



# Counselor Corner November 2017



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## JUNIOR CONFERENCES

*October 24 – December 22*

Individual Junior conferences with the Guidance Counselors began on October 24<sup>th</sup>. The focus of this meeting is to discuss the student's post-high school plans/goals and what steps they need to take to get there. Some topics include: signing up for the ACT, 4-year vs. 2-year colleges, going on campus visits, paying for school, etc. The length of these meetings is dependent on the family and how many questions are asked. If you are able to attend with your student, please call Ms. Stacy Derrick, our Guidance Secretary, at 423-0105 to schedule your appointment. **Please try to schedule the conference during your student's study hall, if at all possible.**

## JUNIOR PARENT INFO NIGHT

**November 1st at 6:30 PM  
GHS Library**

On Thursday, November 1st at 6:30 PM, the counseling staff will be hosting an information night for parents of juniors in the high school library. Students are welcome to attend as well. We will begin to help you look at and understand all the options your student has upon graduating from GHS.

There will be speakers from UW-Milwaukee, Marquette University, MATC, and UW-Waukesha. Hear from admission counselors from many of the various options after high school.

## REGISTER WITH SELECTIVE SERVICE

If you are a young man 18 through 25, register with Selective Service to stay eligible for:

- Student financial aid (federal and most states), and even admission to some state schools
- Job training benefits
- Most federal jobs and jobs with the U.S. Postal Service
- U.S. citizenship for male immigrants seeking citizenship

Register at [www.sss.gov](http://www.sss.gov) or simply fill out a registration form at your local post office.

## COLLEGE & MILITARY VISITS

November 7th	UW Parkside	4th hour
November 9th	Marines	Lunch
November 21st	UW Waukesha	6th hour
November 28th	MATC	6th hour
November 29th	Paul Mitchell	Lunch

## ACT TEST DATES

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

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