

2019 WORKSHOP SCHEDULE - COLLEGE FAIR TENT OPENS AT 10:30AM

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| MIDDLE SCHOOL CAFETERIA (MAIN) | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>THE COLLEGE ESSAY: AN INSIDER'S GUIDE</u> Moderator: Cerena Seeber</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Davidson College, Texas Christian University</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Your 'story' is important; develop a strong essay to grab your reader's attention.</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>THE COLLEGE ESSAY: AN INSIDER'S GUIDE</u> Moderator: Christina Capelli</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Chapman University, St. John's College</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Your 'story' is important; develop a strong essay to grab your reader's attention.</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>STUDYING STEM: WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, WHY & HOW</u> Moderator: Shawn Robinson</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Emory University, Colorado School of Mines</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>21st Century graduates need more in-depth knowledge of STEM areas to solve present and future challenges. Learn about STEM majors, programs, research, and careers.</i></p> |
| MIDDLE SCHOOL MAIN GYM (LOWER LEVEL) | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>OUT-OF-STATE PUBLIC ADMISSIONS</u> Moderator: Susanne Morrison</p> <p style="text-align: center;">University of Oklahoma, University of Virginia, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, University of Oregon, University of Vermont</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>The admission and financial aid landscape can be dramatically different when you are an out-of-state student applying to a public institution. How?</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>THE COLLEGE-BOUND STUDENT ATHLETE</u> Moderator: Amanda Trendall</p> <p style="text-align: center;">New England College</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Hope to compete at the college level? Important information about recruitment, NCAA & NAIA rules and regulations, and what it's like to play in college as a Division I, II or III student-athlete.</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>THE COLLEGE-BOUND STUDENT ATHLETE</u> Moderator: Amanda Trendall</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Tufts University</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Hope to compete at the college level? Important information about recruitment, NCAA rules and regulations, and what it's like to play in college as a Division I, II or III student-athlete.</i></p> |
| MIDDLE SCHOOL ROOM 358 (UPPER LEVEL) | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>COME FLY WITH ME!</u> Brad Morrison American Airlines Cadet Program</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Straight from high school to the skies. Come learn about this unique program training our next generation of pilots.</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>STANDARDIZED TESTING</u> John Haskell Test Preparation Specialist and Strategist</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>A guide to standardized tests and their place in the admissions process. Which tests to take? When and how to prepare?</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>STANDARDIZED TESTING</u> John Haskell Test Preparation Specialist and Strategist</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>A guide to standardized tests and their place in the admissions process. Which tests to take? When and how to prepare?</i></p> |
| MIDDLE SCHOOL ROOM 360 (UPPER LEVEL) | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>MAXIMIZING COLLEGE WITH LEARNING DIFFERENCES</u> Moderator: Katie Diemer</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Lynn University, Augsburg University</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Learn how institutions support student success through academic and social/emotional resources and how/why students can advocate for themselves.</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>DIGITAL MEDIA ART & DESIGN</u> Moderator: Stephanie Nixon</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Colorado Mountain College, Champlain College, College for Creative Studies, Rocky Mountain College of Art & Design</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>The intersection of art and technology is a moving target with careers that rapidly change. Choosing a school that teaches how to adapt as technology evolves is important. Learn what you need to consider in a college.</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>LET'S GET DOWN TO BUSINESS</u> Moderator:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Fordham University, University of Colorado, Boulder, University of Denver, Northeastern University</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Interested in pursuing business and/or economics? What is the study of business all about and how can you maximize your years in college to market yourself and explore the business industry.</i></p> |
| MIDDLE SCHOOL ROOM 363 (UPPER LEVEL) | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>BENEFITS OF A GAP YEAR</u> Moderator: Karen Hawkes</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Winterline, Verto, Where There Be Dragons, Taylor the Gap LLC</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>What is a Gap Year? Why would a student choose this? Taking a semester or year off before college can be transformative. Hear why and some available options.</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>THE IMPORTANCE OF DIVERSITY: NATIVE, LATINO, AFRICAN-AMERICAN, 1st GEN POPULATIONS</u> Moderator: David Smith</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Santa Clara University, Oregon State, Swarthmore College, Whittier College</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Hear why colleges value diverse populations and the range of services (academic, social and emotional) for multicultural students and communities</i></p> |  |

