



WYWLA Junior Conferences

Name:

Date:

Congratulations! You're halfway through high school and on your way to successfully transitioning to our early college setting. This conference is an opportunity to take stock of where you are and make sure you are still on track for where you are headed.

When I graduate from high school, I want to:

What are three or four key things that you need to be doing in the next two years to make this a reality?

Let's take a look at your grades. My current weighted GPA is:

My current unweighted GPA is:

Colleges look most closely at which GPA?

I still need the following courses to graduate:

Standardized Testing

PSAT: The PSAT will be given on Wednesday, October 15th on the WYWLA campus. The benefits of taking the PSAT my junior year include:

I can sign up for the PSAT by:

SAT: The SAT is administered 7 times a year (Oct., Nov., Dec., Jan., March, May, June) I register for the SAT at:

I plan to take the SAT in the following months:

The SAT is scored:

I can report SAT scores:

It is ideal to complete standardized testing by:

Fee waivers:

SAT Subject Tests:

ACT: All juniors take the ACT, plus Writing, for free this March. If I take an additional ACT, I must sign up for the ACT plus Writing for my scores to count.

How is the ACT different than the SAT?

I can register for the ACT at:

I can report ACT scores:

Do colleges have a preference of whether students take the SAT or ACT?

I can prepare for the SAT and ACT by:

Reference attached WYWLA Standardized Testing FAQ's.

College Exploration

I am currently interested in majoring in:

Type of college: Public, Private or No Preference

In state or out of state

I can explore colleges by:

I have already taken the following steps to explore colleges:

College admissions officers are looking most closely at _____

in competitive applicants.

I can set up a college tour by:

I should look for the following in a college tour:

Questions to ask on a college tour:

I can see average GPA's and test scores for colleges at <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/college-search?navid=gh-cs> , but I understand that this is not the only factor driving my college exploration.

I am most interested in the following three colleges:

College Admissions Timeline – Early vs. Regular Decision Deadlines. How do I prepare for each deadline in my junior year?

How do I access individual undergraduate applications and deadline information?

Extracurricular Activities & Honors

Letters of Recommendation

Who are two current teachers you could comfortably ask for a letter of recommendation, and why? What can you do this school year to improve your relationship with these teachers?

Student Questions & Counselor Answers