

It's **SENIOR** year!

Congratulations Class of

2022



Tonight's Purpose

We know that planning for life after high school can be extremely overwhelming.

We are here for you!

Our goal is to:

- ❓ Share available information on future Class of 2022 events
- ❓ Review some of the basics
- ❓ Discuss a timeline of when certain tasks should be completed
- ❓ Provide insight on college admissions



Senior Trip: Cedar Point

Friday, June 3, 2022

**We will leave early in the morning – before school starts – and return late in the evening. Final departure/arrival times will be communicated soon!*

Trip Includes:

- Transportation (students may not drive themselves)
- Breakfast on the bus
- All day drink wristband
- 2 meal vouchers
- Entrance to Cedar Point Amusement Park

Cost: \$200

There's still time to sign up!

Deadline for Senior Trip and final payment is Friday, January 21st 2022

Payment Options:

Payment in Full – Cash or Check made out to Class of 2022 in an envelope with your senior's name (due by Jan. 21, 2022)

Payment Plan - If you are already signed up for the payment plan, your next payments are due: November 19, 2021 and January 21, 2022 (cost of the items you selected divided among four payments).

You can still sign up for the senior trip & payment plan. Divide the cost of the trip (\$200) into two payments and bring in cash or check by the dates listed above.

All payments should be brought to Ms. Restaino (Room 250) or Ms. Lysiak (Room 118).

More Information to Follow

- Please make sure that you have updated contact information and a current email address listed in Infinite Campus. This is the main way that we will be communicating important information to families.
- Students should also be regularly checking the BHS Senior Class Team!
- We will be sending communication out shortly with finalized details, registration forms, and contracts for the senior trip.

Prom

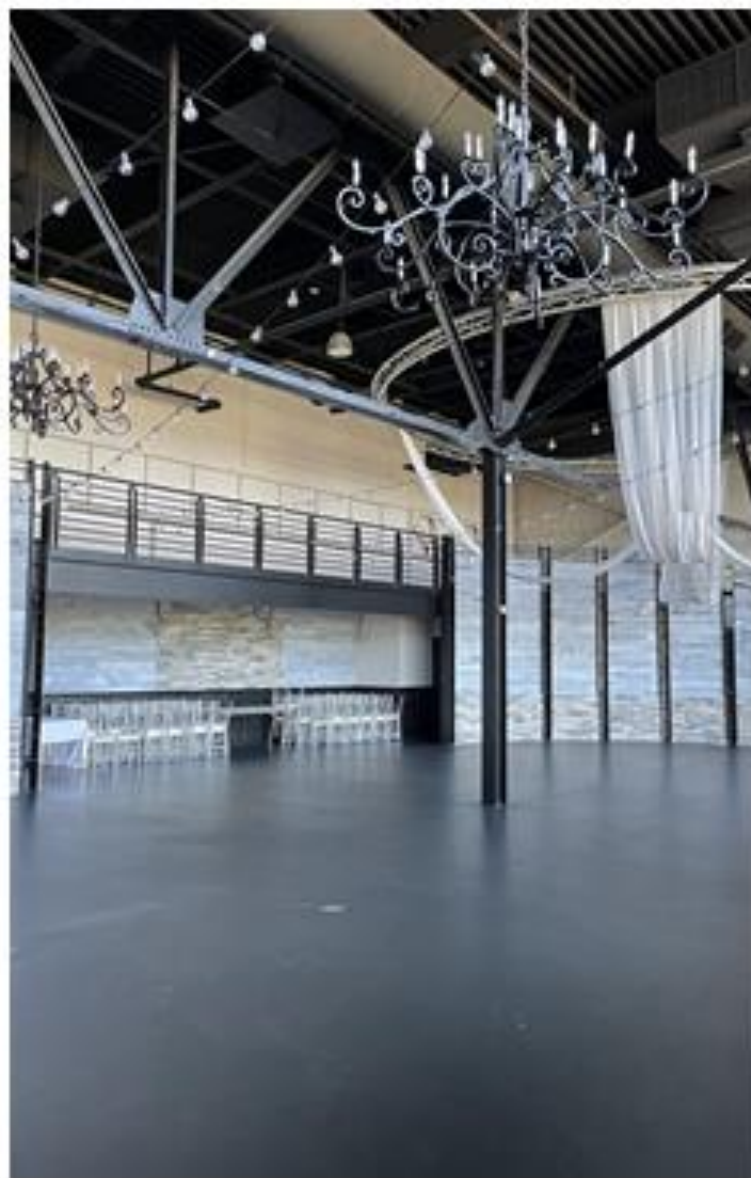
Save the date:

Saturday, June 11, 2022

Where: La Luna @ High Falls

Prom tickets will be sold later in the school year and are not factored into the payment plan.

