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All students and parents should check the Guidance Updates on a regular basis. While most of the information presented will be pertinent to seniors, part of every update will have information for all grade levels. Additionally, it is beneficial for students in all grades to receive a preview of senior year issues.

SCHEDULE PICKUP (10,11,12)

Students in grades 10, 11, and 12 may pick up schedules in the main office beginning Wednesday, August 24. Band students' schedules will be distributed during rehearsal that morning. (Ninth graders and new students will receive their schedules during orientation on Monday or Tuesday.)

If you have an issue with your schedule, see your guidance counselor before the first day of school (August 29th).

SENIOR RESPONSIBILITIES (12)

Seniors will have a number of tasks to complete as we journey through this school year. Your first tasks follow:

- 1) Check your schedule to make certain you have all of your graduation and college prep requirements.
- 2) Complete the "Application for Graduation". You and your parents sign the document and return it to Mrs. Dick
- 3) Complete the "Transcript Release Form" and return it to Mrs. Dick.
- 4) Complete the "Senior Resume Form" and return it to your guidance counselor.

All forms will be available on the guidance website shortly. You can update the "Senior Resume Form" as you progress through the school year and use it to provide information to people writing letters of recommendation for you.

COLLEGE ADMISSION TASKS (12)

Seniors will meet with the guidance counselors during part of second block in early September to learn, in detail, your tasks and responsibilities for the college admission.

Your parents should attend the presentation prior to open house regarding college admission. This will take place in the Little Theater on Tuesday, August 30 beginning at 6:45. Please encourage your parents to attend.

ACT TEST (11,12)

The next ACT test will be administered on Saturday October 22. Regular registration deadline is September 16. Registration materials are available in the guidance office or you may register on-line at <http://www.act.org/>

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