

SCHOLARSHIPS & CAREER OPPORTUNITIES



UPDATED NOVEMBER 2021

WESTERN WAYNE SCHOOL COUNSELING DEPARTMENT

MRS. CHERNIN
GRADES 9-10 (A-L)

MRS. PALKO
GRADES 9-10 (M-Z)

MR. FITZSIMMONS
GRADES 11-12 (A-L)

MRS. GRIBBLE
GRADES 11-12 (M-Z)

REMINDERS

Senior Reminders

- Do you need to work on your applications, resumes, college essays or scholarships? Sign up for our Guidance Department through our Google Classroom. The Class code is **e275ae5**. Within the classroom you will find links to everything you might need for your 12th grade year and beyond.
- Type up your resume and have it ready for when you apply for jobs, college and scholarships.
- Visit colleges you are interested in, attend college fairs and open houses.
- Begin applying to colleges. 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.).
- Tell your school counselor if you apply to college online... your transcript needs to be sent out. TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS are completed online through the Western Wayne website.
<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=-M0Gw4bbJkS-8S7t8I4RAILbistrVsepPqWu8rjPT2I5UOE2SjRHVzg3WIAxWkk2RFNHUEXUVktOUS4u>
 - 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)

Junior Reminders

- Begin researching college and career options...SmartFutures through Clever is a great place to start.
- Set up an account on College Board (www.collegeboard.org). Do the SAT question of the day.
- 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.
- Begin researching college and career options...SmartFutures through Clever is a great place to start.

Freshman Reminders

- Get involved with extracurricular activities!
- Begin researching college and career options...SmartFutures through Clever is a great place to start.

Dates to Remember

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| • November 3 | End of the 1 st Marking Period |
| • November 11 | Early Dismissal – ACT 80 Day – Teacher In-Service |
| • November 23 | Early Dismissal – Noon; Parent/Teacher Conferences 1:00-8:00 |
| • November 24-29 | Thanksgiving Break – School Closed |
| • December 23 | Early Dismissal – Noon |
| • December 24-31 | Schools Closed – Christmas Break |

SCHOOL COUNSELORS HOW TO:

Would you like to meet with your counselor?

- ★ Join the Western Wayne School Counselor's Classroom
 - Class Code: **hhpsqdz**
- ★ Go to Classwork
- ★ Go to Topics
 - Select the form to schedule an appointment with your counselor
- ★ Counselors
 - Mrs. Chernin - 9th and 10th Grade (A-L)
 - Mrs. Palko - 9th and 10th Grade (M-Z)
 - Mr. Fitzsimmons - 11th and 12th Grade (A-L)
 - Mrs. Gribble - 11th and 12 Grade (M-Z)

Don't forget to check out our Virtual Offices and Wildcat Den!



College Visits

Representatives from colleges are coming to Western Wayne High School (virtually). 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.

Colleges	Dates of Assembly	Time of Assembly
University of Pittsburgh	11/12/2021	3 rd Period
Moravian College	11/22/2021	4 th period
Moravian College – Instant Decision	12/06/2021	3 rd period

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.



CAREER SPOTLIGHT

Civil Engineers

Brief Job Description

Civil engineers conceive, design, build, supervise, operate, construct and maintain infrastructure projects and systems in the public and private sector, including roads, buildings, airports, tunnels, dams, bridges, and systems for water supply and sewage treatment. Many **civil engineers** work in planning, design, construction, research, and education.

Education

To become a **civil engineer**, a person typically needs a *bachelor's degree* in civil engineering, civil engineering technologies, or a related field, such as construction. Programs in civil engineering include coursework in math, statistics, engineering mechanics and systems, and fluid dynamics, depending on the specialty. Programs may include cooperative programs (co-ops), in which students gain experience while pursuing a degree.

Key Skills for Civil Engineers

- ✓ Strong in Math Skills
- ✓ Communication Skills
 - ✓ Writing Skills
- ✓ Problem-Solving Skills
- ✓ Organizational Skills
- ✓ Leadership & Decision-Making Skills

Schools that Offer Civil Engineering Degrees

Carnegie Mello University	University of Pittsburgh	Penn State University
Villanova University	Lafayette College	Temple University
Lehigh University	Bucknell University	Drexel University
and MANY MORE!		

