

**Welcome
Class of 2024**

Senior Counselor

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[Click to see Mrs. Chadd website](#)

Agenda

- Ways to receive information from Mrs. Chadd
- Graduation Requirements
- Remind 101 and Google Classroom
- College visits
- ACT
- Financial Aid
- Things to Remember
- Scholarships
- Transcripts Requests
- Letter of Recommendations
- Important Dates
- Questions

Class of 2024

- * **Remind Text message**
- * **Google Classroom**
- * **Daily announcements**
- * **Signs** posted around the school
- * **Senior Meetings** with Counselor
- * **Elevator Meetings** with Mrs. Chadd
- * **Internet** – Mrs. Chadd's Website
- * **Phone Messages** – Phone messages by staff
- * **Social Media**

Graduation Requirements College Prep Curriculum

4 credits - English

3 credits - Science

3 credits - Math (3 must be in HS)

3 credits - Social Studies

2 credits - Foreign Language or Computer Technology

1 credit - "OTHER" from above courses

1 credit - Fine Art

.5 credit - Personal Financial Literacy

7.5 credits - Electives

25 Total Credits

Other Graduation Requirements

- ACT Test - Junior Year
- US History Test - Junior Year
- Science Test - Junior Year
- ICAP Requirements - Complete at school
- CPR Training - Complete at school

Counselor Sign Up

[Click to Sign Up](#)

REMIND

Text @chadd20242

To 81010

Great way to keep up and receive
the latest senior information

Google Classroom

Code to Join

ue53f5h

Plans After High School

*College - APPLY

*Military - Talk to recruiters

*Trade School - Scholarships

*Workforce - Job Shadow

Job Shadow

- * Junior Achievement - 6th and 7th hour, see Mrs. Chadd for more detail
- * Job Shadow - Shadow a employer for a day
- * Career Fair - October

College

- * Narrow your college choices.
- * APPLY NOW.
- * Application Fees - see Mrs Chadd for a fee waiver if you are on Free/Reduced lunches.
- *Take colleges visits.

College Visits

Seniors will be allowed 2 college days during their Senior year



ACT Test

If you have not taken the ACT test
you need to take it ASAP

Go To

<https://services.actstudent.org>

TEST DATES

**Registration due earlier
Check website for
deadlines**

* October 28, 2023

* December 9, 2023

* July 13, 2024

* February 10, 2024

* April 13, 2024

* June 8, 2024

ACT TEST DATES

ACT Fee Waiver

- *Enrolled in federal free or reduced lunch
- *Reside in Foster home, ward of the state, or are homeless
- *Family receives low-income public assistance or lives in federally subsidized public housing
- *Students can use up to 4 waivers
- *See Mrs. Chadd to get the Waiver request

Students can receive fee waivers for college entrance exams if you have received an ACT Fee waiver.

What is Financial Aid

1. Scholarships
2. Grants - FAFSA - <https://fafsa.ed.gov/>
Begin Filling out FAFSA In December
3. Loans
4. Student Employment

What is it FAFSA?

Free Application for Federal Student Aid

Changes coming for the Fall of 2023

Why is the FAFSA Important?

- How you become eligible for aid for which you may qualify
- You must file if you are on OK Promise
- FAFSA is sometimes used for other scholarship opportunities
- The application is how you qualify for grants, loan, and work study

Things to Remember

- Apply early
- Apply early
- File FASFSAs early
- Respond promptly to request for information
- Open the mail and check emails on a daily basis
- Make it a family project
- Ask questions

Scholarships

- [Mrs. Chadd's Website - Scholarship Page](#)
- Sell yourself
- Type all applications
- Turn into or mail to the appropriate place
- Be organized

Transcript Request

- Parchment Exchange
- Mrs. Chadd or Mrs. Neether
- Allow 24 hours

Letters of Recommendation

- Prepare personal information about yourself to give to the school official to help them individualize the letter.
- A resume works well.
- Allow plenty of time - 1-2 weeks is appropriate
- It is appropriate to follow up a letter of recommendation with a thank you note.

Senior Pictures

*When - October 4, 2023

*Men - should wear a collar shirt and tie, or borrow one from the photographer.

*Women - Should wear a top that will not show above the graduation robe.

*You do not pay at this time

*OSP will send proof that you can purchase from.

*Students will be called out of class by last name

Jostens Graduation Services

*Presentation - Oct 16, 2023

*Take Orders - October 24th and 25th During Power hour and Online.

Important Dates

Graduation!!

TBA

May 14, 2024 - Senior Academic Awards Banquet

Time TBD

Questions?