



Counselor Connection

Congrats to our
Stand Up Huskie
for January -
Caleb Lewis!



February 2025

Freshmen

- **Postsecondary Exploration Resources**

While many students associate college with the next step after high school, there are a number of postsecondary options that they should consider. **NCompass** has more information on some of the most popular [postsecondary options](#) available.

- **[Spring 2025 College Exploration Activities](#)**

As we move toward spring, there are a number of upcoming college exploration opportunities. From the Illinois Regional College Fair at North Central College, to virtual national fairs, check out all upcoming opportunities in the link above.

- **[Get Involved this Semester!](#)**

Now that your 1st semester of high school is in the books, we want to encourage our freshmen to get involved! There are a multitude of clubs & activities to join - check out the *Something for Everybody* book in the link above for more information!

Sophomores

- **Save the Date: Postsecondary Planning Night (Feb. 26)**

We're excited to once again offer our Postsecondary Planning Night (formerly *College Planning Night*) on Feb. 26th at 6:00pm. For more information, please visit: <https://www.naperville203.org/PSPNight>

- **Career Exploration Resources**

Sophomore year is a great time for students to explore the endless career opportunities available to them. We have a number of [career exploration tools](#) available for students on **NCompass**.

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Juniors

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- **Feb. 18 & 20: Junior Week Presentations!**

During WIN sessions of this week, Juniors will receive their Junior Week presentation from their counselors. Presentations will include a video to follow along, and a link to our comprehensive Junior Week FlowDoc!

- **[Spring 2025 College Exploration Activities](#)**

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Seniors

- **Mid-Year (7th Semester) Transcripts Have Been Sent!**

All Common App Mid-Year Reports, as well as all non-Common App mid-year transcript form requests were processed as of 1/27. If Seniors receive requests for non-Common App mid-year transcripts, you need to complete [this form](#).

- **The Search for Scholarships**

Now that the first major college application deadline has passed, we wanted to make sure students were searching out scholarship opportunities. Please check out the bottom of [Step 6: Financial Aid & Scholarships](#), from our [Senior Week FlowDoc](#).

- **[College Deferrals - What Do I Do Next?](#)**

We have seen many Seniors stop by The PARC & Student Services asking what they can do because they were deferred from a school. The link above provides great information on next steps (like following school's instructions **closely**).

The PARC Updates:

[NCompass](#): This is a link to our reimagined & collaborative Postsecondary Planning Guide for all grades, created in partnership with the PARC at Naperville Central.

[Student Services Programming](#): This is a link to our overarching document, explaining all programming School Counselors are providing to students & families. We encourage you to utilize this resource to view past programming / resources, as well as upcoming opportunities.

Check out our latest blog post within [Huskie Hygge](#), our NNHS socio-emotional learning digital resource library, for curated content on a number of topics and themes for holistic wellness.