More information to follow!



Upcoming Senior Events

100 Days to Graduation: Friday, March 18th 2022

Senior Breakfast: Friday, May 27th 2022
(tentatively)

Senior Trip: Friday, June 3rd 2022

Prom at La Luna: Saturday, June 11th 2022

Graduation Walk: Friday, June 10th 2022

Graduation Rehearsal: Thursday, June 23rd 2022

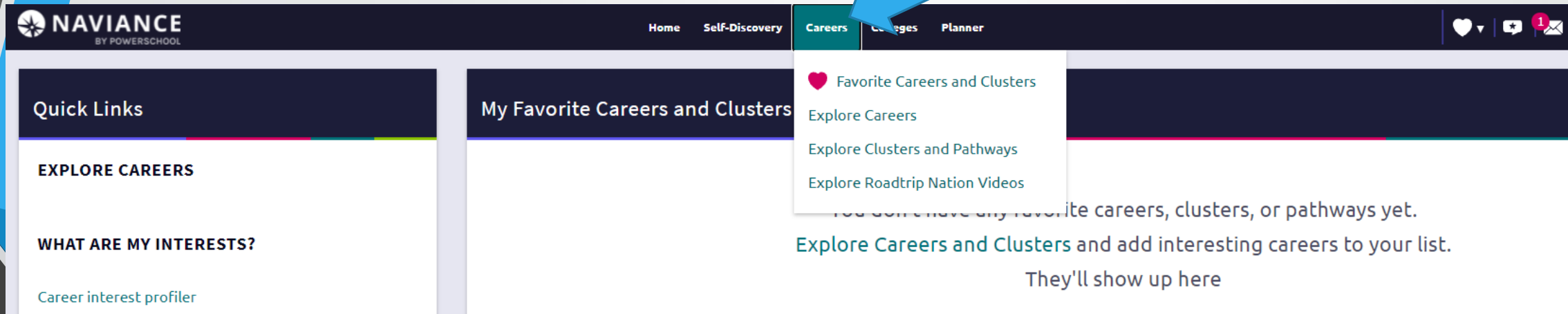
Graduation: Saturday, June 25th 2022

Let's Start with Naviance

- What is Naviance?
 - A web-based program for college and career research
- Where do I find the Naviance link?
 - under ClassLink
- What would I use Naviance for?
 - Career Researching
 - Self-Discovery
 - Resume Writing
 - College Selection Process
 - College Applications
 - Requesting Letters of Recommendation



Career Researching in Naviance



The screenshot shows the Naviance website interface. The top navigation bar includes the Naviance logo (BY POWERSCHOOL) and menu items: Home, Self-Discovery, Careers, Colleges, and Planner. A blue arrow points to the 'Careers' tab, which has a dropdown menu open. The dropdown menu contains the following options: Favorite Careers and Clusters (with a heart icon), Explore Careers, Explore Clusters and Pathways, and Explore Roadtrip Nation Videos. Below the navigation bar, the 'Quick Links' section features 'EXPLORE CAREERS' and 'WHAT ARE MY INTERESTS?' with a link to 'Career interest profiler'. The 'My Favorite Careers and Clusters' section contains a message: 'You don't have any favorite careers, clusters, or pathways yet. Explore Careers and Clusters and add interesting careers to your list. They'll show up here'.



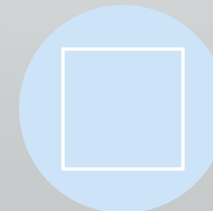
Explore careers in the Careers tab



Take the Career Interest Profiler to see what careers might fit your interests



Check out Roadtrip Nation videos to see interviews with professionals in varying career fields



See what college program you would need to study in order to work in your chosen career

Self-Discovery in Naviance



Home **Self-Discovery** Careers Colleges Planner

Self-Discovery

- Self-Discovery Home
- Career Cluster Finder
- Career Interest Profiler
- Intelligences®
- Learning and Productivity®
- Personality®
- StrengthsExplorer®

AchieveWorks Intelligences®
Formerly MI Advantage
COMPLETED Jan 31st 2019

Your Super Powers

- Interpersonal
- Linguistic
- Spatial

RETAKE **VIEW RESULTS**

AchieveWorks Productivity Intelligences®
Formerly Learning and Productivity®

Discover your sensory, environmental and mindset preferences to help develop and adjust your study practices.