Juniors/Seniors: ASVAB Testing Scheduled - October 29, 2021

Juniors or Seniors can take the ASVAB test to further research careers. Interested students can sign up in the School Counseling Department

What is the ASVAB?

The ASVAB is a nationally- normed multi-aptitude test battery developed and maintained by the Department of Defense. Over half of all high schools nationwide participate in ASVAB testing. The ASVAB consists of the following eight individual tests:

- Word Knowledge
- Paragraph Comprehension
- Mathematics Knowledge
- Arithmetic Reasoning
- General Science
- Mechanical Comprehension
- Electronics Information
- Auto and Shop Information

Students are provided with scores on each of these individual tests and three Career Exploration Score composites: Verbal Skills, Math Skills, and Science and Technical Skills.

What is the ASVAB Career Exploration Program?

The ASVAB Career Exploration Program is a tool to help students identify and explore potentially satisfying occupations and to develop effective strategies to realize their career goals. In addition, students learn career exploration and planning skills and decision-making skills that will last them a lifetime. The program provides students with: *Exploring Careers: The ASVAB Career Exploration Guide*, which includes a self-scoring interest inventory and the OCCU-FIND. The interest inventory provides students with interest codes that they can use to identify potentially satisfying occupations. The OCCU-FIND organizes and presents relevant information about occupations of interest to help students identify tentative career choices. A Web site with an automated OCCU-FIND linked to occupational information for approximately 500 civilian and military occupations. The Web site also provides students with downloadable exercises that will guide their career exploration and planning. For example, a Coursework Planner helps students evaluate the appropriateness of their current high school program of study, determine what they need to do to graduate, and enhance their career-related skills while still in high school. This program helps students whether they are planning on immediate post-high school employment or going on for additional training or education. For more information, visit

www.asvabprogram.com or contact your high school counselor.

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.scs.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.scs.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.

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.



- ❖ **Khan Academy with your College Board 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.**

SAT/ACT Test Dates & Fees 2021-2022

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- \$55.00

TEST DATES	REGISTRATION DEADLINES
November 6, 2021	October 8, 2021
December 4, 2021	November 4, 2021
March 12, 2022	February 11, 2022
May 7, 2022	April 8, 2022
June 4, 2022	May 5, 2022

ACT

Register online at www.act.org

Registration fee- \$85.00 (plus Writing) or \$60.00 (no Writing)

TEST DATES	REGISTRATION DEADLINES
October 23, 2021*	September 17, 2021
December 11, 2021	November 5, 2021
February 12, 2022	January 7, 2022
April 2, 2022	February 25, 2022
June 11, 2022	May 6, 2022
July 16, 2022	June 17, 2022

Boost your exam scores—get into your Dream School

Self-Paced SAT/ACT Prep Program

The Pennsylvania Area Health Education Center
(AHEC) is pleased to offer the
Princeton Review SAT/ACT Prep Program
to high school students



This \$299 program is

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Includes:

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- * Practice Tools
- * On-Demand Lessons
- * Recommendation Engine

Visit the **PA AHEC SEARCH website**



SCAN ME

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.



With students struggling to afford a degree, now is the crucial time to engage families and educate individuals about the variety of options to help them achieve the degree they aspire for. Our team at **AffordableColleges.com** recognized this need and curated a series of resources that delve into saving for college, financial aid and free tools, which can be of use to individuals seeking financial assistance for school. Take a look here:

College Savings Series

529 Plan Guide:

<https://www.affordablecolleges.com/resources/college-savings-plans/>

Financial Aid Guide:

<https://www.affordablecolleges.com/resources/financial-aid-guide/>

Free Laptop Guide:

<https://www.affordablecolleges.com/resources/online-colleges-offer-free-laptops/>



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

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- ✓ 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. 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.**

SMARTFUTURES



SmartFutures.org

- * 75 Career Readiness Artifacts
- * Career Plan and Portfolio
- * Portable Between Schools
- * Customized to Pennsylvania
- * Seamless REMOTE solution

Smart Futures is a Pittsburgh-based non-profit software development organization in the field of education and workforce development. Our mission is to provide schools and education agencies with

SmartFutures.org, an online career planning and portfolio platform that helps all students be ready for post-secondary success.

