# COLLEGE REPRESENTATIVES AT BHS

1000 + COLLEGES & Eastern Connecticut Univ of Hartford Fairfield Sacred Heart UNIVERSITIES ARE Marist Univ of Bridgeport

SIGNED UP TO VISIT BHS SO FAR!

Univ of Colorado Boulder Univ of Delaware Univ of South Carolina American (DC)

Univ of Miami

University of New Hampshire

UMass Amherst

Boston University

Miami Univ Oxford (OH) Roanoke (VA) Davidson (NC)

Campbell (NC)

Fashion Institute of Design

and Merchandising (LA)

Springfield Roger Williams

Salve Regina Univ of New Haven

Western Connecticut

Central Connecticut

Quinnipiac

**UConn** 

Savannah College of Art & Design Ringling College of Art & Design

### WHY ATTEND?

- To learn about any and all aspects of the school--academics, admissions requirements, social environment, etc.
- To demonstrate interest
- To ask questions

# WHAT'S THE FORMAT?

- 30 minutes in length
- Usually held in the Counseling Office Conference Room
- Usually small group of students + counselor
- Sometimes reps have a speech prepared; sometimes more informal Q & A

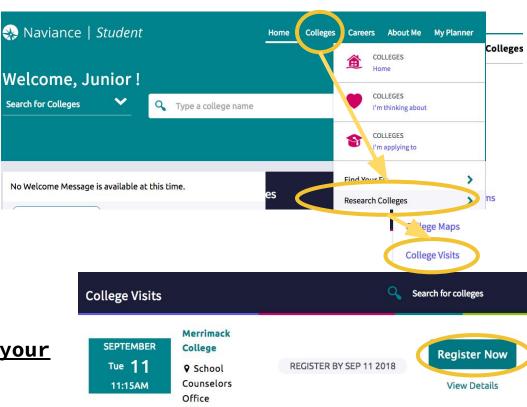
#### SIGNING UP FOR A VISIT

1. Sign in at naviance.com with your BHS email and password. Use the "Forgot your password?" tool if necessary. (Don't keep guessing or

2. View the list of colleges by going to Colleges → Research Colleges → College Visits.

vou'll be Locked out.)

- 3. If a college visit falls during a flex, lunch, or study hall, you may attend. If it falls during class, you must get permission from the teacher.
- 4. Register for the visit in Naviance, and <u>put a reminder in your</u> phone or calendar.



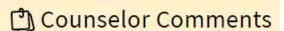
#### WHAT IF I CAN'T ATTEND OR I'M ABSENT?

 Complete a "Request for Information" card in the Counseling Office ahead of time, and give it to Mrs. Hopcroft to give to the admissions counselor.

2. Check Naviance (Overview → Counselor Comments) after the visit for updated information, including the admission counselor's name and contact information and the latest admissions data. Consider emailing the admissions counselor to convey your interest in the college. University of Massachusetts-Lowell 🔘

Overview

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ADMISSIONS COUNSELOR: Troy Lazaro, troy\_lazaro@um

ADMISSIONS DATA: 3.60 average GPA, 1236 average SAT for competitive programs and scholarships

HONORS PROGRAM/SCHOLARSHIPS: automatically revi

MAJORS/PROGRAMS: Engineering and Nursing are popul program

SCHOOL PROFILE: 11,468 undergraduates, most diverse

CAMPUS: Housing is guaranteed for freshmen and alway

LOCATION: Located . . .

## ON THE DAY OF THE VISIT

- 1. If coming from <u>study hall or class</u>, check-in with the teacher and <u>get a pass</u> to the Counseling Office. If coming from flex or lunch, go straight to the Counseling Office.
- 2. <u>Check-in with Mrs. Hopcroft</u> once you get to the Counseling Office. Wait until Mrs. Hopcroft or a counselor directs you to the Conference Room.
- 3. Often the rep will have you **complete an inquiry card** with basic information. These are a way to demonstrate interest in the college, so we encourage you to complete them.
- 4. Before you leave, see Mrs. Hopcroft to <u>sign a thank you card</u> to the representative.

We encourage you to...

Keep in mind how you are presenting yourself to the college representative.

These people are often
the first (and
sometimes only) readers
for applications from
BHS students.

\*introduce yourself

\*shake hands

\*make eye contact

\*ask questions

\*thank them for coming

Also, avoid wearing clothing/hats of another college on the day of the visit.

https://www.saraharberson.com/blog/10-things-to-keep-in-mind-when-an-admissions-officer-visits-your-high-school

Questions to ask:

Admissions:

-Test optional?

-Self-report scores?

-How many letters of recommendation and from whom?