

Brookfield High School School Counseling News

May 2, 2019

Dear BHS Students and Families,

Juniors – SAT Results



Scores from the 2019 Connecticut SAT School Day administration will be available through the College Board K-12 Assessment Reporting portal beginning May 2nd. Students who took the test on the makeup date, results will be available on May 16th.

Student Access to Scores

- Students need a College Board account to view their score (click “sign up” to register for an account, if needed)
- Students should log in at <https://studentscores.collegeboard.org/viewscore>.
- For additional questions about the K-12 Reporting Portal contact the College Board at 1-888-728-4357 or k12reports@info.collegeboard.org. For more information about using the portal, please visit the College Board’s website.

*Some scores will be released later for reasons that may include missing information on the answer sheet, or other conditions that require attention. These students will receive an email from the College Board as their scores are released.

Junior Advisement

Mr. Szabo is currently meeting with junior families for post high school planning. An email was sent to all families on January 16th with more information. To schedule a meeting, students should work with their parents to complete the following **Google form**, and then Mrs. Hopcroft will notify families of their scheduled meeting date and time.

Freshman Check-in Meetings

We made it out of winter and are looking ahead to the excitement and warmth that spring brings! As part of our commitment to fostering a strong partnership between home and school, the school counselors would like to invite you in for a 9th grade check-in meeting.

9th grade check in meetings will be scheduled for 30 minutes in length during students’ study hall/free periods, and we hope that parents can join these meetings as well. To schedule a meeting with their school counselor, students should work with their parents to complete the following **Google form**, which includes a few questions that will allow us to better prepare for our meeting.

Once you have submitted this form, Mrs. Hopcroft will email you with your scheduled meeting date and time.

Coming Up This Month

AP Exams begin May 6 and run through May 17. Students taking an exam should report to lower Science wing at 7:15 am for morning exams and 11:45 am for noon exams.

BHS Counselors

May EVENTS



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

AP Exams Monday, May 6 through Friday, May 17

Friday, May 24 - Early Dismissal - 11:00 a.m.

Monday, May 27 - Memorial Day - No School

Thursday, May 30 - Undergrad Awards

Friday, May 31 - Senior Prom @ The Waterview

SAT & ACT

Friendly Reminder - register for ACT & SAT

[Click here](#) to register for the ACT. [Click here](#) to register for the SAT!

Test Prep Resources- [Click here](#) to check out useful links for test prep resources on our web page.

Scholarships!!!



Scholarships

Seniors - Check out some of the new scholarships listed in the [Scholarships Google Document](#) and Naviance-- **including one for ECE students**. Please contact or see Mrs. Hopcroft in the Counseling Office if you need a transcript for a scholarship application, and give teachers and counselors at least 2 weeks notice to prepare letters of recommendation for your application.

10 Things You Still Need To Do Even After You've Chosen Your College

You put in a lot of hard work over the past four years. You dedicated yourself to service projects and passionately pursued extracurriculars. You studied for standardized tests, and when you weren't satisfied with your first scores, you prepped and prepped again. You completed your courses with diligence and took responsibility for your academic achievement, and it paid off.

You made it through college application season, and you've chosen the school that you're going to attend. You're nearing the finish line. You can finally breathe a sigh of relief, right?

Well, yes and no.

[Click here for the full article.](#)



CAMP CRYPTOBOT

July 29 – August 2, 2019

8:30 AM – 3:30 PM

A GENCYBER CYBERSECURITY CAMP FOR RISING 9TH - 12TH GRADERS

Pace University – Pleasantville Campus

Program Overview

Camp CryptoBot is a dynamic, co-ed interactive and mission-driven camp that introduces high-school students to the basics of cybersecurity utilizing SeaPerch (underwater robot), mini-drones, and spheros. Students learn how to code in Python, solder, and conduct problem-solving missions using cryptography. **The program is tuition FREE** and sponsored by GenCyber and the National Security Agency.

What Will Participants Learn

This college bound program for high school students introduces fundamental concepts of cryptography and coding using Python.

Participants will:

- Learn about design thinking
- Apply cybersecurity principles and cyber ethics
- Build and test water robots
- Fly mini-drones and program spheros using Python

How Do I Apply?