SmartFutures.org uses Pennsylvania's Academic Standards for Career Education and Work as a blueprint for the software's development.

Implemented in hundreds of schools and agencies in our home state, SmartFutures.org now serves as a proven framework to delivering career planning, skill credentialing, and eMentoring within any classroom in the United States.

Use your Clever Account to log-in!

Need Help?



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

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 www.scsc.state.pa.us

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 landr@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.

Penn State Days



Penn State Days

Visit Penn State's campuses to learn more about our powerful network across the state of Pennsylvania. These campus-wide open houses will include energetic meetings with admissions representatives and opportunities to learn about our top-notch academics, student life, and so much more.

Each Penn State campus offers its own vibrant community, and we encourage you to visit multiple campuses to discover what makes each one uniquely Penn State.

Campus Tour and Information Sessions

Where: Penn State Scranton, Dunmore PA

When: November 1 at 10:00 AM and 3:00 PM

November 3 at 10:00 AM and 3:00 PM

November 8 at 10:00 AM and 3:00 PM

November 10 at 3:00 PM

November 15 at 10:00 AM and 3:00 PM

November 17 at 10:00 AM and 3:00 PM

Penn State Scranton Information Night

Where: Online Event

When: November 18 at 6:00 PM

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Join us *on campus for* **OPEN HOUSE!**

Sunday, October 24 *or* Sunday, November 7

Program begins at 9:00am

We Have The Keys to Your Success.

A Scranton education provides the keys to success that will open doors in your career and in every area of your life.

Join us at one of our two Open Houses and learn all that Scranton has to offer. Attend presentations, take a campus tour, and meet with faculty, students, coaches and staff.

Find out how one of America's premier colleges will open doors for you.



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[ADMISSIONS HOME](#) > [ADMISSIONS INFO & COUNSELOR CONTACTS](#) > [OPEN HOUSE](#)

**JOIN THE
OPEN
HOUSE**

EXCITEMENT!
SEPT 18
OCT 30



Join us on campus for a personal visit!

[SCHEDULE TODAY](#) →

**Schedule a personal visit any time that is
convenient for you!**

Marywood University

Open Houses



Chat with faculty, coaches, and staff. Explore our academic departments. Learn more about the admission process and tour campus. Includes a continental breakfast and lunch on us too.

United States—Pennsylvania

- [Fall Open House](#)
Saturday, October 30 at 9:00 AM
Scranton, PA
- [Fall Open House](#)
Saturday, October 30 at 10:30 AM
Scranton, PA
- [Fall Open House](#)
Saturday, November 13 at 9:00 AM
Scranton, PA
- [Fall Open House](#)
Saturday, November 13 at 10:30 AM
Scranton, PA



Everyone says they have the best campus. But they've never been to Bloomsburg. Join us for a Fall Open House.

Starting your college search? Start with Bloomsburg and join us for a Fall Open House on either: **September 25, October 23, or November 13.**

- *Tour our beautiful campus and preview where you'll live and learn.*
- *Meet with faculty and explore our academic programs.*
- *Learn about the admission process and what we look for in Future Huskies.*
- *Meet with current students to hear about their experiences at BU.*
- *Please **use these directions** to navigate campus.*



Open House

Come see Keystone for the afternoon! Learn about our academic programs, financial aid, and the application process, tour our beautiful campus, and enjoy lunch on us. Check-in for attendees will be 10:00-10:30am.

*Please note that the schedule of events and locations are subject to change, depending on the current situation with COVID-19. Everyone who is registered will receive up to date information via email closer to the event.



Keystone Open House Dates:
On Campus – September 25th & October 23rd
Virtual – November 16th



Fall 2021 Visit Days!

- **Saturday, September 25**
- **Saturday, October 16**
- **Friday, November 12**

Your Visit Day will include:

- **Admissions Presentation**
- **Campus Tour**
- **Meeting with Faculty. Explore your major interest!**
- **Lunch Provided**
- **Financial Aid presentation**
- **Meeting with Current MU students**

Check-in begins at 9:00 am in Straughn Auditorium

Visitors should follow the campus [Health and Safety Plan](#).

