

IKE Counseling Updates

2017-2018 BREAKDOWN AND CONTACT INFORMATION

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COUNSELING REMIND ACCOUNTS

If you would like to receive messages from the counseling office related to your graduation year, please sign up by texting:

Class of 2018	text @2018ike to 81010
Class of 2019	text @ike2019 to 81010
Class of 2020	text @ike2020 to 81010

COUNSELING OFFICE STAFF

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COUNSELORS VISITING CLASSROOMS IN NOVEMBER

We will be visiting all 10th and 11th grade Government/Economics and US History classrooms during the month of November. We will walk students through the EDP process on Naviance and assist them in completing their required tasks. Completed EDP's are required of every student graduating from high school in the State of Michigan. Students will be expected to complete tasks independently if they did not complete them during our classroom visits.

SAT TESTING

All juniors will take the SAT on April 10th as part of the state assessment. Students should begin prepping for this exam by linking their PSAT scores to Khan Academy. This is not only FREE test prep, but it is the only test prep that Collegeboard (SAT) endorses. Talk to your (child's) counselor if you need more information. The following link will provide directions to link these accounts via YouTube:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QlkCoQoZ21U>

ACT TESTING

The ACT is an optional college admissions test that is as valuable as the SAT. If you (your student) is planning on taking the ACT, you should sign up at www.actstudent.org. The ACT is readily accepted at all colleges and universities as a required college admissions test. See your counselor with questions regarding this test and/or test prep options available.

PSAT RESULTS

The PSAT was given to 200 juniors October 14th. Students can logon to Collegeboard to view their results around mid-November. Score reports will be mailed to the school and distributed to students in January.

HOW DOES MY CHILD SEE THEIR COUNSELOR?

It is as easy as walking into the counseling center! Counselors have an open-door policy. If we are not with a student and your son or daughter needs to be seen, we will see them right then. If we are busy, there are signup sheets in a visible area for them to sign up and we will call them down. Please do not leave a voicemail for your child to be called down, rather, encourage them to seek out assistance on their own.

College Campus & Career News

Can you believe that, to date, we have processed over 1600 college applications for the class of 2018!? The next step is to visit the campus and see which school you like best!

ADRIAN COLLEGE:

OPEN HOUSE: November 11, 2017 - 10:30 a.m. - 2:30 pm

ALBION COLLEGE:

OPEN HOUSE: November 11, 2017 - 8:30 a.m. - 1:00 pm

AQUINAS COLLEGE:

GENERAL AQ DAY: December 1, and April 20

Science/Math/Nursing/Kinesiology: November 10

Athletic AQ Day: December 2

Fine Arts AQ Day: March 1

BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY:

UNIVERSITY PREVIEW DAY: Saturday, December 2

CENTRAL MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY:

CENTRALIS SCHOLARSHIP COMPETITION AT CMU: November 4th. High school seniors with a minimum 3.7 GPA and 1250 SAT score (ACT 27) are eligible to compete. Student must register online at www.cmich.edu/centralis.

EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY:

Explore Eastern: November 4 from 10AM – 1PM

Teacher Prep Open House: December 2 from 10AM – 2:30PM

FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY:

DAWG DAYS: November 4 from 9:15AM – 1:00PM

Spring 2018: March 21 from 5 - 7 P.M at Applied Technology Center.

GRAND VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY:

LAKER EXPERIENCE DAYS AT GVSU: Saturday, November 18 on the GVSU campus. Reps from academic departments & support services will be available to answer your questions. Also, take a walking tour through Frederick Meijer Honors.

Go to www.gvsu.edu/visits to register.

HILLSDALE COLLEGE:

December Visit Day: December 1

HOPE COLLEGE:

Fall 2017: 10 & 17

Spring 2018: January 15 & 19 & 26, February 16 & 19, March 2 & 9

Junior Days 2018: Friday, April 6 & 13 & 20

KALAMAZOO COLLEGE:

November 11 from 9 – 1pm

KETTERING UNIVERSITY:

November 11 from 9 – 3pm

LAWRENCE TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY:

LTU EXPLORATION DAY: March 23rd

LTU BLUE DEVIL DAY: November 11th and December 9th

Campus Open House: February 24th, 2018

LTU Preview Day: July 20, 2018 and August 3rd, 2018

Media Mash-Up: November 18th

On the Spot Admissions: November 14th, December 5th, July 24th & July 31st

Go to www.ltu.edu for more information on their upcoming events.

MACOMB COMMUNITY COLLEGE:

DISCOVER MACOMB

Saturday, November 18th (center campus) & Saturday, February 17th (south campus) from 10AM - 1pm.

Register at: www.macomb.edu/discovermacomb

Explore Careers in Manufacturing & Technology – Sport & Expo Center

Wednesday, December 6th, 2017 from 5:30 – 8pm.