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| ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AUXILIARY GYM (MAIN LEVEL) | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>INTERNATIONAL OPTIONS</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator: Sarah Strassburger</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Franklin University, Switzerland, Quest, Canada, University of St. Andrews, Scotland</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>More and more students are choosing to attend college abroad. Learn about just a few of the unique options available.</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>MILITARY COLLEGES, SERVICE ACADEMIES & ROTC</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator: Dwayne Romero</p> <p style="text-align: center;">US Air Force, US Naval Academy, US Military Academy at West Point</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Nominations, offers of appointment, admissions, commissions and service obligations.</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>PRACTICAL PATHWAYS TO THE DEGREE YOU WANT</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator: Sarah Strassburger</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Colorado Mountain College, Colorado State University, Pueblo, Aims Community College</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Begin your education and/or start your career with affordable two-year or four-year degrees, training, and certificates</i></p> |
| ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MAIN GYM (LOWER LEVEL) | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>SMALL SCHOOLS, BIG IMPACT</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator: Jennifer Morandi-Benson</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Colgate University, Hobart & William Smith Colleges, Carleton College, Lake Forest College</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>A panel of liberal arts colleges defined by collaborative and life-long learning with passionate teaching and student engagement.</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>TEST-OPTIONAL COLLEGES</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator: Charlie Laube</p> <p style="text-align: center;">University of Chicago, Denison University, Bates College, Wake Forest University</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>These schools are eliminating or de-emphasizing standardized tests. Come learn why they've made this change and what they are looking for in their application pool.</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>FOR THE ARTISTIC SOULS: ART, DANCE, DESIGN, DRAMA, MUSIC & FILM</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator: Stephanie Nixon</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Carnegie Mellon University, University of Colorado, Boulder, Oklahoma City University, Lawrence University, Cornish College of the Arts</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>If your passion is performing on stage, playing in the orchestra, or honing your talent for acrylics, there's a college for you.</i></p> |
| HIGH SCHOOL BLACKBOX THEATER (LOWER LEVEL) | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>HIGHLY SELECTIVE COLLEGES</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator: Killeen Brettmann</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Williams College, Duke University, Yale University, Claremont McKenna College</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>With increasing competition and rising standards, hear what 'highly selective' schools look for.</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>HIGHLY SELECTIVE COLLEGES</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator: Killeen Brettmann</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Dartmouth College, Georgetown University, Pomona College, Brown University, Vanderbilt University</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>With increasing competition and rising standards, hear what 'highly selective' schools look for.</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>HIGHLY SELECTIVE COLLEGES</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator: Killeen Brettman</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Harvard University, Columbia University, Rice University, Wesleyan University</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>With increasing competition and rising standards, hear what 'highly selective' schools look for.</i></p> |
| HIGH SCHOOL MAIN GYM (NEXT TO BLACKBOX, LOWER LEVEL) | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>WESTERN UNDERGRADUATE EXCHANGE (TUITION EXCHANGE) & CHOICES IN OUR BACKYARD (CL)</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator: Cezar Mesquita</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Western Washington University, University of Wyoming, University of Montana Western</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Learn about schools where students are eligible for reduced tuition.</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>THE ROAD AHEAD: COLLEGE (ESPECIALLY FOR 9th/10th GRADE)</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator: Karen Hawkes, College Counselor</p> <p style="text-align: center;">John Mires, Hastings College</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Tips for students and parents when preparing for college.</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u>THE ROAD AHEAD: COLLEGE (ESPECIALLY FOR 9th/10th GRADE)</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator: Charlie Laube, College Counselor</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Christina DeCario, College of Charleston</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Tips for students and parents when preparing for college.</i></p> |