

Ready, SET, Go!! PLANNING for your Junior Year

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW!

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Ready, SET, Go!

- ▶ Please login to your computer
- ▶ Go to the Hug HS Website, washoeschools.net/hug
- ▶ Go to the Counseling page, 11th grade page
- ▶ Do "Task #1"

- ▶ Task #1 - Pre-Survey

Link available on website

<https://forms.office.com/r/Yyjf6RetVe>



Task #2: What is your WOOP?

W - “wish”

What is an important wish that you want to accomplish?

O - “outcome”

What will be the best result from accomplishing your wish?

O - “obstacle”

What is the main obstacle inside you that might prevent you from accomplishing your wish?

P - “plan”

What is an effective action to tackle the obstacle?

W _____

O _____

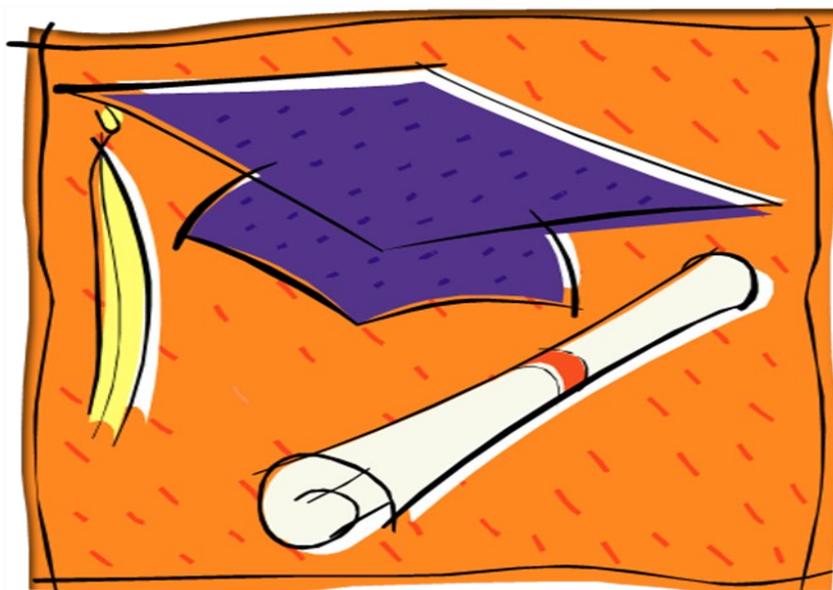
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What are we going to talk about today?

- ▶ Diploma requirement options/endorsements
- ▶ College Admission Requirements
- ▶ NCAA
- ▶ Placement Tests/ACT Requirement
- ▶ Scholarship Opportunities
- ▶ Exit Ticket Homework

Diploma Requirements & Options



Standard: 23 credits, including 1 Flex Credit

- Flex credits can be:
 - a 2nd or 3rd year CTE completer course in one program of study,
 - a 4th year of math (including Alg 2 or higher), or
 - a 3rd year of science, or
 - a 4th year of social studies

Advanced: 3.25 GPA (24 credits)

Honors:

- 3.40 GPA (24 credits)
- **8** credits of honors classes
- 2 years of the same world language
- 2 years of lab science (Bio, Chem or Physics)
- No F's 11th/12th grade

Other Diploma Enhancements:

Seals

- ▶ Seal of Biliteracy
- ▶ STEAM Seal
- ▶ STEM Seal
- ▶ Civics Seal
- ▶ CTE Certificate

Endorsements

- ▶ Career Ready Endorsement
- ▶ College Ready Endorsement

**Check the WCSD website or
talk to your counselor for
more details.**



Post-Secondary Planning Ideas

Still unsure what you want to do?

Try taking career assessments to help in your discovery -

TALK TO YOUR COUNSELOR ABOUT THE ASVAB TEST OPPORTUNITY

College

Additional information in the next slide

CTE Programs

<https://doe.nv.gov/CTE/>

<https://www.tmcc.edu/academics/certifications>

Apprenticeships

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

<https://www.nvapprenticeship.org/students/#getting-started>

Cosmetology

<https://milaninstitute.edu/>

<https://paulmitchell.edu/reno>

<https://internationalacademyofstyle.com/>

Military

<https://www.goarmy.com/>

<https://www.airforce.com/>

<http://nationalguard.com/NV>

<https://www.navy.com/>

<https://www.marines.com/>



College Admission Requirements

Minimum 3.0 Core GPA for UNR

SAT and ACT scores are no longer required for admission but can be used for class placement

Many colleges require 2 years same foreign language and 1 year of visual/performing art

UNR: English (4 credits)
Math (3 credits- through Algebra 2)
Social Studies (3 credits)
Science (3 credits- two lab sciences)

TMCC: NO Minimum GPA Requirement.
Anybody can apply for admission.

Out of State:

Research college admission requirements early.

Go to directly to your college of interest's admissions webpage. Search Freshman Admissions Requirements

Use sites such as the following to research colleges:

Big Future by CollegeBoard

www.bigfuture.org

The Common Application

www.commonapp.org

College Planning Tips

WHAT ARE MOST COLLEGES LOOKING FOR?