START ASSESSMENT

AchieveWorks Personality®
Formerly Do What You Are
COMPLETED Jan 31st 2019

You've taken an older version of this assessment. Please click or tap "View Results" to see the updated report.

RETAKE **VIEW RESULTS**

Career Cluster Finder **TO TAKE**

The **Career Cluster Finder** helps you identify your interests and discover career clusters that contain careers that might interest you.

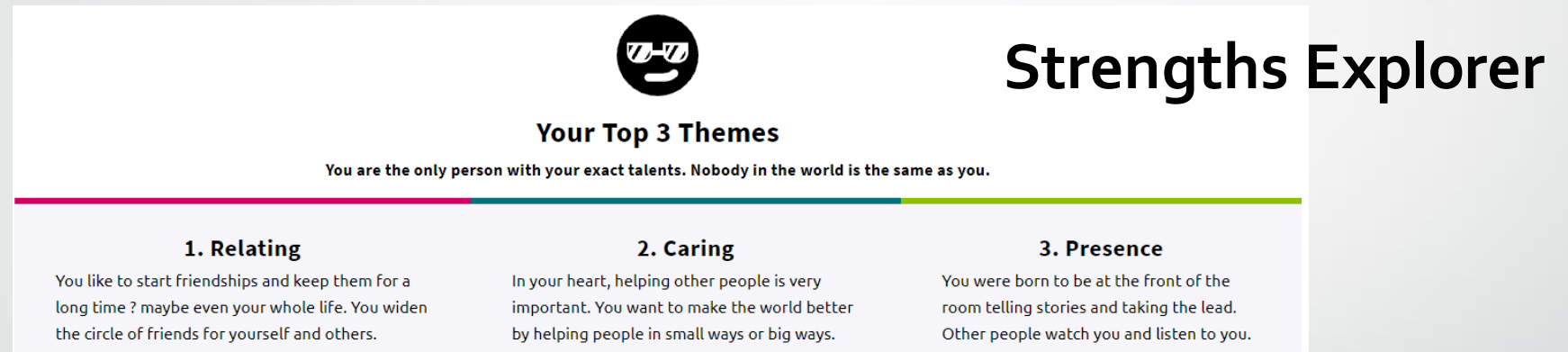
START ASSESSMENT


Career Interest Profiler **TO TAKE**

Strengths Explorer®

Self-Discovery in Naviance

One starting point for exploring your career options is a personal self-assessment. Your career decisions affect your lifestyle, health, and overall sense of satisfaction and happiness, and it is important to make informed choices based on who you are, what you value, and what you have to offer the world.





Strengths Explorer

Your Top 3 Themes

You are the only person with your exact talents. Nobody in the world is the same as you.

1. Relating You like to start friendships and keep them for a long time ? maybe even your whole life. You widen the circle of friends for yourself and others.	2. Caring In your heart, helping other people is very important. You want to make the world better by helping people in small ways or big ways.	3. Presence You were born to be at the front of the room telling stories and taking the lead. Other people watch you and listen to you.
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COMMENTS FROM THE STRENGTHS EXPLORER: You might easily meet new people and make friends very quickly wherever you go. people like you and relationships are important to you. You want to make the world better by helping people. It is easy for you to encourage people, share with them, and help them learn. Whether you help in big or small ways, you can make a difference in your world. People count on you to be kind, thoughtful, and caring. You are a natural at commanding attention. You were born to be at the front of the room telling stories and taking the lead. Whatever you choose to be, you are likely to have others listening to the words you speak.

Use these comments to fill in your Brag Sheet and to help you write an essay that describes yourself!

