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Dear Parents/Guardians of Juniors:

We would like to take this opportunity to provide you with important information regarding your child's junior year. Whether your son/daughter is going on to college, a vocational or technical school, the military or entering the world of work, now is the time to begin the process. The information below outlines important steps involved in post-secondary planning. We look forward to assisting you and your son/daughter with this process.

Timeline for Juniors:

- **March**-Students meet with their School Counselor to:
 - Schedule classes for senior year
 - Discuss college and career plans
 - Research colleges-considerations may include:
 1. Location
 2. Majors
 3. Size of school

- **April/May**- Schedule SAT and/or ACT for May/June
 - www.collegeboard.com
Register for May 8 exam by April 8
Register for June 5 exam by May 6
 - www.act.org
Register for June 12 exam by May 7

School Code is 331625

- **April/May/June**- College campus visits
 - Open House
 - Small group tours and interviews
 - College fairs

This timeline is provided to get you started with the process. If you need further information or assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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- Further information can be accessed on the Guidance website (www.gblions.org) by clicking on **Jr./Sr. Timelines**.
- Visit the Guidance website to check out these helpful links :
 - www.careerzone.org
 - www.suny.edu
 - www.mynextmove.org
 - www.khanacademy.org/test-prep/sat
- A resume template is available on our website.

10 Tips for Visiting a College Campus-

Due to current circumstances check college websites for specific information

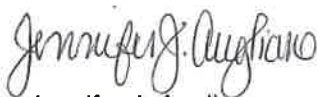
Your campus visit experience may be one of the most influential factors in your college selection process. Following are 10 tips for making the most of your experience.

1. Always call ahead to ask about visit opportunities, including interviews, classroom or overnight visits and open houses.
2. If you're unfamiliar with the area, request a copy of directions to campus.
3. Schedule an appointment for an interview. If you'd like to meet with a coach or professor, inform the Admission Office counselors so they can advise you in making those arrangements.
4. Dress appropriately but comfortably for your interview.
5. Research the college, and be prepared to ask questions of your own during the interview. Remember: You want to find out whether the college is a good fit for you.
6. Arrive on time.
7. Pick up campus literature during your visit – the college newspaper, college catalog or financial aid brochures, for instance.
8. Arrange to eat in one of the campus dining halls.
9. Take a student-led tour, and then explore the campus on your own. Ask your tour guide and other current students about their experiences.
10. Before leaving, take some time to explore the surrounding community

Virtual Tours on College websites are available as well!

We are here to help you through this process so please do not hesitate to contact us at 315-779-2300 with any questions or concerns.

Yours in Education,



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