REGISTER



Explore all Temple has to offer, in person or virtually.

We know you have a lot of questions about Temple before you apply. You want to know about the school or college in which you're interested, your financial aid opportunities, and our admissions process. Temple's Preview Days offer opportunities to visit campus or connect with us virtually, so you can learn about it all and hear from and interact with representatives from across the university.

On-campus Preview Days

Get a feel for Temple's Main Campus in person. Our On-campus Preview Days include an Undergraduate Admissions presentation, a campus tour led by an Owl Ambassador, and an academic preview hosted by our schools and colleges.

On-campus Preview Days will be offered on the following dates throughout the fall semester. The full program runs from 9:30 a.m.–1 p.m.

- Sunday, Sept. 12
- Saturday, Oct. 16
- Sunday, Oct. 31
- Sunday, Nov. 7

LET HU'S CAMPUS OPEN HOUSE

Open Doors to a Bright Future in STEM

JOIN US AT THE HARRISBURG UNIVERSITY **OPEN HOUSE**

- Find out which scholarships you could receive – everyone gets something
- Meet educators who are celebrated leaders in their field
- See our state-of-the-art STEM facilities and equipment
- Discover new research opportunities available
- Learn about internships and HU's program to launch you into career success

Event | Harrisburg University Undergraduate Programs Open House

When | Thursday, November 11, 2021 | 9:30 AM – 3:00 PM
Continental Breakfast | 9:00 – 9:30 AM

Where | Check-in at the Academic Center at 326 Market Street

Check out our website and come for the OPEN HOUSE!



Scan the QR Code to register or RSVP at:
<https://apply.HarrisburgU.edu/register/OpenHouseSeptember>





Save the date for Luzerne's Fall Open House where you'll learn....

- How easy our OPEN-DOOR ADMISSIONS POLICY makes getting into college!
- How our academic pathways, technical and trades programs can help you transfer successfully or land your dream job!
- How we can help along the way with student support services and accommodations for students with disabilities.
- How to pay for it all. Our financial aid office will break down how FAFSA works, how to get student loans and how to use our payment plan.
- How to have FUN! Our student life and athletics office will join us to fill you in on all of our clubs, activities and athletics.
- Tours and snacks will be available.

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.

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**Thursday,
November 11, 2021**

**Luzerne County
Community College
Campus Center**

6:00 to 7:30 P.M.

• More than 50 •
College and University
Representatives

• U.S. Armed Forces •

• Financial Aid Information •
Session at 6:30 P.M.



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PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT



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MANUFACTURING PRE-APPRENTICESHIP



The Pennsylvania College of Technology Manufacturing Pre-Apprenticeship program

is designed to increase awareness of employment opportunities in manufacturing and expand the number of students choosing manufacturing-related career pathways. The program, which runs from August-June and targets students in grades 9-12, prepares individuals with the foundational skills required to enter a variety of manufacturing occupations. With its alignment to multiple registered apprenticeship programs, this model provides benefits to both the Pre-Apprentices and companies who may ultimately employ them. Pre-Apprentices who successfully complete the program will earn an industry-recognized Manufacturing Technician Level 1 (MT1) certification in addition to a certificate of completion from the College.

A Flexible Model for Any School

The Pre-Apprenticeship program is specifically designed to allow for maximum flexibility. For schools providing little to no instruction in the related topical areas, students will complete a greater number of online modules in order to cover the required training competencies. In schools with manufacturing instructional programs, online modules will be adopted to supplement any areas not adequately covered by existing curriculum. This customization is designed for each school participating in the Pre-Apprenticeship program.



The Pennsylvania College of Technology Pre-Apprenticeship Model



Self-paced online
learning modules



Industry-recognized MT1
Certification



Industry-provided
project templates



Multiple on-campus lab
and assessment days



Project showcase and
industry networking event



Earn a \$500 sign-on bonus*

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Start as soon as 7 days.

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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

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).

