



College Counseling Family Programs 2021-2022

Grade 12: College Meeting for Senior Parents (Required)

Thursday, August 26th, 6:00-7:30PM in the SRC

- Application deadlines are rapidly approaching! Join us for a detailed overview of the college application process.

Grades 9-12: College Financial Aid Seminar

Tuesday, September 14th, 6:00-7:30PM in the SRC

- Hear from an expert about how financial aid works and how you can prepare for college expenses.
- All interested Upper School parents and students are encouraged to attend.

Grades 9-12: Mock Admissions Case Studies (Required for Grade 11 families)

Tuesday, November 16th, 6:00-7:30PM via Zoom

- You've heard rumors about how colleges evaluate applicants and what matters most to them. Here's your chance to learn just how complex it really is!
- Go behind the scenes and review sample applications to make admissions decisions with seasoned admissions officers from leading institutions across the country.

Grades 9-12: College Admissions Experts Panel (Required for Grade 11 families)

Thursday, January 13th, 7:00-8:00PM in the Jack Mitchell Theatre

- A panel of nationally-prominent college admissions officers will address key topics about choosing a college and how the selective admissions process works.
- Prairie families at other grade levels are also welcome.

Grade 11: College Meeting for Junior Parents (Required)

Wednesday, January 19th, 6:00-7:30PM in the SRC

- Your child's college search has begun! Join us for a detailed overview of the process.
- Grade 9-10 parents are also welcome.

Grades 9-10: Informational Evening for Freshman and Sophomore Parents

Wednesday, February 9th, 6:00-7:00PM in the SRC

- Wondering what you and your child should be doing and when? Bring your questions, meet the college counselors, and learn more about our 4-year college counseling process.

Grades 9-11: Prairie School College Fair

Thursday, March 10th, 12:00-2:00PM in the JAC

- Visit with representatives from a wide range of colleges. Explore options and opportunities, collect information, and ask individualized questions as you begin or continue your college search process.
- All Upper School students and parents are encouraged to attend.