

NORTHWEST SENIOR YEAR COLLEGE CAREER SURVIVAL GUIDE

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How? what?
 when?

Department Secretary: TBD

Transcript Requests → Naviance eDocs → Registrar's Office

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College Career Resources Navigation Center → College Career related support → Scholarships &
 Financial Aid → Naviance | Student account support

College Career Navigator: Ms. Lisa Miller (Lisa_A_Miller@mcpsmd.org)

COLLEGE TESTING:The SAT: sat.collegeboard.org (866) 756-7346 | The ACT: actstudent.org (319) 337-1270

Registration fee waiver info @

montgomeryschoolsmd.org/schools/northwesths/careercenter/testinginfo

Northwest CEEB Code: 210-589 • Northwest SAT Test Site Code: 21-298

Prepare!**COLLEGE TEST PREP:**Khan Academy on the web @ khanacademy.org/test-prepPrep courses offered through MC Workforce Development @ montgomerycollege.edu/wdce**FINANCIAL AID & SCHOLARSHIP Information**Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) → StudentAid.gov

Maryland State Aid → MD CAPS

→ The MHEC One App for undocumented students @ mhec.maryland.govCSS Profile @ cssprofile.collegeboard.org

Scholarship support @

montgomeryschoolsmd.org/schools/northwesths/careercenter/scholarships

MCPS Financial Aid Seminar Schedules @

montgomeryschoolsmd.org/curriculum/careercenter/**Career & College Major Exploration → ASVAB (Armed Services Vocational Battery) → FREE**

Details To Be Announced!

THE COLLEGE APPLICATION PROCESS INTERNET RESOURCES!NAVIANCE | STUDENT @ [HTTPS://STUDENT.NAVIANCE.COM/NORTHWEST](https://student.naviance.com/northwest)THE COMMON APP @ COMMONAPP.ORG | COALITION @ COALITIONFORCOLLEGEACCESS.ORG




NORTHWEST COLLEGE APPLICATION PROCESS FOR SENIORS

Access forms @ www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/schools/northwesths/counseling/

THE PROCESS → BEGIN AFTER AUGUST 1

Decide WHERE you are applying

Create your list in Naviance  Colleges I'm Thinking About >>>> Colleges I'm Applying To

Decide HOW you are applying. Online thru the college web site | Common App | Coalition App | by Mail


Complete the Release of Records & Early Decision Acknowledgement Form and the College & Scholarship Transcript Request Form (online from the counseling web page)

Complete the Northwest Brag Sheet/Self-Evaluation for Letters of Recommendations and provide a copy to your recommenders

Request recommendation letters in person and by email, and using Naviance | Student

Request college test scores be sent electronically to institutions

Begin the applications

 It looks like you are not currently able to apply to Common App schools.

Match your Common App account to Naviance Student account to get started.

Tip for Common App Use with Naviance | Student

→ View the Common App Matching Tutorial Video thru your Naviance | Student account

Match Accounts

Access forms @ <https://www2.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/schools/northwesths/counseling/>

REGISTRAR'S OFFICE DEADLINES: (APPROX. 3 WEEK TURNAROUND ON ALL REQUESTS)

Request letters of recommendation at least 3 weeks prior to due/deadline date!
→ View the Letters of Recommendation Tutorial in Naviance | Student

College Deadline	Deadline to Submit Transcript Request:
October 15	September 24
November 1	October 10
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November 30 / December 1	November 10
December 15	November 21
January 1	December 11
January 15	December 19

DOCUMENTS SENT FROM YOUR REGISTRAR'S OFFICE (SENT ELECTRONICALLY OR BY US MAIL):

- Transcript sent directly to admissions office
- NW Secondary School Report Form
- Counselor Letter of Recommendation
- Northwest High School Profile

Teachers can send/submit their own letters of recommendation by US mail (student provided stamped envelope) or electronically using Naviance.

NAVIANCE | STUDENT ICON GUIDE TO HELP YOU TRACK YOUR APPLICATIONS:

Delivery type | How Are You Applying | Submission



(Mail Only) Icon represents a college that only accepts documents submitted by mail.



(Electronic) Icon represents colleges that accept documents electronically via Naviance eDocs.



(Common App) Icon represents colleges that are members of the Common App and accept documents electronically via Naviance eDocs. Student has chosen to apply via the Common App and indicated "Yes" in Naviance | Student > Colleges I'm Applying to.



(Unknown) Icon represents a student who has added a Common App college but has not indicated whether or not he or she plans to apply via the Common App.



(Common App via Electronic) Icon is displayed when a student has selected a Common App college but indicated he or she is not applying via the Common App.



(Common App mail only) Icon displays when a student selects a Common App college and indicates that he or she is not applying via the Common App. The school is not an electronic destination. Documents must be printed and mailed to the college destination.