About Me tab in Naviance

CE
SCHOOL

Home Self-Discovery Careers Colleges Planner

CH About Me

CH

Christine Howlett
Class of 2022

Account Resume Test Scores Portfolio

My Surveys

Surveys Progress

Brag Sheet

IN PROGRESS

My Assessments

Assessments in Progress

AchieveWorks Personality@ 100%

About Me Home

Account

My Account

You are logged in as **Christine Howlett** at Brockport High School

Documents and Notes

Resume

Goals

Portfolio

Journal

Test Scores

Documents Shared with Me

Surveys

Surveys from Your School

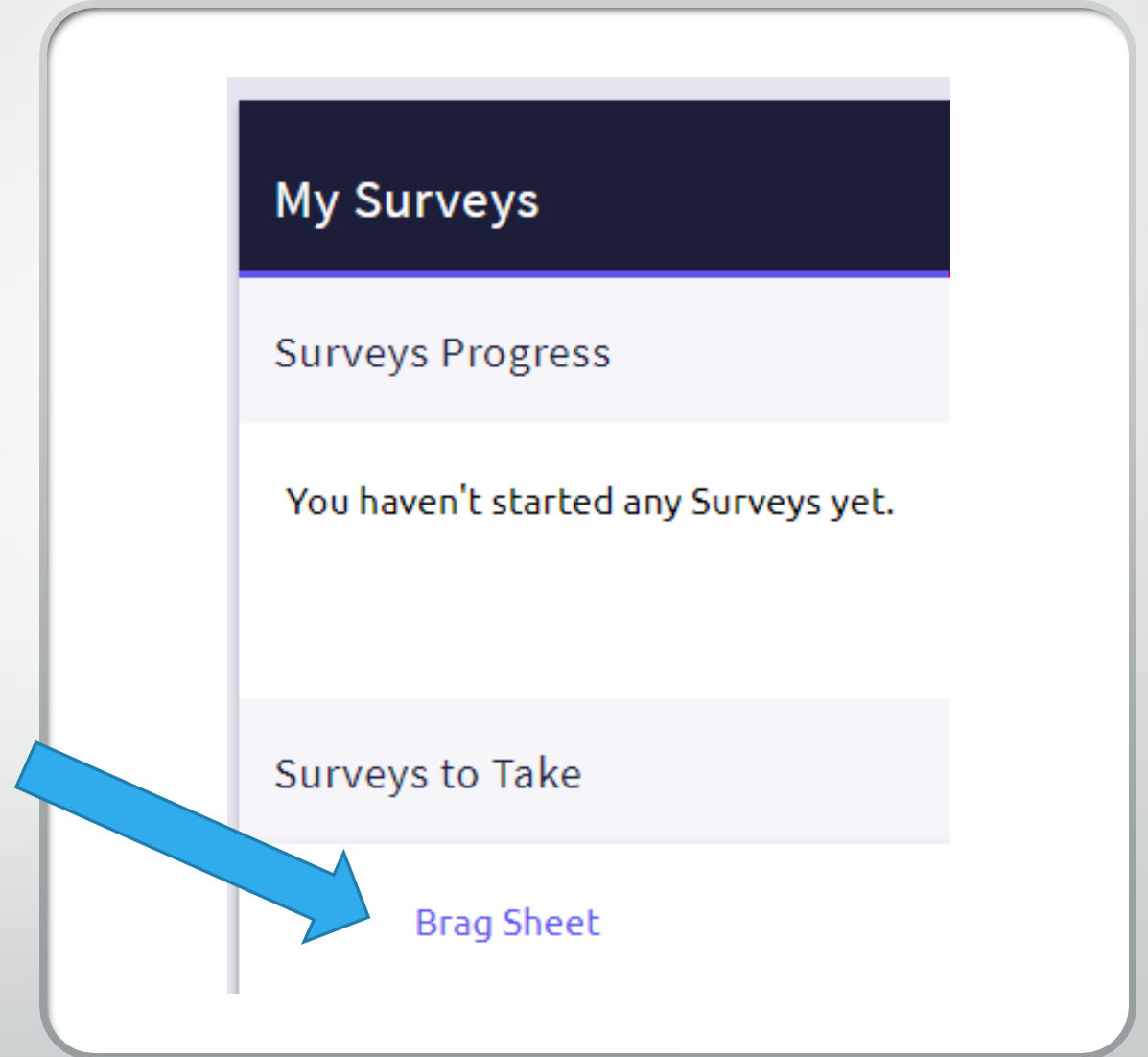
Game Plan Survey

Under About Me tab you will find:

- Your Brag Sheet
- Resume builder
- Test Scores
- GPA

Brag Sheet

- Go to About Me tab
- Find Surveys
- Complete your Brag Sheet
- In-district employees will have access to your Brag Sheet once you have requested your letter of rec from them



SuperMatch

SuperMatch College Search

III Choose Fit Criteria Location Academics Admission Student Life Diversity Institution Characteristics Cost Athletics Resources Groups

Your Fit Criteria

4 selected criteria
To refine your results, use the arrows to move your criteria into the "Must Have" and "Nice to Have" boxes.

