



## Scholarships

The following scholarships are available in the counseling office.

\*Denotes a new scholarship this week.

### COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS:

\*Washington University is offering the Danforth Scholars Program. Criteria: senior, high academic, commitment to community service, & high moral character. Nomination due by: Oct. 15. See Mrs. O'Donnell for more information.

### NATIONAL/STATE/METRO SCHOLARSHIPS:

\*Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Foundation is hosting a Constitution Day Essay Contest. Criteria: Must be a senior. Go to [www.kcmba.org](http://www.kcmba.org) or stop by counseling. Due: Oct. 1

\*Greater KC Crime Stoppers TIPS Hotline Scholarship Criteria: senior, 2 teacher recommendations, & 750-1000 word essay. Due: Nov. 26

\*MO Cattlemen Foundation Scholarship Criteria: member of MO Jr. Cattlemen's Assoc. or parent is a member of MO Cattlemen's Assoc., senior, 2.5+ GPA, leadership. Preference given to Ag. majors and MO college bound. Due: Oct. 1

\*MO Dept of Higher Education offers Bright Flight Criteria: senior, 30+ ACT score, attend MO college/university.

\*National Merit Scholarship Corp. Criteria: PSAT qualifying score. Test given to juniors in November.

WEEKS OF AUGUST 30-SEPTEMBER 3

## Sept–Senior To Do List

- Download college applications and check deadlines.
- Send transcript to college choices.
- Narrow list of colleges to 5 to 10.
- Take ACT and have score sent to colleges.
- Attend college planning events.

## Dates To Remember

BSSHS College Planning Night-Sept 23

College Fair Oct 5 @ BSHS

## Testing Information

ACT #1 is Sept. 11.

ACT #2-Oct. 23. Registration through Sept 17. Late registration is Sept 18 –Oct 1.

SAT #1 is Oct. 9. Registration deadline is Sept 10. Late registrations is Sept. 11–Sept. 24

## College Visits

MISSOURI S&T GIRLS “LOCK-IN” CONFERENCE – Oct. 8-9 on the MO S&T campus in Rolla. Open to 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> grade girls interested in science and engineering. \$40 fee due by Sept. 15. Apply at <http://wise.mst.edu>.

MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE – Criminal Justice Administration Dept. Open House & Career Fest. Sept. 29<sup>th</sup> 9 am – 1 pm on MSSU campus. RSVP to Angela Bennett (417) 625-9302 or [bennett-angela@mssu.edu](mailto:bennett-angela@mssu.edu).

MU ENGINEERING HIGH SCHOOL OUTREACH – High School Weekend – Oct. 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>. Visit the campus, meet current students, stay in the dorms, and check out different engineering careers and majors. For more info, contact Tina Balsler – (573) 884-3403 or e-mail [balsert@missouri.edu](mailto:balsert@missouri.edu)

MIAMI (OHIO) UNIVERSITY BRIDGES PROGRAM – Free, selective weekend visit for high achieving seniors. Chosen participants will receive \$2500 scholarship to Miami U renewable up to 4 years. Applications available at <http://www.miami.muohio.edu/admission/bridges/>.

## College Fairs

COLLEGE FAIR—Oct. 5th @ BSHS More information to follow.

COLLEGES THAT CHANGE LIVES – Conference on college search & admission process. Sept. 13<sup>th</sup> @ 7 pm at the Hilton Hotel Frontenac. More info at <http://www.ctcl.org/events/st-louis10>.

SHAWNEE MISSION COLLEGE CLINIC – Oct. 13<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 – 9:30 pm @ Shawnee-Mission East High School. Over 200 college reps will be present.

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Sept 9-UCM

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Sept 13-Westminster College

Sept 13-NMSU

## Check Out These Careers

**CONSTRUCTION CRAFT LABORERS APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM** – 2-year program. Must be 18 and have HS diploma or GED. For program information, call the Greater KC Laborers Training Center – (913) 441-6100.

**PLASTERER & CEMENT MASONS APPRENTICESHIPS** – Classroom and on-the-job training program. Must be 18 and have a HS diploma or GED. Questions or to get more info, call Brian Randle, Coordinator, at (816) 595-4132 or (816) 595-4147.

**WOMEN IN DESIGN DAY OF SHADOWING** – Oct. 15<sup>th</sup> 9 am – 1 pm. Opportunity for HS girls to shadow a professional in architecture, interior design, or graphic design. Applications due Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup>. See Mrs. Peterson for details.

## Volunteer Opportunities

**TRAVELING VIETNAM WALL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!** – Help remove, catalog, and prepare for archiving all items left at the Wall. Evenings from Sept. 30<sup>th</sup> – Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup> @ Pink Hill Park. To volunteer, contact Mary Potter at [mpottereducation@comcast.net](mailto:mpottereducation@comcast.net).

**GOLF TOURNAMENT VOLUNTEERS** – The Sutcliffe Foundation will be hosting a golf tournament on Sept. 29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> @ Lakewood Oaks Golf Course to benefit the new Children's Mercy Hospital. Student volunteers are needed to help with setting up. If interested, contact Kim Carter – 806-6966 or [Kimberly@sutcliffefoundation.org](mailto:Kimberly@sutcliffefoundation.org).

## ACT Tutoring

**ACT PREP SHOP** – Hosted by Northwest MO St. Sat., Oct. 16<sup>th</sup> from 9 am – 2 pm. in Liberty. Cost is \$40. To register call Kelly Smith at 1-800-633-1175 or <http://www.nwmissouri.edu/admissions/actform.htm>

## Other Opportunities

**Wendy's Heisman Scholarship** Criteria: senior, 3.0+ GPA, participate in at least one school-sponsored sport. Due: Oct. 3