Learn about Michigan Apprenticeship Program Plus (MAP+), Internships, and local business who are hiring. Register at: www.macomb.edu/MFGevening

MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY:

MSU looks forward to welcoming you to campus and answering your questions about life as a Spartan. The Office of Admissions offers visit options for prospective, admitted and transfer students. All visits include a 90-minute, student-led walking tour featuring campus landmarks, a residence hall, a typical classroom, the main library, a dining facility and a workout facility. To schedule your tour, go to <https://admissions.msu.edu/>

NORTHERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY:

Wildcat Weekend: March 17

NORTHWOOD UNIVERSITY:

Open House: January 27

Auto Open House: February 19

Career Expo Open House: April 24

THE SCHOOL OF THE ART INSTITUTE OF CHICAGO (SAIC):

SAIC Day - Detroit: Saturday, November 11, 2017 // 12pm-3pm // The Guardian Club, 500 Griswold St. 32nd fl., Detroit, MI 48226

Saturday with SAIC: October 14, 3:00–6:00 pm

SERVICE ACADEMY:

Information can be obtained through the contact information below:

U.S. Air Force Academy <http://www.usfa.edu> or 719-333-2520

U.S. Merchant Marine <http://www.usmma.edu> or 516-773-5391

U.S. Military Academy <http://www.usma.edu> or 845-938-4041

U.S. Naval Academy <http://www.usna.edu> or 410-293-4361

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN-FLINT:

Fall Preview: Saturday, November 11

Register at go.umflint.edu/preview

Scholarships

SENIORS! Check out the updated Scholarship list in Family Connection!! November is the best time to begin the scholarship search. NEVER pay money for a scholarship application or scholarship search!

Go to <https://connection.naviance.com/eisenhowerhs>, click sign in and Student and Family Sign In. Questions? Come down to the counseling office and we will help you out!

AXA ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP ~ The AXA Achievement Scholarship offers college scholarships of \$2,500, \$10,000 and \$25,000 to high schools seniors who have demonstrated outstanding achievement in their activities in school, the community or the workplace. P to students in grades 9-12. Apply online at <https://www.scholarsapply.org/axa-achievement/>. **Deadline is December 15th, 2017.**

NATIONAL CO-OP SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM ~ Students are encouraged to apply for the ninth annual National Co-op scholarship. To qualify, students must: have a cumulative high school GPA of 3.5 or better and complete all the required admissions applications materials and be accepted for the 2012-2013 academic year at one of the WACE Partner Institutions (Drexel university, Johnson & Wales University, Kettering University, Wentworth Institute of Technology, Rochester Institute of Technology, University of Cincinnati, University of Toledo) To apply, complete an on-line application at www.co-op.edu. **Deadline is February 15, 2018.**

MICHIGAN EDUCATION ASSOCIATION (MEA) Several scholarships will be awarded to young men and women that are graduates of a public high school and plan on attending an educational institution in the fall. Apply online at <http://www.mea.org/aea-scholarships> **Deadline: February 22, 2018.**

CREDIT UNION ONE WILLIAM G. COYNE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP: To be eligible, applicants must meet the following requirements: Complete 30 or more hours of documented, qualified community service during Junior/Senior year of high school, Be a 2018 graduating high school senior, Be a member of a family that has belonged to Credit Union ONE of Michigan for a minimum of 6 months (in good standing), Have a cumulative high school grade point average of 3.0 or above, Plan to enroll in, beginning in the fall of 2018, a full-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited two- or four-year college or university, or accredited trade or vocational school. **Application Deadline: April 1, 2018.** For more information go to <http://www.cuone.org/about/scholarships.aspx>

B. DAVIS SCHOLARSHIP ~ Award Amount: \$1,000. Available to ALL high school juniors and seniors. An essay of less than 1000 words on topic stated on website is required. For more information go to www.studentawardsearch.com . **Deadline is May 22, 2018.**

HOMER J. HOLLENBECK FOUNDATION ~ Award Amount: \$2,500. Applicants must attend a Macomb county high school, maintain a GPA of 2.5 or higher, demonstrate a hardship which could otherwise prevent you prevent from attending college and attend college full-time in the fall of 2018. **Applications are available to download on Naviance. Deadline is May 31, 2018.**

ACT Student Champions Scholarship~ \$500 non-renewable scholarship Applicants must be a current senior, overcome challenges and can articulate education and career actions, have an ACT score of a 22 on a single test date or a 3.0 or greater (on a 4.0 scale) and preference is given to first-generation college students. Applications can be found at www.act.org/readinesschampions. Applications are **due December 31, 2017**, and champions will be **notified on or before April 2, 2018**. If applicants are under the age of 18, they must complete [this form](#) in addition to the application. All questions may be directed to ccrc@act.org.