Must Have

- ✕ Athletics [1] →
- ✕ Location [3] →
- ✕ Major [1] →
- ✕ Student Body Size [4] →

Find colleges that fit the criteria you have for college searching.

<p>George Mason University Fairfax, VA, Suburb near Large City 4 year, Public ★ PIN TO COMPARE</p>	<p>100%</p> <p>Why?</p>	<p>Match*</p> <table><thead><tr><th>Average</th><th>You</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>GPA 3.65</td><td>3.7</td></tr><tr><td>SAT 1155</td><td>N/A</td></tr><tr><td>ACT 27</td><td>N/A</td></tr></tbody></table> <p>Test Optional</p> <p><small>* To best determine if you're an academic match for this institution, enter both your GPA and standardized test scores.</small></p>	Average	You	GPA 3.65	3.7	SAT 1155	N/A	ACT 27	N/A
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Add to "Colleges I'm Thinking About"

Click on the heart to add a college to your "colleges I'm thinking about" list



The screenshot displays the Alfred University website header. On the left is the Alfred University logo. To its right, the text reads "Alfred University", "Alfred, NY, United States", and "alfred.edu". A small red heart icon is positioned to the right of the text. Further right are four buttons: "Virtual Tour", "Communicate" (with a dropdown arrow), "Apply Online", and "Learn More" (with a dropdown arrow). Below the header is a navigation menu with five tabs: "Overview" (highlighted with a red underline), "Studies", "Student Life", "Admissions", and "Costs". The main content area features a grid of images. The first image is a large landscape view of the university campus with the text "Alfred University" and "OUTSIDE of ORDINARY" overlaid. To its right are three smaller images: a white building with a steeple, a stone building with a tower, and a brick building with a portico.

VISIT COLLEGES!



COLLEGE VISIT Pros & Cons Worksheet

Things to Think About	College Name	College Name
<p>Distance from Home</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How long was the Travel Time? • How much did it Cost? • How often will you travel? • Can Freshman have a car on campus? 		
<p>School Setting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Did you like the geographical location? • Does it have the social, recreational, and employment opportunities you desire? • Can you get around off campus if you need to? • Did you like the climate? 		
<p>Campus and Facilities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Did you like the size and setting of the campus? • How is the condition of buildings? • Would you feel comfortable and safe? • Does it have the modern conveniences and necessities you're looking for? • How is the quality of the facilities related to your area of study? 		
<p>Students</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Did you like the tour guide and other students you encounter during your visit? • Outside of class, did students flock together in friendly groups or were they more serious and independent? 		
<p>Faculty and Academics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Does the current course catalog offer what you 		



Add to Colleges I'm Applying To

Move your colleges to your application list, check your application type and your deadlines

The screenshot shows a table of colleges with columns for College, Delivery type, Added By, Expected Difficulty, and Application Deadlines. A blue arrow points from the 'MOVE TO APPLICATION LIST' button to the table. Another blue arrow points from the 'Application Deadlines' column to a dropdown menu for Binghamton University. A third blue arrow points from the 'Delivery type' column to the 'CA' icon for Binghamton University. A fourth blue arrow points from the 'Application Deadlines' column to the 'Multiple Deadlines' button for SUNY at Fredonia.

College	Delivery type	Added By	Expected Difficulty*	Application Deadlines
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Binghamton University	CA	Student	N/A	Multiple Deadlines Regular Decision January 15 Early Action November 1
<input type="checkbox"/> Keuka College	CA	Student	N/A	
<input type="checkbox"/> SUNY College at Geneseo	CA	Student	N/A	Multiple Deadlines
<input type="checkbox"/> SUNY at Fredonia	CA	Student	N/A	Regular Decision February 1 Early Decision II December 1 Regular Decision December 1 Early Decision November 1
<input type="checkbox"/> SUNY Polytechnic Institute	CA	Student	N/A	

Early Decision, Early Action, Regular Decision or Rolling?

What Does It Mean?

