May 1, 2019
Cherry Ridge Experimental Aircraft Association	Any high school senior planning on attending a two or four year college or	See Guidance for details.	May 3, 2019

	technical school in the fall of 2019, and planning on pursuing a major in general aviation, aerospace design, all engineering majors, or pilot training towards commercial flying.		
Albert O. Miller, Dorothy Tozer Miller, and Savonna Commandery #89 and The Honesdale Bank, Trustees 2019 Scholarship	Wayne County residents can be awarded \$1,000 up to five times.	https://www.hnbbank.bank/about/scholarships/	May 10, 2019 (4pm)
Eric Enslin Memorial Scholarship	For a graduating senior pursuing a career working with children with disabilities.	See Guidance for details.	May 10, 2019
Richard Van De Linde, Jr. Memorial Scholarship	Student pursuing a career in the trades.	See Guidance for details.	May 10, 2019
Forest City Rotary Scholarship	Students who excelled in volunteering/service with the goal of helping others.	See Guidance for details.	May 10, 2019
Road to Safety Scholarship Contest	Eligible to graduating, college-bound high school seniors who currently reside in Pennsylvania.	See Guidance for details.	May 10, 2019
Wayne Memorial Hospital Auxiliary	<p>Eligible to graduating seniors pursuing a career in Nursing.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student must be notified of their acceptance prior to graduation <p>Applications should include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school transcripts • 3 letters of recommendations from adults not related to the applicant • A full page essay describing “why nursing?” • A copy of acceptance to a nursing program • A wallet size photo 	See Guidance for details.	May 12, 2019
B. Davis Scholarship	<p>This Scholarship is available to all high school juniors and seniors as well as all students currently registered in any post-secondary institution.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There is no age restriction • Be sure to include your name and the school you are 	http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm	May 24, 2019

	<p>attending this year and next</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> This is not an academic scholarship but we would like to know where you are going to school now and what your future academic plans are. 		
Firemen's Association of the State of Pennsylvania	<p>Open to seniors furthering their academic education through college level courses in the Fire Sciences or related academic programs. Two annual scholarships will be offered in each of the sic sections of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as prescribed by the F.A.S.P. as follows: One \$1,000.00 Scholarship Toward a Bachelor Degree; One \$500.00 Scholarship Toward an Associate Degree.</p>	http://pafirefighters.org/scholarships/	June 15, 2019
Global Lift Equipment Scholarship	<p>To be eligible for the Global Lift Equipment Scholarship a student must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Be currently attending or planning on attending a post-secondary institution in Canada or the US no later than the Fall of 2019. 2) Submit a short story. Detailed instructions can be found on the application page. 3) Have a GPA of 2.5 or greater. 4) Be a resident of the United States or Canada. 	https://www.studentscholarships.org/college_scholarship_applications.php	June 15, 2019
Lift Parts Express Scholarship	<p>To be eligible for the Lift Parts Express Scholarship a student must: 1) A Current Senior in High School or 2) A Freshman or Sophomore in College/University 3) Be a legal resident of the United States or Canada 4) Enrolled or expected to be enrolled by the Fall of 2019 5) Submit a completed online application form prior to the deadline.</p>	https://www.studentscholarships.org/letter.php	June 30, 2019

<p>BSN Education – Nursing Scholarships</p>	<p>If you want to become a nurse, you don't have to let the cost of education get in the way of your dream. There are scholarships available in many areas of nursing, and for all types of people, with special scholarships for LGBTQ, men in nursing and much more.</p> <p>Topics Covered</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General and Specialty Nursing Scholarships • March of Dimes Graduate Nursing Scholarships • LGBTQ Nursing Scholarships • Minority Nursing Scholarships • Nursing Scholarships for Men • Military Nursing Scholarships 	<p>https://bsneducation.com/nursing-scholarships/</p>	<p>Dates Vary</p>
<p>Go Transcript Academic Scholarship Program</p>	<p>Requirements:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applicant must be a high school senior or current full-time college freshman. 2. Participants must register using your university or college issued email 	<p>https://gotranscript.com/scholarship-program</p>	<p>Accepted year round</p>
<p>American Legion Scholarships</p>	<p>Many different scholarships available.</p>	<p>https://www.legion.org/scholarships</p>	<p>Check website for deadlines</p>
<p>Discover Nursing</p>	<p>Open to seniors pursuing the field of nursing. Will help you find scholarships.</p>	<p>http://www.discovernursing.com/scholarships#levels=high-school</p>	<p>Check website for deadlines.</p>
<p>Nursing Scholarships</p>	<p>Many different scholarships available.</p>	<p>https://bsneducation.com/nursing-scholarships/</p>	<p>Check website for deadlines.</p>
<p>Student Scholarships</p>	<p>A variety of scholarships are open to different grade levels.</p>	<p>www.studentscholarships.org</p>	<p>Varies</p>

USAR Minuteman Scholarship	<i>See Guidance for details.</i>	See Guidance for details.	
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