



# CHELMSFORD

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

**Friday, Feb. 26**

Hello Juniors & Junior Parents!

We hope you all had an enjoyable vacation week, and that students have returned to school well rested and ready to get started on their plans for “Life After CHS”! Individual junior meetings have begun. These meetings will help you break the college search process down into manageable steps. The whole search process may be completed as soon as nine months from now, so it’s important to meet with your counselor and begin planning your next steps! See your counselor ASAP to set up this important meeting!

### **TERM 3 GRADES:**

There are just a few more weeks in Term 3. If you are not happy with your grades there is still plenty of time to bring them up before the end of the term. Be sure to review your course grades, check in with teachers, and continue to put forth your best effort for those all-important junior grades.

### **HAVE YOU SET UP YOUR JUNIOR MEETING YET?**

As you begin your college search you need to start putting together a detailed plan. Please sign up for an individual Junior Meeting with your counselor to get started on this exciting journey! Please note that all counselors are using different sign-up methods for these meetings, so please use whichever method was communicated to you by your counselor.

### **COLLEGE OPEN HOUSES AND SUMMER PROGRAMS:**

Don’t forget to check all the resources available to you on the Career Center webpage. Now is a good time to be attending in-person and/or virtual college Open Houses, and you’ll find a link to a comprehensive list on the left of the Career Center page. Also on the Career Center webpage check out the list of Summer Programs offered at colleges all over the country. These programs can be a great way to explore a potential career interest and spend time in a college environment, whether in-person or virtual.

### **IMPORTANT REMINDER: CHS CLASS OF 2022 GOOGLE CLASSROOM:**

As a reminder, this Google Classroom includes a wide range of topics including Health & Wellness, College and Career Exploration, Financial Aid and Scholarship Info and much more. We will keep updating your Google Classroom throughout this year and next, and it will address the needs of all of our students and the many paths they may follow. **IMPORTANT:** the Join Code for this new Google Classroom is: **xqypkwl**. Please join today!!

### **TIP OF THE WEEK:**

It's a great idea to keep all your Usernames and Passwords for Naviance, Common App, College Board etc. in your phone so you can access them easily. (Be sure to have a password or code for your phone so no one else can get your personal information.)

If you have any questions, please contact your counselor directly as we do not see the responses to this email address.

Have a great weekend!

CHS School Counseling

**Important Dates:**

March 13: SATs offered at CHS, registration deadline has passed; late registration is available for an additional fee ([www.collegeboard.org](http://www.collegeboard.org))

April 17: ACT offered at area high schools, registration deadline - 3/12 ([www.actstudent.org](http://www.actstudent.org))

May 8: SATs offered at CHS and other area high schools, registration deadline - 4/8

June 5: SATs offered at CHS and other area high schools, registration deadline - 5/6

June 12: ACT offered at area high schools, registration deadline - 5/7

July 17: ACT offered at area high schools, registration deadline - 6/18

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