- **EARLY DECISION**- is binding — a student who is accepted as an ED applicant must attend the college.
- **EARLY ACTION**- is nonbinding — students receive an early response to their application but do not have to commit to the college until the normal reply date.
- **REGULAR DECISION**- the most common type of deadline that applies to most applications. Deadlines are typically around the beginning of January. There is no limit to the number of schools you can apply to. If more than one college accepts you, you can choose which one you want to go to. You are under no obligation to enroll in any one particular college.
- **ROLLING ADMISSION**- colleges that offer rolling admissions do not wait till after the deadline to send out acceptance letters. They start evaluating the applications as they come in and send out letters as soon as they've made a decision.

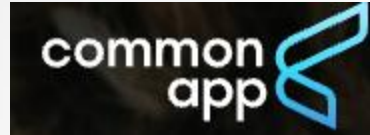
Application Deadlines

College Deadline	Submit to Counseling Date
November 1st	October 18th
November 15th	October 29th
December 1st	November 12th
December 15th	November 30th
January 1st	December 10th
January 15th	January 3rd
February 1st	January 18th
March 1st	February 8th

Transcript Request Forms must be submitted to Mrs. O'Brien in the High School Counseling Office by the following dates in order to meet those important college deadlines.

What Application Do I Use?

- Common Application



<https://www.commonapp.org/>

- SUNY Application



<https://www.suny.edu/attend/apply-to-suny/>

- Directly to the Institution



Using Common App? Don't forget your FERPA

You'll be asked if you want to waive the right to review confidential letters of recommendation.

Waiving your right lets colleges know that you do not intend to read your recommendations, which helps reassure colleges that the letters are candid and truthful.

Using Common App?

Don't forget to link Common App & Naviance


Colleges I'm applying to

Search for colleges

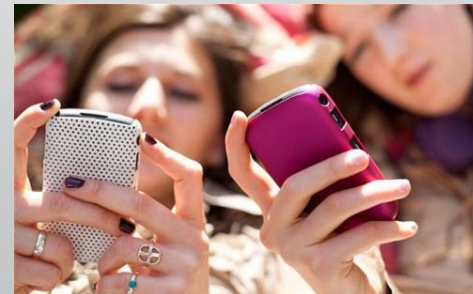
ⓘ It looks like you are not currently able to apply to Common App schools.
Match your Common App account to Naviance Student account to get started.

[Click for Matching Help](#)

[Match Accounts](#)



They like to talk to each other!



Requesting Letters of Recommendation

1

Ask in person

2

If it's a Brockport Central School District employee, request them in Naviance

3

If they are out of district, request them directly through Common App or have them send a letter straight to the college

Start Your Essay

If you are applying to MCC/GCC/FLCC only. Sit back and relax-no essay needed ■

Write an essay (250-650 words) on one of the topics listed below. (Required)

(Aligned to 2020-21 Common Application topics.)

Indicate the topic you have selected by filling in the circle. You may continue writing on the back page if more space is needed, or you may choose to attach your essay to this form. Be sure to include your name on any attachments.

- Some students have a background, identity, interest, or talent that is so meaningful they believe their application would be incomplete without it. If this sounds like you, then please share your story.
- The lessons we take from obstacles we encounter can be fundamental to later success. Recount a time when you faced a challenge, setback, or failure. How did it affect you, and what did you learn from the experience?
- Reflect on a time when you questioned or challenged a belief or idea. What prompted your thinking? What was the outcome?
- Describe a problem you've solved or a problem you'd like to solve. It can be an intellectual challenge, a research query, an ethical dilemma—anything that is of personal importance, no matter the scale. Explain its significance to you and what steps you took or could be taken to identify a solution.
- Discuss an accomplishment, event, or realization that sparked a period of personal growth and a new understanding of yourself or others.
- Describe a topic, idea, or concept you find so engaging that it makes you lose all track of time. Why does it captivate you? What or who do you turn to when you want to learn more?
- Share an essay on any topic of your choice. It can be one you've already written, one that responds to a different prompt, or one of your own design.

**Common App & Apply SUNY prompts are the same. Have someone
PROOF YOUR ESSAY!**

NCAA

- If you are playing D1 or D2 sports, you will need to fill out an application for NCAA.
- D3 athletes will only need to connect with the coach in regards to try-outs, next steps, etc.
- Treat NCAA as though it is another college you're applying to. It has it's own application, and will require it's own transcript request form
- [NCAA.com – The Official Website of NCAA Championships | NCAA.com](https://www.ncaa.com)
- It is imperative that you connect with your coach ASAP if you have not already!

