



# Summer College Readiness Workshops

Sponsored by Springbrook & Blake H.S. College/Career Centers

*All workshops are FREE and held at Springbrook H.S.*

*Parents and Guardians are welcome to participate.*

Scheduled as of 6/9/16:

- June 21, 2016      **University of Maryland Baltimore County field trip** 8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
Target Audience: Grades 11 & 12 (deadline: **June 14, 2016**)  
Participants will attend Admissions Information session and tour the college campus. They may purchase lunch at the dining hall (\$10.00) or bring a bag lunch. Bus fee: \$9.00
- June 22, 2016      **Resume Writing Workshop** 9:30-11:30 am  
Target Audience: Grades 10-12  
Students will learn how to develop a resume including format and content.
- June 30, 2016      **Towson University field trip** 8:30 a.m. – 1:15 p.m.  
Target Audience: Grades 11 & 12 (deadline: **June 20, 2016**)  
Participants will attend Admissions Information session and tour the TU campus. They may purchase lunch at the dining hall (\$10.50) or bring a bag lunch. Bus fee: \$10.00
- July 7, 2016      **ASVAB Career Exploration Test** 8:00 – 10:30 a.m.  
Target Audience: Grades 11 & 12  
Free Career/Aptitude Test –especially for students who are unsure of what they want to do after high school.
- July 12, 2016      **College Essay Writing Workshop** 8:30 – 11:00 a.m.  
Target Audience: Grades 11 & 12  
Students will get a jump start on essay writing for college and scholarship applications.
- July 13, 2016      **SAT/ACT Boot Camp** 9:00-11:00 am  
Target Audience: Grades 11 & 12  
Students will learn about the differences between the SAT & ACT and strategies for preparing for these exams.

- July 14, 2016      **College Search & Admissions Process Workshop**  
8:30 – 11:00 a.m.  
Target Audience: Grades 11 & 12  
Students will learn how to identify colleges that are a good fit by researching admissions requirements, application and scholarship deadlines.
- July 20, 2016      **Mock SAT/ACT Combo Test** 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.  
Target Audience: Grades 10 - 12  
Take a mock exam provided by Kaplan that includes both SAT and ACT questions to see which test might be a better fit for you. Scores will be emailed to participants but parents are encouraged to make an appointment with Kaplan for score interpretation.
- July 21, 2016      **ASVAB Score Interpretation** 8:30 – 10:00 a.m.  
Target Audience: Students who took the test on July 7, 2016  
Students will receive their scores and feedback from this free career test.
- July 26, 2016      **Financial Aid Application Process/Searching for Scholarships** 9:00-10:30 a.m.  
Target Audience: Grade 12  
Learn about the FAFSA application process, available October 1, 2016 and how to search for scholarships.
- August 2, 2016      **Common Application/Naviance Workshop** 8:30 -- 11:00 a.m.  
Target Audience: **Grade 12 ONLY**  
What is the Common Application? How do you complete it? How do you submit it to participating colleges/universities? How does Naviance link with the Common App?

***Students are encouraged to sign up in their College/Career Center or send an email to:***

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