



Counselor Corner

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JUNIOR CONFERENCES

We are winding down on our Junior Conferences that started back in October. Your student now has either been scheduled for an upcoming appointment or may have already met with their Guidance Counselor. If you are interested in being a part of this, check with your student to see if they have already met with their counselor. If not, call to see when an appointment has been scheduled for them.

INCOMING FRESHMEN FOR 2018-19

COMING FROM SCHOOLS OTHER THAN GMS

A mailing will be going out in December to families that have contacted us about their current 8th grader that is attending a school other than Greendale Middle School that will be coming to the high school next year. If you haven't already done so, please call the Guidance Secretary at 414-423-0105 so that a registration packet and information can be mailed to you. Placement testing will take place on Thursday 1/18/18 at 8:00 am.

ALL INCOMING FRESHMEN FOR 2018-19

Greendale High School will be presenting our **Class of 2022 Freshmen Parent Transition Night** on Thursday, January 26th. There will be three phases of this event meant for **BOTH parents and current 8th grade students**: A panel of GHS administrators discussing the transitions and opportunities, Guidance Counselors highlighting course offerings and scheduling, and an athletic and club "fair" highlighting available co-curriculars for high school students. The evening starts out at 5:00 – 6:20 p.m. (you may arrive anytime during this timeframe) with an Elective Fair in the High School cafeteria. It is followed up

with the formal program in the High School Auditorium, starting at 6:30 – 8:15 p.m. (please park in the back lot and enter through the rear south door). The goal of this night is to provide you and your student with an additional forum to receive information concerning this important transition to high school.

ALUMNI ASSEMBLY

Each year a selected number of former graduates are asked to return and share their personal stories of post secondary life. Our date for this school year is **January 5, 2018**, during 6th Hour (12:51 – 1:40) and 7th Hour (1:45 – 2:35). Parents are welcome to attend. It will be held in the **GHS Auditorium**.

COLLEGE & MILITARY VISITS

Army National Guard	Wed. Dec 6th	Lunch
MSOE	Thurs. Dec 7th	3rd hour

ACT TEST DATES

<u>ACT Test Dates</u>	<u>Deadline</u> (postmark/submit by)
12/9/17	11/03/17
2/10/18	1/12/18
4/14/18	3/09/18
6/09/18	5/04/18
7/14/18	6/15/18

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