CLASS OF 2019

FIREBIRDS
It’s almost my senior year, what should I be doing right now to be prepared?
Decisions, Decisions, Decisions!
Trades and Skilled Crafts Apprenticeships

Cosmetology
Mechanics
Electricians
Plumbers
Carpenters
Welders
Operating Engineer
Mechanical Systems
Pipefitters
Elevator Operators
Iron Workers
Line Builders
Check out the Apprenticeship Window outside of Guidance!
MILITARY

BRANCHES
• Air Force
• Army
• Coast Guard
• Marines
• Navy

OPTIONS
• General Enlistment
• Academies
• ROTC
• National Guard
• Reserves
Check out the Military Window outside of Guidance!
Associate Degree Programs & Co-oping (2 year)
Branch Campuses

• University of Cincinnati
  • Blue Ash, Clermont

• Miami University
  • Hamilton, Middletown, Voice of America

• Ohio State University
  • Marion, Lima, Mansfield, Newark, Wooster
BACHELOR DEGREE PROGRAMS
(4 YEAR)
YOU NEED NAVIANCE!

Accessed through the LWHS webpage, under the Guidance tab
https://westhigh.lakotaonline.com/

• USER NAME: Usually your email address.
• PASSWORD: If you don’t remember….see the guidance office secretaries Mrs. Smith or Mrs. Wainscott
NAVIANCE-CAREER TAB
ASVAB  (Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery)

• The ASVAB is an assessment that the military uses to help their future soldiers find a military career that matches their skills and interests.

• Current high school students can use this assessment to understand what their skills and interests are, and the jobs that may be available in both the military, and civilian worlds.

• Lakota West offers the ASVAB in the fall every year. It is open to all interested students.

• If you would like to take the ASVAB before Fall 2018, you need to contact one of our military recruiters (stop by and ask in Guidance!)
Senior (FA)

Welcome Seniors!

PrepMe is an adaptive learning platform for ACT® and SAT® test preparation that identifies your individual strengths and areas for improvement to create a customized study plan based on your needs and timeline. With PrepMe, you maximize every minute of your time spent studying for exams.

Check out this quick, 15-minute video to learn about the features of PrepMe: [https://vimeo.com/47726516](https://vimeo.com/47726516)

To access PrepMe:
1. Log in to Family Connection.
2. From the Family Connection Home page, click the PrepMe link in the Resources section.
3. PrepMe will open in a new window or tab.

Additionally:
ACT AND SAT EXAMS

• These tests are required for the college application process.
• If you haven’t taken either, you need to sign up asap.
• You are responsible for sending your scores to the universities by the college application deadline.
ACT Test—Reminder!!

All Juniors will be participating in the ACT on February 27, 2018

• Registration will be handled during the regular school day
• It is an EXCELLENT idea to send this school to colleges—have it done for next year Now!
Remaining National Test dates for this year:

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Advice:
If you are planning on attending college next year... HAVE AN ACT SCORE YOU LIKE BEFORE THE END OF YOUR JUNIOR YEAR
Naviance Test Prep

family connection

my colleges
- colleges I’m thinking about
- colleges I’m applying to

pages
- why naviance?
- code of admission

resources
- Naviance Test Prep

links
- common application
- ncaa eligibility
- diploma with honors
- act home page
- sat home page
- fcat website
- hwhs main page
- lakota west guidance
- occupational outlook

what’s new
- Your task Apply to college has been marked as complete
- Martin Cieslak has assigned the task Scholarship search to you
- Martin Cieslak has assigned the task Add careers to my list to you

Senior (FA)

Welcome Seniors!

We are excited to introduce a vital step in your academic planning. Naviance Test Prep – an interactive source of Test Prep for SAT and ACT exams. Naviance Test Prep has replaced PrepMe and it will analyze your current standing for each test and personalize a study guide to assist you in enhancing your test scores.

Naviance Test Prep allows you to:
- Plan a study schedule according to your test date or when you wish to be fully prepared
- Determine and strategize your test readiness to success
- Review necessary knowledge for each exam through lessons, flashcards, practice questions and tests
- Enjoy the Game Center while boosting your test-taking strategies

Over time, you will be able to track your progress and performance in order to adhere to your goals.

We hope that you will find this student quick guide and student video helpful. The link for the student video: https://vimeo.com/135249487

To access Naviance Test Prep:
Naviance Test Prep
March2Success.com

• Military provided websites for students to practice their skills for the ACT/SAT and ASVAB, and preparation for several pre-nursing exams.

• The website does require you to register and create a username and password

• Study area for college financing and admission
• Flashcards
• Study games and planning guides
Searching for Colleges that fit you? Use SUPERMATCH

Use Supermatch to input criteria that are important to you, so you can research colleges that may your interests and needs!
Searching for Colleges

When you use Supermatch, you can easily add colleges that interest you to a list....

This list is called “Colleges I am Thinking About”
# Colleges I’m Thinking About

## College Information

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### Update Interest

- Move to Application List
- Remove from List

* Difficulty of admission specifically for you as estimated by your counselor

† College Information is provided by the colleges themselves. Costs, dates, policies, and programs are subject to change, so please confirm important facts with college admission personnel.
College Visits

• Schedule formal college visits on campuses you are interested in attending

• College Visit Form
Summer TIMEEEEEEE!

- Internships
- Job Shadow
- XH- Job Fair
- Summer programs at colleges
NCAA ELIGIBILITY CENTER

• Often referred to as the NCAA Clearinghouse

• Must be completed on-line web3.ncaa.org

• There is a fee
You must request your official transcript via the EC site for it to send via Naviance.

MAKE SURE YOU TELL YOUR COUNSELOR IF YOU ARE PLANNING ON PLAYING COLLEGE SPORTS!!!
MAIN STREET GUIDANCE TV’s
Have question?
Stop by Guidance to schedule an appointment.
Lakota West Guidance Staff:

- Effie Jansing - Jata
- David Klaserner - D – Hi
- Bob Emig - Hj-Mc
- Mike Anderson - Md - Sc
- Kira Murphy - Sd - Z

Guidance Secretaries:
- Mrs. Wainscott (A-Hi)
- Mrs. Smith (Hj-Z)
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Official Twitter Account of Lakota West High School Guidance Department.

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🔗 lakotawesthigh.com/index.php?opti...
📅 Joined September 2015
📍 Born on May 19, 1998

TWEETS 408
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LIKES 338
MOMENTS 0

LWHS Guidance @LWHSGuidance · 34m
Underclassman- it is an excellent time to take a PRACTICE ACT!! Register here for the March 4 date!
huntingtonhelps.com/registration/i...

LWHS Guidance @LWHSGuidance · 46m
March 1- students check out Apprenticeship Day @ButlerTech Stop by Guidance for more information!

Wednesday, March 1st
Interested in learning more about local apprenticeships? Representatives from local trades groups will be at D. Russel Lee to talk