Records Release Form and Transcript Request Form

Records Release & Transcript Request Form

YOU MUST DOWNLOAD THE FORM TO YOUR COMPUTER, COMPLETE THE FORM, SAVE IT & EMAIL IT

Attached are copies of both forms. Download the form, complete the form, save the form and then email the completed form to Mrs. O'Brien at tamara.obrien@bcs1.org

Records Release Form needs to be filled out one time and we hold it on file for you.

Transcript Request Form should be filled out AFTER you have completed a college application and you will need to complete one for EVERY college you apply to

[See less](#)



Records Release Fillable Form 2021-2022 (8) (3).pdf



Transcript Request Fillable Form 2021-2022 (10) (2)....



Find these documents in your Senior Teams page, in Naviance in Document Resources and on the High School, School Services- Counseling Offices Website

Records Release Form

- If you are under 18, we need your guardian's permission to send your official school documents (transcript, etc.) to your college. A records release form needs to be completed in order to document this permission.
Many of you completed this last year for programs like 3-1-3. If you are over 18, you still need to fill it out, but you can sign it yourself!
- 1. Click on the link to access the Records Release Form. You can also access it on the website or in your Naviance account under your Senior Information Folder or in your Senior Teams page.
- 2. Download it, fill it out, Save it!
- 3. Send to Mrs. O'Brien in the counseling office.
- Her email is: tamara.obrien@bcs1.org

[Click here
for the
Records
Release
Form!](#)

This form only needs to be filled out 1 time

Transcript Request Form

One for EACH COLLEGE you apply to

- 1. Click on the link to access the Transcript Request Form. You can also access it on the Seniors Teams page, the Counseling Office website or in your Naviance account under your Senior Information Folder.
- 2. Download it, fill it out, Save it!
- 3. Send to Mrs. O'Brien in the counseling office. She will keep an official record of all requests and she will send your necessary documents to your college electronically.
- Her email is: tamara.obrien@bcs1.org

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Fill out this form for each college you apply to

ACT vs NEW

What's the Same

No penalties for guessing
Curriculum-focused content
Score choice
Optional essay

What's Different

ACT

36

TOP SCORE

MATH SECTION

No Formulas given
Calculator for ALL sections
No Grid-in Answers

TOPICS

Geometry Algebra
Arithmetic Trigonometry

READING SECTION

8% Vocabulary

ENGLISH/Writing SECTION

3% Vocabulary

SAT vs ACT

Do your colleges want Official or Unofficial Scores?
You'll need to ask the college!!

- **OFFICIAL** scores are sent directly from the testing site (collegeboard or act.org).
- **UNOFFICIAL** scores are copies of your scores that are sent from the high school
- Test Optional- some colleges no longer require you to send your scores for admissions purposes. You may, however, need those scores for some of the colleges' scholarships.

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MATH SECTION

Lots of Formulas given
Calculator for ONE section
Grid-in Answers

Some Geometry & Arithmetic
Advanced Algebra
Some Trigonometry
Interpretation of Data

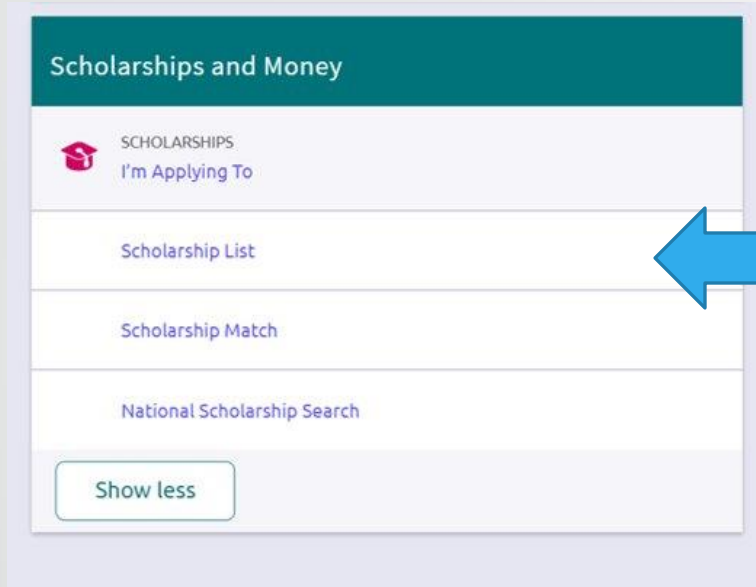
READING/Writing SECTION

17% Vocabulary (Reading Questions)
7% Vocabulary (Writing Questions)
Questions based on Graphs & Charts