The Wayne County Office of Behavioral & Developmental Programs & Early Intervention launched a new Crisis Line on Thursday, July 1, in partnership with the [Center for Community Resources](#) (CCR). Through the toll-free number, **1-833-557-3224 (1-833-55REACH)** CCR provides mental health crisis intervention services, both telephone and mobile, 24 hours a day/7 days a week. Beginning on July 1st, individuals calling Wayne Crisis will reach a live, compassionate, and caring crisis counselor. Individuals calling Wayne Crisis can talk to the crisis counselor on the phone or request that the counselor come to see them in the community. For more information or questions please contact John Nebzydoski at 570-253-9200 or jnebydoski@waynecountypa.gov.



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Crisis Services**

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For 24/7 Crisis Services:
Call 1-833-557-3224
or TEXT #63288

What is Crisis Intervention?

- Crisis Intervention provides intervention, assessment, support, screening, and referral services 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
- Services for anyone who calls, chats, texts, or requests a Crisis Intervention Specialist to come to their home, school or community.
- Follow-up support and referrals to other community providers

When is Crisis Intervention Available?

- Mobile Crisis services are offered 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
- Telephone, Chat and Texting Crisis services are offered 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days per year at:

1-833-557-3224
ccrinfo.org
Text #63288

Services are free and confidential
National Suicide Prevention Lifeline:
1-800-273-TALK

Scholarship Websites

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

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

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

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

Scholarship America:

<https://scholarshipamerica.org/students/browse-scholarships/>

College Xpress: www.collegexpress.com/

Free Scholarship Search:

<https://www.salliemae.com/college-planning/tools/scholarship-search/>

SCHOLARSHIPS 2021-22

WESTERN WAYNE HIGH SCHOOL GUIDANCE

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Scholarship	Criteria	Due Date	Application Location
Marywood University EOC Scholarship Application 2022-2023	Submission of the Educators of Campus (EOC) Scholarship Application does not guarantee acceptance to Marywood University. All applications must be received by the Office of Admissions no later than November 30, 2021. To qualify, prospective students must possess a cumulative GPA of 3.25 on a 4.00 scale and must be referred by an approved Educator on Campus school. For students entering Marywood University in fall 2022, SAT or ACT test scores will be optional. Students who elect to submit scores must possess a minimum SAT score of 1060 total on the Evidence-Based Reading and Math section combined (or a minimum ACT score of 21). Prospective students are awarded \$1,000 per year for a total of four years. A School Counselor must verify the information provided on this application. Only the first 100 scholarships will be considered.	November 30, 2021	See Guidance for details.
10 Words or Less Scholarship	Scholarship Eligibility: A) Anyone who is between the ages of 14-25 who will be attending school in the Fall of 2021. B) This scholarship is provided by StudentScholarships.org. In order to apply for our scholarship follow these instructions: 1. Go to www.facebook.com/myscholarships and place a comment on any post you see answering the question:	November 30, 2021	https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/10258/10_words_or_less_scholarship_scholarship.php

	<p>In 10 words or less, tell us why you deserve the \$500 scholarship.</p> <p>2. Before or After writing your Answer you will also need to "Like" our Facebook page. Note we will only read the answers provided from people that have "Liked" our page.</p>		
The Hagan Scholarship	<p>The Hagan Scholarship is a nationwide need-based merit scholarship designed to help high-achieving students from small towns and rural areas graduate college debt-free. Recipients must:</p> <p>a) graduate from a public high school located in a county having fewer than 50,000 residents, <u>or</u> b) graduate from a remote rural school located in a county having more than 50,000 residents. Hagan Scholars from 43 states are currently enrolled at 358 colleges and universities. Five hundred more scholarships will be awarded in April 2022.</p> <p>The scholarship provides up to \$48,000 over four years to attend college. Recipients must enroll at an eligible four-year not-for-profit college or university the first semester following high school graduation.</p>	December 1, 2021	https://haganscholarships.org/#
APIA Scholarship	<p>The APIA Scholarship Program application must be completed online and submitted electronically once all of the required questions have been answered. You do not have to complete the online application in one sitting. Until you are ready to submit, you may access your application and edit your answers as many times as you like with your login from any computer with internet access. The application will be available for the 2021-2022 academic year from September 8, 2021 until January 26, 2022 at 5:00 PM EST.</p>	January 26, 2022	https://apiascholars.org/scholarship/apia-scholarship/?SFMC_cid=EM190588-&rid=47525211
PA Elk State Association	<p>Open to students who are a child or grandchild of a living Elk member. Accepting students who are furthering their education.</p>	February 7, 2022	http://www.elks.org/enf/scholars/legacy/rules.cfm
PSECU Scholarships	<p>Eligibility Requirements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You must be a PSECU member by December 31, 2021 to be eligible to apply for the 2022 	February 28, 2022	https://www.psecu.com/scholarships

