



# ENHS Seniors 2023

Preparing you for the Future

**What can I do prior to  
Senior Year?**



# Check List

- ▶ Start drafting a resume:
  - ▷ Academic recognitions
  - ▷ School activities
  - ▷ Work experience
  - ▷ Volunteer hours-summer is a great time to gain volunteer experience
- ▶ Start planning for post-secondary:
  - ▷ College
  - ▷ Career
  - ▷ Military

# College or Career?

- ▶ Research colleges you are interested in attending:
  - ▷ Degree Programs-what interests you?
  - ▷ Admission requirements
  - ▷ Start planning college visits (seniors get 4 college visits during the school year)
- ▶ Career Resources:
  - ▷ Francis Tuttle Technology Center:
    - <https://www.francistuttle.edu/programs-courses/career-training-programs?audience=hs>

# Testing

- ▶ Do you need to take the ACT or SAT?
  - ▷ Testing Resources:
    - <https://www.act.org/>
    - <https://www.march2success.com/>(Both SAT and ACT practice tests)
    - <https://www.collegeboard.org/>
    - The Counseling Office has flyers for other test prep opportunities
    - Email your Counselor about testing and application fee waivers if you participate in Free/Reduced lunch

# Recommendation Letter



# Think ahead about who to ask?

- ▶ Make a list of who to ask once we return to school (It is important to ask people who know you best for a more authentic letter):
  - ▷ Teacher
  - ▷ Faculty Member
  - ▷ Coach
- ▶ Plan ahead...
  - ▷ You will want to decide over the summer so you can ask early
  - ▷ Allow a minimum of 10 school days for recommendation letters
  - ▷ DO NOT expect a letter the same day you drop off your resume and questionnaire

# Important Websites

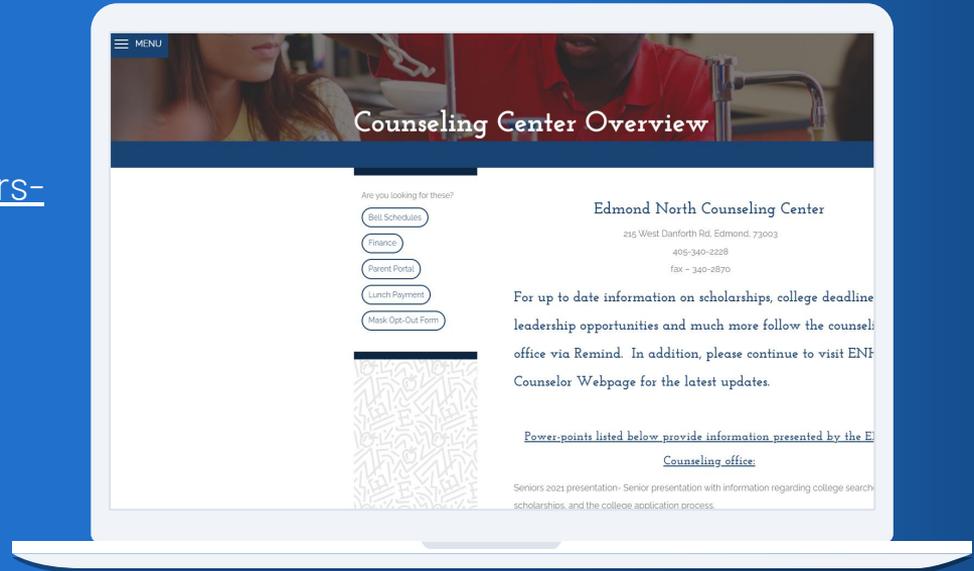


# Resources

- ▶ College and Career Planning:
  - ▷ <http://www.okcollegestart.org/>
  - ▷ <http://www.ucango2.org/>
- ▶ Scholarship:
  - ▷ <http://www.okcollegestart.org/>
  - ▷ <https://occf.org/scholarships/>
  - ▷ <https://www.occf.org/>
  - ▷ <https://www.goingmerry.com/>
- ▶ Financial Aid:
  - ▷ <http://www.fafsa.ed.gov>

# ENHS Counselor's Website

<https://north.edmondschools.net/counselors-corner-new/counselors-corner/>



# Questions

**If you have specific questions, reach out to your counselor.**



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