

# Counselor's Corner

Mrs. Francis, 7-12 School Counselor

November, 2020

**Interested in the UVCC next year??** This month and next is jam packed with opportunities for sophomores to become acquainted with the Upper Valley Career Center! On Thursday, November 19<sup>th</sup> during Tribe Time, the UVCC will be here to put on a mini career fair to highlight their different program offerings. At this time, all sophomores will need to choose two programs they are interested in visiting on Wednesday, December 9<sup>th</sup> at Explore Careers Day. Students who are interested in attending the UVCC next year, should also plan to attend the UVCC Open House on the following evening (12/10), where they can show their parents around and most importantly, apply! Applications will be available online starting on December 10<sup>th</sup>. The UVCC programs are first come, first served, so applying early is key!

## Upcoming Events!

**CCP Spring Scheduling**  
When: By Nov 4th  
Who: ALL CCP Students  
What: CCP students need to check in to fill out a registration form for Spring semester!

**Explore Careers Day - UVCC Pre-Visit**  
When: November 9<sup>th</sup>  
Who: ALL Sophomores  
What: All sophomore students will be listen to a presentation by the UVCC and choose two programs they want to visit when we travel to the UVCC on December 9<sup>th</sup>.

**Thanksgiving Break**  
When: November 25-27  
*1 hour early release on 11/24*

**CCP Parent Meetings**  
January & February  
*See left for details*

## Save the Date for CCP!

Are you interested in potentially taking College Credit Plus Courses next school year? Are you planning to continue with the CCP program?

If so, you, along with a parent, must attend an informational meeting regarding the program.

FLHS will host three CCP meetings. The first two will be for returning CCP students and the third will be for new CCP students.

NEW CCP & AP: January 20<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>  
Returning CCP Students: February 3<sup>rd</sup>

All meetings will start at 6pm in the cafeteria. Social distancing will be practiced.

*More information about these meetings will be in the December Newsletter.*

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**Big Buddies...** Big Brothers Big Sisters is in need of high school volunteers to help with their after school tutoring program for elementary students. This is a great way to get some volunteer hours on your Student Activity Resume for future college & scholarship applications. If you are interested in helping out this worthy cause, pick up an application ASAP from my outer office.



## ACT & SAT Upcoming Dates

### ACT Dates

- ❖ December 12
  - Register by: Nov 6
- ❖ February 6
  - Register by: Jan 8
- ❖ February 23 (ALL Juniors)
  - Register at FLHS (TBD)

### SAT Dates

- ❖ November 7
  - Register by: Oct 7
- ❖ December 5
  - Register by: Nov 5
- ❖ March 13
  - Register by: Feb 12

**FLHS School Code: 362160**

# Scholarship Opportunities

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- ❖ **Raise.me** is a scholarship search engine that awards “micro-scholarships” to students based on their high school experiences. Create an account and start earning!
- ❖ **Ohio Means Jobs** has a “Fund It” section to search for scholarships. This lists scholarships that are available to students in grades 9-12.
- ❖ **Fastweb.com**, **Scholarships.com**, & **GoCollege.com** are all scholarship search engines. Create an account by answering a few questions and the search engines will only send you scholarships that you are eligible for!
- ❖ **Parents!** Check with your employers to see if they have any available scholarships. Also, if you are a part of a union, they typically have scholarship programs, as well.
- ❖ **ALL applications below are available in the scholarship bin in Mrs. Francis’ outer office, on the school website (<http://www.loramie.k12.oh.us/Scholarships.aspx>), and on the Senior Google Classroom.**
- ❖ **Prudential Spirit of Community Awards Program:** Any student in grades 5-12 who have participated in community service activities can fill out an application by November 10th to be eligible for a \$1000 reward. For more info and to apply, visit [nassp.org/spirit](http://nassp.org/spirit).
- ❖ **Burger King Scholarship:** Any high school senior with at least a 2.5 GPA is eligible for this scholarship. They are looking for individuals who are active in their community by participating in sports, volunteering, or other activities. Go to: [www.bk-scholars.com](http://www.bk-scholars.com) to apply by December 15<sup>th</sup>.
- ❖ **Hagan Scholarship Foundation:** The Hagan Scholarships are for high achieving students who will require financial assistance for college. Students must have a minimum 3.5 GPA, must score a 23 on the ACT, and have an EFC of \$6500 or less on the FAFSA. Go to [www.hsfo.org](http://www.hsfo.org) to learn more and apply. Application deadline is December 1<sup>st</sup>.
- ❖ **Farm Credit Mid-America:** Any student with a 3.0GPA, an Ag background, and is a customer (or directly related to) of Mid-America Farm Credit Bureau. Go to: [e-farmcredit.com/scholarships](http://e-farmcredit.com/scholarships) to apply by December 30<sup>th</sup>.
- ❖ **GE-Regan Foundation:** Any student who can demonstrate leadership and has a 3.0GPA. Go to: [www.reaganfoundation.org/education](http://www.reaganfoundation.org/education) to apply by January 5<sup>th</sup>.
- ❖ **BGSU Science & Math Education in ACTION scholarship program:** Students must be planning to attend BGSU to become a math or science teacher. Students must have a 3.0 GPA and a recommended ACT of 23 or higher. Deadline to apply is January 15<sup>th</sup>; go to [bgsu.edu/action](http://bgsu.edu/action) to apply.
- ❖ **Profile in Courage Essay:** Go to [www.jfklibrary.org/learn/education/profile-in-courage-essay-contest](http://www.jfklibrary.org/learn/education/profile-in-courage-essay-contest) for the selected topics. Submissions are due: January 15<sup>th</sup>.
- ❖ **Ohio JCI Senate** does two scholarships: one is academic based and the other is need based. Applications are in Mrs. Francis’ outer office and are due January 22<sup>nd</sup>.
- ❖ **WOEF Wright State Lake Campus Scholarship:** Seniors planning to attend WSU Lake Campus should fill out the online application ([lake.wright.edu/scholarships](http://lake.wright.edu/scholarships)) by February 1<sup>st</sup>!
- ❖ **WACE Co-Op Scholarship Program:** This merit based scholarship is available to any high school senior who is planning on attending one of WACE’s partner institutions (University of Cincinnati & University of Toledo are included). The scholarship is for students who will enter a Co-op program (such as engineering) in college. Go to [ww.waceinc.org](http://ww.waceinc.org) to learn more and to apply. Application deadline is February 15 and early applications are highly encouraged.

# Career & College Opportunities

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- ❖ **Al’s** is looking for cooks. Stop by and talk to Mary or call 295-3300.
- ❖ **Wagner’s** is hiring at all locations, stop in any of them for an application.