	<p>scholarship. Individuals with a custodial account are eligible to apply. Please note that joint owners are not considered members.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You must be a graduating senior attending a two- or four-year community college, college, or university. The college or university does not have to be in the commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Students attending a technical school are not eligible. 		
Life Lessons Scholarship Fund	Over \$200,000 is awarded annually through the non-profit organization, Life Happens. Life Happens created the Life Lessons Scholarship Fund for high school seniors who have lost a parent. The application requires the student to write an essay about how their life has been impacted with the loss of their parent. For more information click on the link.	Applications accepted between February 1 and March 1, 2022.	https://lifehappens.org/life-lessons-scholarship-program/
Northeastern Pennsylvania Council of Teachers of Mathematics: 2022 Blair E Caboot Memorial Scholarship	<p>The NPCTM annually presents \$750 scholarship to a deserving senior student from NEPA. Eligible applicants must attend school in one of the following counties: Bradford, Lackawanna, Luzerne, Monroe, Pike, Susquehanna, Sullivan, Wayne, Wyoming.</p> <p>A transcript and recommendation letter from one of the student's math teachers is required.</p>	Applications due March 4, 2022	Go to www.npctm.org to apply
American Legion Scholarships	Many different scholarships available	Check website for deadlines	https://www.legion.org/scholarships
Discover Nursing	Open to seniors pursuing the field of nursing. Will help you find scholarships	Check website for deadlines	http://www.discovernursing.com/scholarships#levels=high-school
Opportunity Scholarships – College Board	View more details on College Board website	varies	www.collegeboard.org
Student Scholarships	A variety of scholarships are open to different grade levels.	Varies	www.studentscholarships.org
The Lackawaxen River Conservancy Scholarship	<p>The Lackawaxen River Conservancy Scholarship is open to all college-bound twelfth-grade students who</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> attend school in the Lackawaxen Watershed. (The high schools in the Lackawaxen Watershed are Honesdale H. S., Wallenpaupack Area H.S., 	April 20, 2022	See Guidance for details.

	<p>Western Wayne H. S., and Canaan Christian Academy H. S.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • intend to pursue a career supporting environmental conservation • plan to major in college in a subject area that will lead to the achievement of this career goal. <p>The amount of the award is \$500.</p> <p>APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS</p> <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 and recommendation from counselor 4. Official transcript including GPA. 5. High school profile 6. Recommendation from a science teacher <p>Deadline: April 20, 2022</p>		
Global Lift Equipment Scholarship	<p>To be eligible for the Global Lift Equipment Scholarship (\$500) a student must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Be currently attending or planning on attending a post-secondary institution in the US or Canada by the Fall of 2021. 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. 	April 15, 2022	https://www.studentscholarships.org/college_scholarship_applications.php
Lift Parts Express Scholarship	<p>To be eligible for the Lift Parts Express Scholarship (\$500) a student must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 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 2021 	April 30, 2022	https://www.studentscholarships.org/letter.php

	5) Submit a completed online application form prior to the deadline.		
Kids Chance Scholarship	Kids Chance is a nonprofit organization which provides educational scholarships to students who have a deceased or catastrophically injured parent due to a work-related accident. Their scholarships may be used for both college and vocational education. They are also renewable awards.	Deadlines not posted yet	https://www.kidschance.org/states/
Veterans Affairs Survivors and Dependent Assistance	If you are a child or spouse of a service member who died in the line of duty, you may be eligible for this assistance. The funds may cover educational supplies and books, tuition, housing and training. This program also serves to assist children or spouses of a service member who was permanently disabled on duty or is missing in action.	Deadline not posted yet	https://www.va.gov/education/survivor-dependent-benefits/

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*****Deadlines vary, and new scholarships can pop up at any time!**

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