Complete the online registration form and email your essay as to why you wish to attend along with your immunization records to campcyber@pace.edu. Applicants will be notified of their acceptance to the camp on or before May 30, 2019. Seats are limited, so apply early.

More Questions?

To register online or learn more about Camp CryptoBot go to <https://www.pace.edu/seidenberg/special-events/genCyber/students-camp>

Camp Director: Dr. Pauline Mosley

voicemail: 914-773-3986 | email: campcyber@pace.edu



Juniors

College Board Opportunity Scholarships is open to Students in the Class of 2020!!

The College Board Opportunity Scholarships recognize students who take six key actions to prepare for college.

- 1. Build Your College List**
Get started by exploring colleges you're interested in with BigFuture™.
\$500 (600 scholarships)
- 2. Practice for the SAT®**
Get ready for test day with Official SAT Practice on Khan Academy®.
\$1,000 (1,500 scholarships)
- 3. Improve Your Score**
Show how practice pays off by improving your SAT score.
\$2,000 (150 scholarships)
- 4. Strengthen Your College List**
Make sure your college list has a mix of academic safety, fit, and reach schools.
\$500 (400 scholarships)
- 5. Complete the FAFSA**
Fill out the free government form to apply for financial aid.
\$1,000 (800 scholarships)
- 6. Apply to Colleges**
Apply to the schools you want to attend.
\$1,000 (500 scholarships)



Complete all six key actions to be eligible for the **Complete Your Journey Scholarship**
\$40,000
(25 scholarships)

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Human Anatomy and Physiology Exploration of Structure and Function Summer Science Enrichment Program

July 15-20, 2019

This program is designed for rising high school juniors and seniors who have completed a biology course and interested in gaining in-depth knowledge of human anatomy and physiology. This commuter camp is ideal for area students interested in exploring medicine and other health professions. *Supported by the College of Arts & Sciences, the College of Nursing and the College of Health Professions.

[Apply Online](#)

For More Information: [Click Here](#)

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- ✓ All 18 year old men must register within 30 days of your 18th birthday.
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- ✓ Register online at www.sss.gov
- ✓ You will receive a Selective Service card by mail within 2 weeks of registration.

For more information: Selective Service System
Registration Information Office
P.O. Box 94638
Palatine, IL 60094-4638
Or call 1-847-688-6888



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The American Legion Department of Connecticut

American Legion Boys State - A Leadership Program for High School Juniors

As a program of The American Legion, Boys State developed from the concept that youth should be offered a better perspective of the practical operation of government; that the individual is an integral part and commensurately responsible for the character and success of his government. As such, it is an activity of high educational value, born out of a need for youth training in practical citizenship.

Boys State is easily classified as a leadership action program where qualified male high school juniors take part in a practical government course designed to develop in the young citizens a working knowledge of the structure of government and to impress upon them the fact that government is just what they make it.

To qualify to attend Connecticut Boys State, a student must be a **male high school junior**, maintaining a C or better average and a resident of the state of Connecticut. Boys State is a recognized activity of CASSP (Connecticut Association of Secondary School Principals) and time off from scheduled school activities is generally permitted to boys selected to attend the program. The Connecticut American Legion Boys' State Leadership Program will take place from **Saturday, June 22 through Thursday, June 27, 2019. There is no cost to the delegates. If you are interested, please see your Counselor.**

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A Premier Summer Program for High School Students

We have a summer in Storrs for you!

UConn Pre-College Summer provides high school students (class of 2020, 2021 or 2022) the opportunity to live and learn at a nationally ranked public university campus through four challenging and intensive one-week sessions. Within each one-week session, students focus on one field of their choice, attending classes taught by UConn professors each day. Other opportunities include workshops designed to assist with the transitions after high school.

2019 Pre-College Summer Dates:

- Session 1:** July 7 – July 13
- Session 2:** July 14 – July 20
- Session 3:** July 21 – July 27
- Session 4:** July 28 – August 3

Visit UCONN Pre-College Summer website at <https://precollege-summer.uconn.edu/faq/>