Financial Aid Resources

- GCC's Virtual Financial Aid Video Workshops/Tutorials: <https://www.genesee.edu/home/offices/financial-aid/virtual-financial-aid/>
- Roberts Wesleyan College- Financial Aid 101 <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/financial-aid-101-november-tickets-173774152167>
- NY State Higher Ed Services Corp (HESC) What is Financial Aid? <https://www.hesc.ny.gov/pay-for-college/financial-aid/what-is-financial-aid.html>
- Sallie Mae FAFSA Workshop <https://t.co/wgqOJhRgeG?amp=1>

Scholarships



Check out the Scholarship List in Naviance for scholarships that you can apply for right within our school! (this will grow as we get closer to "scholarship season")

Some great websites to start your scholarship searching



Senior Scholarship Application

The Senior Scholarship Application is one application used to apply to multiple scholarships available to Brockport High School students only. This application is only available through the link and instructions should be followed specifically.

Access to the BHS Scholarship application will be on the District Website (bcs1.org) on the High School page under School Information.

The scholarship will OPEN ON FEBRUARY 28!



THE ULTIMATE ANNOUNCEMENT



JOSTENS says- Hey BHS Class of 2022

It's time to order your Cap & Gown, Announcements and other Graduation items!

www.jostens.com



From the Counseling Office

Seniors will complete a Senior Exit Survey in May. This survey tells the Counseling Office what college or service branch you plan to attend in the Fall or if you plan to go on to employment.

Final transcripts will be ready to be sent out mid-July. Based on the response on your Senior Exit Survey- that is where your final transcript will be sent.



Last Day of Classes is Tuesday, June 14th

Final Report Cards available 7/1 or 7/2

Final Transcripts ready mid-July

Counselors work intermittently from July 1- August 31. It is best to email or Teams message your Counselor with questions during that time.

From the
Counseling
Office

Promise Plus

Through
Genesee
Community
College

- Every Brockport High School graduating senior is eligible to receive a scholarship covering the cost of tuition for one or two summer 2022 courses at GCC
- This means 2 free college courses before you head off to the college of your choice!
- **Application Deadline: May 31, 2022**
- Student must [Register and Apply Online](#)



alumni



The Brockport High School Alumni Association and Friends

- The mission of the Alumni Association is to serve and engage the Brockport community by fostering lifelong relationships between the BCSD and its alumni. Building upon the shared values of BRAVERY, HONOR, and SERVICE, the Association leads programs that support current students and alumni through networking.
- We are offering all graduating seniors a FREE one-year membership – just go to our website, click on membership, select “free” and sign up!!

• <https://brockportalumni.com/>



Seniors AND Parents STAY CONNECTED!!

- BHS Senior Class Teams Group
- Mr. Pincelli's Weekly Wrap Newsletter
- District Website/Focus/Twitter

Hey Seniors, did you book your Senior Meeting?

- Book your Senior Interview with Ms. Dumigan
 - <https://outlook.office365.com/owa/calendar/MsDumigansSeniorMeetingsAL@brockport.onmicrosoft.com/bookings/>
- Book your Senior Interview with Mrs. Howlett
 - <https://outlook.office365.com/owa/calendar/MrsHowlettsSeniorMeetings@brockport.onmicrosoft.com/bookings/>

This is your one-on-one opportunity to discuss graduation requirements, diploma type, and your future plans.

You can also find these links on your Senior Teams page, Senior Interview with your Counselor.

Hey Seniors- Have a Question???

- **Principal:** Mr. Pincelli
 - michael.pincelli@bcs1.org
- **Senior Class Administrator:** Mr. Bourne
 - Michael.bourne@bcs1.org
- **Senior Class Advisors:** Ms. Restaino & Ms. Lysiak
 - rebecca.restaino@bcs1.org
 - ashley.lysiak@bcs1.org
- **Yearbook Advisor:** Mr. Paul
 - Neil.paul@bcs1.org
- **Senior Class School Counselors:** (A-L) Ms. Dumigan, (M-Z) Mrs. Howlett
 - kaleigh.dumigan@bcs1.org
 - christine.howlett@bcs1.org
- **Scholarship Secretary:** Mrs. Siciliano
 - marylynn.siciliano@bcs1.org
- **College/Transcript Secretary:** Mrs. O'Brien
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