- ▶ GPA
- ▶ Some may require test scores
- ▶ Class rank
- ▶ Volunteer Work/Community Service (quality vs. quantity)
- ▶ Activities, clubs, athletics, awards- leadership!
- ▶ Evidence of special talent
- ▶ Employment
- ▶ First generation college student
- ▶ Essays/Letters of Recommendation
- ▶ Interviews/Auditions/Portfolios (more common for private schools, performing arts or fine arts programs)



Thinking of playing sports in College?

What you need to know about NCAA Eligibility!

[Want to Play College Sports? - NCAA.org](https://www.ncaa.org)

Create a profile page:

<https://web3.ncaa.org/ecwr3/>



NCAA Eligibility Center

Division I: 16 Core Courses

- English, Math, Science, Social Science
- Additional coursework from above areas
- SAT/ACT scores (must be sent directly to NCAA; Go to SAT/ACT website directly)
- NCAA does **not** accept CBE, Edgenuity, or some BYU courses:

Pass your classes the first time you take them.

-Review approved courses at:

<https://www.ncaa.org/sports/2014/10/6/core-courses.aspx>



Placement Tests



ACT

2023-2024 Test Dates (National)

Test Date	Regular Register
September 9, 2023	August 4
October 28, 2023	September 22
December 9, 2023	November 3
February 10, 2024	January 5
April 13, 2024	March 8
June 8, 2024	May 3
July 13, 2024*	June 7

SAT

	2023 TEST DATES —PAPER SAT				2024 TEST DATES —DIGITAL SAT		
SAT Test Dates*	AUG 26	OCT 7	NOV 4	DEC 2	MAR 9	MAY 4	JUN 1
Domestic Registration Deadline	July 28	Sep 7	Oct 5	Nov 2	Feb 23	Apr 19	May 16



Paying for College: SCHOLARSHIPS

- MILLENNIUM SCHOLARSHIP
- NEVADA PROMISE (TMCC)
- NEVADA GUARANTEE (UNR)
- BIG FUTURE
- HUG SCHOLARSHIP
- FAFSA

For more information:

- ▶ Talk to your counselor
- ▶ Go to the College and Career Center on the 2nd Floor
 - ▶ Go see our new College and Career Center Facilitator Ms. DJ

Are you of Native American Descent??

- ▶ You may be eligible for **FREE College Tuition in Nevada**
- ▶ Please see *Ms. DJ* in the **College and Career center** on the **2nd floor**

✦ COLLEGE FAIR ✦



FREE

Sunday, Nov. 5th, 12-4
Reno/Sparks Convention Center
Need to register to attend

Task #3: Post Survey

Post Survey link available on website

<https://forms.office.com/r/7TDf81JwEU>



Assignment (Task #4):

\$\$\$Budget your Life\$\$\$

Go to the Hug HS Counseling Website for Instructions:

<https://www.washoeschools.net/Page/18472>

Nevada Career Explorer for WCSD

1. GO TO: <https://wcsd.nv.headed2.com/budget/>
2. Complete ONE of the Activities listed on the next slide
3. After you complete the activity, fill out the FORM using this QR code.



In Nevada Career Explorer

► At the top right



► Then choose Budget your life

Activities (13 items)

- Quick Assessment**
This quick activity helps you select your interests and find occupations that would be of interest to you
- Interest Profiler**
The Interest Profiler is an instrument designed to help find occupations which might offer you the highest job
- Budget Your Life**
Create a budget by choosing the lifestyle you want to lead and then find occupations that can support your c
- Skills Decoder**
The Skills Decoder is an instrument designed to look at your skills and find occupations that match them.
- Work Importance Profiler**
The Work Importance Profiler is an instrument designed to help find occupations that are aligned with the thi
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Want to move out? How much \$\$ do you need?

Pick ONE ACTIVITY on Nevada Career Explorer.

- ▶ Two different activities under 10 minutes to give you a great idea of what to expect with costs of living.
- ▶ 1. Choose your lifestyle- Budget how much money you'll need

You will be asked a series of questions to help you determine the lifestyle you want to lead and how much it will cost you. When you are finished you can look at occupations that might support that lifestyle.

- ▶ 2. Pick your salary-Budget from a starting salary

If you think you know how much money you are going to make, you can work backwards to see if that salary will support the lifestyle you want to lead.

- ▶ Nine categories: housing, utilities, food, entertainment, clothes, transport, health insurance, education, and savings.

- ▶ What is one thing that surprised you the most in regard to cost?
 - ▶ How much money will you need to make to support the lifestyle you desire?
 - ▶ Something you enjoyed/learned from this activity?
 - ▶ Do you think these activities were helpful?
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- ▶ FILL OUT THIS FORM to answer these questions listed above:
 - ▶ <https://forms.office.com/r/tuviYHWDb9>



**ALL STUDENTS WHO
COMPLETE THE
ASSIGNMENT WILL
RECEIVE MINGA POINTS.**



COLLEGE TRIVIA (if time allows)

In small groups, answer the trivia questions on the cards.

One person can read the question and the others will answer it.