



## 2017-18 Programming Calendar

### Student Workshops & Meetings

**College Essay/Application Help Sessions:** September 27 (Late Start & SRT), October 3 (SRT), October 11 (PSAT Day Senior Option), October 18 (Late Start & SRT), and October 30 (SRT)

**Finding Your College Fit Workshops:** February 23 and March 5, SRT, Media Center

**Junior College Information Sessions:** March 13 and March 15 (Required for all juniors; scheduled by SRT)

**Class of 2018 College Application Boot Camp:** Summer 2018 dates/times TBD

### Programs for Parents and Students

**College Information Night:** September 6 and September 12 6:30 p.m. Auditorium (same program both nights)

**Financial Aid Night:** October 18 6:30 p.m. Auditorium

**FAFSA Completion Workshop:** November 16 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. and 3:00-7:00 p.m. Media Center

**Summer College Tour Student/Parent Information Meeting:** November 8 6:30 p.m. Community Room

**Healthcare Majors and Careers Fair:** November 30 6:30 p.m. Freshman Center Cafeteria

**FAFSA Completion Workshop:** January 25 10:00 a.m. – 1 p.m. and 3:00-7:00 p.m. Media Center

**Military Academy Day:** February 2 9:30-11:00 a.m. SRT, Media Center 1 & 2

**Freshman/Sophomore College & Career Planning Night:** February 28 6:30 p.m. Auditorium

**Business Majors & Careers Fair:** March 20 6:00 p.m. Freshman Center Cafeteria

**Admission to Selective Schools Panel:** April 20, 10:00-11:00 a.m. SRT, Auditorium

### Local College Fairs:

September 20 6:30-8:00 p.m. **Indy Westside College Fair** at Ben Davis High School

September 21 6:30-8:00 p.m. **Hamilton County College Fair** at Hamilton Southeastern High School

September 28 6:30-8:30 p.m. **North Indianapolis Christian College Fair** at College Park Church, Indianapolis

October 20 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. **Indianapolis National College Fair** at Indianapolis Convention Center

March 12 6:30-8:00 p.m. **Greater Indianapolis Southside College Fair** at University of Indianapolis

March 13 6:30-8:00 p.m. **Northeast Indianapolis College Fair** at Lawrence North High School

March 14<sup>th</sup> 6:30-8:00 p.m. **Greater Indianapolis Northside College Fair** 502 East Event Centre, Carmel

### College Admission Representative Visits to CHS:

Over 100 college admissions representatives visit CHS each Fall during SRT. The rep visit schedule can be found in students' Family Connection accounts and on the CHS Counseling website. Students must sign up to attend using their Family Connection account and get a pass from the Counseling Office.

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## **College Search and Application Resources**

College Board – [www.bigfuture.collegeboard.org](http://www.bigfuture.collegeboard.org)

ACT – [www.act.org](http://www.act.org)

Learn More Indiana – [www.learnmoreindiana.org](http://www.learnmoreindiana.org)

Indiana Career Explorer – [www.indianacareerexplorer.org](http://www.indianacareerexplorer.org)

College Xpress – [www.collegexpress.com](http://www.collegexpress.com)

Peterson's – [www.petersons.com](http://www.petersons.com)

MyPlan – [www.myplan.com](http://www.myplan.com)

Cappex – [www.cappex.com](http://www.cappex.com)

Niche – [www.colleges.niche.com](http://www.colleges.niche.com)

CollegeView – [www.collegeview.com](http://www.collegeview.com)

Common Application – [www.commonapp.org](http://www.commonapp.org)

College Timelines/Articles – [www.inlikeme.com](http://www.inlikeme.com)

College Forums – [www.collegeconfidential.com](http://www.collegeconfidential.com)

Virtual College Tours – [www.youvisit.com](http://www.youvisit.com)

## **CHS College and Career Information Handouts**

(These handouts may be found on the Document Library in Family Connection and on the CHS website – go to Counseling Services link and then click on College/Career Center link on the left-hand side)

Campus Visits

College Entrance Exams

Completing College Applications

Gap Year Information

Finding Your College Fit

Finding Scholarships and Merit-based Aid

How Can Parents Help with the College Search and Application Process

Making the Most of the Summer Months

Realistic Rigor

Understanding Financial Aid

Writing a College Essay